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2021/11/16 第 218 回

authorities (noun)當局

Authorities in Pakistan say an anti-terrorism raid and bomb blasts have killed at least five security personnel and wounded seven people, but there were no claims of responsibility so far.

巴基斯坦當局表示，一次反恐突襲和炸彈爆炸已造成至少五名安全人員死亡，七人受傷，但目前尚未有人聲稱對此案負責。

2021/11/15 第 217 回

catastrophic (adj.)災難性的

The UN COP26 climate summit has finally concluded after nearly 200 nations agreed to a landmark deal, the Glasgow Climate Pact, aimed at preventing catastrophic global warming.

聯合國 COP26 氣候峰會終於結束，會中近 200 個國家同意一項具有里程碑意義的協議——格拉斯哥氣候公約，旨在防止災難性的全球變暖。

2021/11/14 第 216 回

appropriation (noun) 撥款

TSMC, the world's largest contract chipmaker, said Tuesday that its board has approved a capital appropriation of over US\$9 billion for capacity expansion, while a deal to build a factory in Japan has been finalized.

全球最大的代工晶片製造商台積電公司週二表示，該董事會已批准 90 多億美元的資本撥款用於擴充產能，而其在日本建廠的交易已經定案。

2021/11/13 第 215 回

cancellation (noun)取消，班次取消

Last Sunday morning, an early-season snowstorm blanketed Beijing, prompting highway closures and flight and train cancellations and delays, but the skies cleared that afternoon as the storm moved east.

上週日早晨，一場初冬暴風雪籠罩北京，導致高速公路關閉，航班和火車取消與延誤，但隨著風暴向東移動，當天下午天空放晴。

2021/11/12 第 214 回

inflation (noun)通膨，通貨膨脹

Americans nationwide are contending with surging inflation, particularly for gas, fuel oil, vehicles, food, etc. , and higher prices are eating into pay increases and annual

cost-of-living adjustments for Social Security benefits and food stamps.

全國範圍內的美國人正在與飆升的通貨膨脹作鬥爭，特別是汽油、燃料油、車輛、食品等貨物，更高的物價正侵蝕著加薪，以及對社會保險福利金和食品券所做的年度生活成本調整。

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cooperation (noun)合作

Chinese President Xi Jinping says China is willing to "enhance exchanges and cooperation across the board" with the US ahead of a virtual meeting with US President Joe Biden planned for as soon as next week.

中國國家主席習近平在計劃最快於下週，與美國拜登總統舉行虛擬會晤之前，表示中國願意與美國“全面加強交流與合作”。

2021/11/10 第 212 回

undisclosed (adj.)未公開的

(CNA) A US C-40 military transport plane made a brief stop in Taipei on Tuesday night with a group of American senators and representatives on board for a previously undisclosed visit to Taiwan.

(中央社報導) 一架美國 C-40 軍用運輸機，週二晚間在台北短暫停留，機上載有一群美國參議員和眾議員，他們將在台灣進行先前未公開的訪問。

2021/11/9 第 211 回

restriction (noun)限制

The US is opening its doors to vaccinated international travelers today after 20 months of restrictions, and this is an important step in the gradual recovery of airline business. 美國經過 20 個月的限制後，今天向接種疫苗的國際旅客開放進入，這是逐步恢復其航空產業的重要一步。

2021/11/8 第 210 回

charity (noun) 慈善，慈善團體

With thousands of participants, the 50th New York City Marathon returns this morning for the first time since the pandemic started, and the last race in 2019 raised \$45 million for charity.

今天上午數千名跑者，參加第 50 屆紐約市馬拉松大賽，這是自疫情大流行以來的首次恢復，上次 2019 年的比賽，為慈善團體募集了 4500 萬美元。

2021/11/7 第 209 回

campaigner (noun)活動家，倡導者

Swedish campaigner Greta Thunberg on Friday branded the U.N. climate summit in Glasgow a "failure" after a week of negotiations produced only vague promises to cut emissions.

瑞典氣候活動家 Greta Thunberg 週五稱，在英國格拉斯哥舉行的聯合國氣候高峰會是一項“失敗”，此前一週的談判，僅產生了對減排的模糊承諾。

2021/11/6 第 208 回

undertake (verb) 進行，實施

Britain's Queen Elizabeth II, 95, has been told by doctors to rest for at least the next two weeks and not undertake any official visits, Buckingham Palace said in a statement Friday.

白金漢宮週五在一份聲明中表示，高齡 95 歲的英國女王伊麗莎白二世，已被醫生告知往後需休息至少兩週，並且不要進行任何官式訪問。

2021/11/5 第 207 回

criticism (noun) 批評

Singapore's legislature approved a bill that targets foreign influence campaigns by giving its government new powers over internet content, despite criticism that officials could use them to stifle dissent.

新加坡立法機關，批准了一項針對外國影響力運動的法案，賦予該國政府管理互聯網內容的新權力，儘管有人批評，政府官員可以利用這些權力來壓制異議。

2021/11/4 第 206 回

intensify (verb) 加劇，強化

More than 100 countries agreed to join efforts to cut emissions of methane 30 percent by 2030 from 2020 levels for preventing rising temperatures, intensified heat waves, droughts, storms and flooding.

100 多個國家同意共同努力，到 2030 年將甲烷排放量從 2020 年的水平減少 30%，以防止氣溫上升、熱浪加劇、乾旱、暴風雨和洪水。

2021/11/3 第 205 回

generation (noun) 世代

British Queen Elizabeth II said Monday that "the time for words has now moved to the time for action" on reducing carbon emissions in the world's climate crisis, and urged world leaders to think of future generations.

英國女王伊麗莎白二世週一表示，就世界氣候危機中減少碳排放而言，“現在已經到了將談論轉為行動的時候”，並敦促世界領導人為子孫後代著想。

2021/11/2 第 204 回

perpetuate (verb) 持續，延續

The United States says it is "gravely concerned" by reports of human rights violations that Myanmar security forces have allegedly perpetuated in Chin State, including setting fire to and destroying over 100 residences and Christian churches.

美國表示，它對緬甸安全部隊據稱在欽邦，持續侵犯人權的報導表示“嚴重關切”，包括縱火和摧毀 100 多處住宅和基督教教堂。

2021/11/1 第 203 回

greenhouse (noun) 溫室

China and the United States are the world's two biggest greenhouse gas emitters, so any attempt to address the climate crisis will need to involve deep emissions cuts from these two powerhouse nations.

中國和美國是世界上最大的兩個溫室氣體排放國，因此任何解決氣候危機的嘗試，都需要這兩個強國的大幅減少排放。

2021/10/31 第 202 回

gathering (noun) 聚會，集會

The world's biggest challenge of Covid-19 pandemic right now, besides lagging vaccination rates, is upcoming colder weather and annual holiday travel and gatherings.

目前 Covid-19 大流行的全球最大挑戰，除了疫苗接種率滯後之外，即是行將到來的寒冷天氣，以及年度假期旅行和聚會。

2021/10/30 第 201 回

monopoly (noun) 壟斷，獨佔

Fortune 500 companies realized they have to broaden their search for high-potential candidates, since there is now greater recognition that no race, ethnicity, gender, zip code or diploma has a monopoly on talent.

世界 500 強公司意識到，他們必須擴大搜尋高潛力的員工，因為現在人們更加體認到，沒有任何種族、民族、性別、郵區或文憑可以壟斷人才。

2021/10/29 第 200 回

summit (noun) 高峰會，國家領導人會議

US President Biden heads to Rome today for the G20 summit, where he and other leaders will discuss the international economy, including supply chain snarls and energy prices, and then to Glasgow for COP26, a UN climate summit.

美國總統拜登今天前往羅馬，參加 G20 高峰會，與他國領導人討論國際經濟，包括供應鏈問題和能源價格，然後前往英國格拉斯哥，參加聯合國氣候高峰會。

COP26 。

2021/10/28 第 199 回

boycott (noun, verb) 抵制

There are only 100 days until the 2022 Winter Olympics in Beijing, but continuing Covid-19 outbreaks and growing boycott calls are putting a damper on preparations. 距離 2022 北京冬奧會只有 100 天，但 Covid-19 的持續爆發，和越來越多的抵制呼聲，正在阻礙籌備工作。

2021/10/27 第 198 回

constrain (verb) 限制，約束

Vietnam is the world's second largest coffee exporter, and its Covid-19 lockdown has constrained the global supply of coffee, causing "relatively high" coffee prices through 2022, said Fitch Solutions.

惠譽解決方案公司表示，越南是世界第二大咖啡出口國，而其 Covid-19 封鎖已限制了對全球咖啡的供應，導致到 2022 年咖啡價格 “相對較高”。

2021/10/26 第 197 回

trillion (noun) 萬億，兆

Tesla is now the second fastest company to hit the \$1 trillion mark, reaching it about 12 years after its 2010 initial public offering, and it took Facebook 9 years to reach \$1 trillion goal.

特斯拉現在是第二快速達到 1 萬億美元價值的公司，在 2010 年首次公開募股後大約 12 年達到了這一指標，而臉書用了 9 年時間，達到 1 萬億美元的目標。

2021/10/25 第 196 回

emission (noun) 排放

One of the world's largest oil producers, Saudi Arabia, announced Saturday it aims to reach "net zero" greenhouse gas emissions by 2060, joining more than 100 countries in a global effort to curb manmade climate change.

世界最大產油國之一的沙烏地阿拉伯週六宣布，它的目標是到 2060 年實現 “淨零” 排放溫室氣體，與全球 100 多個國家，一起努力遏制人為氣候變化。

2021/10/24 第 195 回

overwhelm (verb) 壓垮，淹沒

Moscow is going back under lockdown to curb its worst-ever phase of Covid-19, and Russia's experts blame a slow vaccination drive, an overwhelmed health care system and widespread mistrust in government for the situation.

莫斯科市正在重新封城，以遏制其空前嚴重的 Covid-19 狀態，俄羅斯的專家將此歸咎於接種疫苗行動緩慢、醫療保健系統不堪負荷、以及對政府的普遍不信任。

2021/10/23 第 194 回

alleviate (verb) 舒緩，減輕

California's governor has issued an executive order to address the shortage of truck drivers and container storage to try to move critical cargo out of the state's ports and alleviate congestion.

美國加州州長發布了一項行政命令，解決卡車司機和貨櫃倉庫短缺的問題，以試圖將重要貨物運出該州的港口並舒緩港內堵塞。

2021/10/22 第 193 回

cybersecurity (noun) 網路安全

Taiwan's computer-maker giant, Acer has announced a plan to open a school aimed at cultivating next generation of cybersecurity talent, after becoming a hacker's victim twice recently.

台灣電腦製造業巨頭宏碁，在最近兩次受害駭客後，宣布計劃開設一所旨在培養下一代網路安全人才的學校。

2021/10/21 第 192 回

Junta (noun) 軍政府

Myanmar's junta announced it will release about 5,600 political prisoners who have been held for protesting against military rule since a coup upended the country's government in February.

緬甸軍政府宣布，將釋放大約 5,600 名政治犯，他們自 2 月政變推翻該國政府以來，因抗議軍事統治而被關押。

2021/10/20 第 191 回

Inoculate (verb) 接種疫苗，預防注射

US President Biden has ordered members of the country's armed forces and civilian government workers to get inoculated on a quicker time frame under threat of being fired if they do not comply.

美國總統拜登已下令該國武裝部隊成員和政府文職人員，要在更快的時間範圍內接種疫苗。若不遵令的話，將面臨被解聘的威脅。

2021/10/19 第 190 回

unreasonable (adj.) 不合理的

China has accused India of making unreasonable demands in their latest round of talks

as the two neighbours continued to blame each other for the latest flashpoints on their disputed border.

隨著中印兩個鄰國，持續相互譴責對方為爭議邊界上最新的爆發點，中國指控印度在最新一輪會談中，提出了不合理的要求。

2021/10/18 第 189 回

resiliency (noun) 彈性

The Biden Administration is working around the clock to move more goods faster and strengthen the resiliency of American supply chains and make sure people can get the goods they need.

拜登政府正在夜以繼日地工作，以更快地運送更多貨物，加強美國供應鏈的彈性，並確保人們能夠獲得所需的貨物。

2021/10/17 第 188 回

astronaut (noun) 太空人，航天員

The three Chinese astronauts carried into space on board the Shenzhou-13 spacecraft, entered Tianhe, the core module of China's space station Tiangong to begin their six-month mission.

三名中國太空人乘坐“神舟 13 號太空船”飛進太空，並對接進駐中國“太空站天宮”的“核心艙天和”，開始為期六個月的任務。

2021/10/16 第 187 回

parachute (noun, verb) 降落傘，傘降

American actor William Shatner, who gained fame portraying Captain Kirk on the original "Star Trek," just hitched a ride aboard a suborbital spacecraft that grazed the edge of outer space before parachuting to a landing.

美國演員威廉·夏特納因在初版《星艦迷航記》中，飾演柯克船長而聲名大噪，他剛剛搭乘一艘亞軌道太空船掠過外太空邊緣，然後傘降著陸。

2021/10/15 第 186 回

subpoena (noun) 傳票，傳喚

The House committee investigating the 6 January Capitol attack said it's prepared to pursue charges against witnesses who fail to comply with subpoenas.

美國眾議院調查 1 月 6 日國會大廈襲擊事件的委員會表示，它準備對不遵守傳票的證人提出控訴。

2021/10/14 第 185 回

successfully (adv.) 成功地

North Korea claimed Wednesday that it successfully tested a new hypersonic missile that could be harder to defend.

北韓週三聲稱，它成功地試射了一種可能更難防禦的新型超高音速飛彈。

2021/10/13 第 184 回

impact (noun) 影響，衝擊

Because of the impacts of climate change, there are communities across the US that are going to have tough decisions in the years to come because of sea level rise and intensity of storms.

由於氣候變化的影響，並因海平面上升和風暴強度增高，美國各地的社區，將在未來幾年做出艱難的決定。

2021/10/12 第 183 回

traffic (noun) 交通

Flying cars could be commercially available in 2024, but rules for managing this form of air traffic are still a concern, said Hugh Martin, an autotech company.

汽車科技公司 Hugh Martin 表示，飛行汽車可能會在 2024 年投入商業使用，但管理這種形式的空中交通規則仍然是一個問題。

2021/10/11 第 182 回

unfreeze (verb) 解凍

Afghanistan's Taliban urged the United States Saturday to unfreeze Afghanistan's central bank reserves of billions of dollars during an ongoing meeting with an American delegation in Qatar.

阿富汗塔利班週六在卡達與美國代表團會談時，敦促美國解凍阿富汗央行存在美國的數十億美元存款。

2021/10/10 第 181 回

lawsuit (noun) 訴訟

Fox News reported that Former President Donald

Trump prepares to file lawsuits against Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube, over allegations that they silenced conservatives on their platforms.

福斯新聞報導前總統川普準備對臉書、推特和優管提出訴訟，指控他們在自己的平台上壓制保守派。

2021/10/9 第 180 回

benefit (noun) 福利

Amazon is following the lead of other large U.S. companies that are dangling perks

such as education benefits or more pay to woo workers in a tight job market.

亞馬遜公司正跟隨其他美國大公司的做法，在緊張的就業市場中，用教育福利或更高薪酬等來吸引員工。

2021/10/8 第 179 回

jeopardize (verb) 危害，危及

TSMC, the world's largest contract chipmaker, said that it will not disclose the confidential data of its clients nor engage in practices that jeopardize the rights of its clients and shareholders.

全球最大的代工晶片製造商台積電公司表示，它不會洩露客戶的機密資料，也不會從事危害客戶和股東權益的行為。

2021/10/7 第 178 回

gathering (noun) 聚會，集會

The coronavirus-delayed Expo 2020 has opened in Dubai, with organisers aiming to stage the largest global gathering since the start of the pandemic.

因冠狀病毒推遲的 2020 年世界博覽會，已在阿聯酋國迪拜市開展，組織者的目標是舉辦自疫情爆發以來，全球最大的聚會。

2021/10/6 第 177 回

reconnect (verb) 重新連接

Facebook massive global outage began shortly before Monday noon, but it confirmed in the evening it had reconnected to the global internet.

臉書在週一中午前不久開始大規模全球當機，但它當晚確認已重新連接到全球互聯網。

2021/10/5 第 176 回

investment (noun) 投資

The Ford Motor Company has announced an investment of \$11 billion to manufacture electric vehicles and batteries for vehicles.

美國福特汽車公司已宣布投資 110 億美元，用於生產電動汽車和汽車電池。

2021/10/4 第 175 回

reconciliation (noun) 和解，和好

North Korea leader Kim Jong-un said he was willing to restore into Korean hotlines in the next week as a first step towards reconciliation with South Korea.

北韓領導人金正恩表示，他願意在下週恢復南北韓熱線電話，作為與南韓和解的第一步。

2021/10/3 第 174 回

acquire (verb) 收購，獲得

Taiwan manufacturing giant Hon Hai Co. said it is working to establish its first electric vehicle (EV) plant through acquiring the assets of American automaker Lordstown Motors Corp. in Ohio.

台灣製造業巨頭鴻海公司表示，它正在努力透過收購美國汽車製造商洛茲敦汽車公司在俄亥俄州的資產，來建立其第一家電動汽車 (EV) 工廠。

2021/10/2 第 173 回

turnover (noun) 營業額，交易量

Russian authorities warned social media giant Facebook it faces a fine of up to 10% of its annual turnover in the country unless it deletes content Moscow deems illegal.

俄羅斯當局警告社交媒體巨頭 Facebook，除非它刪除俄國認為非法的內容，否則將面臨高達其在該國年營業額 10% 的罰款。

2021/10/1 第 172 回

credibility (noun) 威信，信譽

General Mark Milley characterized the withdrawal from Afghanistan as "a logistical success but a strategic failure," and said US credibility was damaged by it.

米利上將將美軍撤離阿富汗行動，描述為“後勤上的成功，但戰略上的失敗”，並表示美國的威信也因此受到損害。

2021/9/30 第 171 回

undisputable (adj.) 無可爭辯的

Under the leadership of Chancellor Angela Merkel for 16 years, Germany's power and influence in European and global affairs has been indisputable.

在梅克爾總理領導下的 16 年，德國在歐洲與全球事務中的權力和影響力，確是無可爭辯的。

2021/9/29 第 170 回

unvaccinated (adj.) 未接種疫苗的

President Biden blames politics and unvaccinated Americans for spreading COVID-19 and hindering the recovery of the American economy.

拜登總統指責政治爭執和未接種疫苗的美國人，傳播了新冠病毒，並阻礙了美國經濟的復蘇。

2021/9/28 第 169 回

benefit (verb) 造福 (noun) 福利

Xi Jinping, GS of the CPC, congratulated Eric Chu on being elected Chairman of the KMT, and expected the two parties to work together to benefit people on both sides. 中共中央總書記習近平祝賀朱立倫當選國民黨主席，並期盼兩黨一同合作，造福兩岸雙方人民。

2021/9/27 第 168 回

supply-chain (noun) 供應鏈

Fallout from Brexit and the Covid-19 pandemic have led to a shortage of Heavy Goods Vehicles drivers in the UK, causing supply-chain disruptions and stock shortages. 受到英國脫歐和 Covid-19 疫情爆發的影響，造成英國重型貨車司機短缺，使得其供應鏈中斷和庫存短缺。

2021/9/26 第 167 回

commitment (noun) 承諾

Leaders of the US, Japan, India and Australia proclaimed Friday a shared commitment to safeguarding democracy in the Indo-Pacific region, and their common concern about China's growing power. 美日印澳四國的領導人於周五宣佈，共同承諾維護印太地區的民主，並且共同關注中國日益增長的實力。

2021/9/25 第 166 回

prosecution (noun) 起訴

Huawei CFO Meng Wanzhou and the USDOJ on Friday entered an agreement to defer the prosecution until late 2022, after which point the charges could be dropped. 華為公司財務長孟晚舟和美國司法部周五達成協議，將起訴推遲到 2022 年底，之後可能會撤銷該指控。

2021/9/24 第 165 回

geopolitical(adj.) 地緣政治的

美國與友邦聯盟是拜登總統在經濟和地緣政治競爭中，對抗中國的政策基石。 Alliance with friendly countries is a keystone of US President Joe Biden's policy to counter China in economic and geopolitical competition.

2021/9/23 第 164 回

inertia (noun) 慣性

美國為了不到 500 億美元的核潛艇交易得罪法國，是華盛頓政治圈的慣性使然。 It is the inertia of Washington politics that has turned the US against France for a

nuclear submarine deal worth less than \$50bn.

2021/9/22 第 163 回

unified (adj.) 統一的，一致的

US President Biden delivered his first UNGA speech and pushed for a unified response to major issues, including climate change.

美國總統拜登首次在聯合國大會發表演講，呼籲全球對包括氣候變化等重大問題作出統一行動。

2021/9/21 第 162 回

assembly (noun) 大會，會議

The 76th UN General Assembly kicks off this week, with world leaders meeting to debate two major global challenges: ending the pandemic and forging a healthier economy.

第 7 屆聯合國大會定於本週開幕，世界各國領導人將商討全球兩大挑戰：結束疫病的大流行和打造更健康的經濟。

2021/9/20 第 161 回

luxury (adj.) 豪華的，奢侈的

Sanya, often nicknamed "Hawaii of China", filled with international luxury resorts, has attracted numerous wealthy domestic travelers during the pandemic.

海南省三亞素有“中國夏威夷”之稱，國際豪華度假村林立，疫情期間吸引了眾多國內富豪遊覽。

2021/9/19 第 160 回

ambassador (noun) 大使，駐外國大使

France recalls its ambassadors to the US and Australia over their new national security partnership.

法國召回駐美國和駐澳大利亞的大使，討論該兩國新的國家安全夥伴關係。

2021/9/18 第 159 回

debut (noun) 首次亮相，首次演出

A maglev train that can reach the world's fastest speed of 600 kilometers per hour has made its debut in Qingdao, China.

時速可達世界最高每小時 600 公里的磁浮列車，在中國青島首次亮相。

2021/9/17 第 158 回

alliance (noun) 聯盟，同盟

The United States is forming a new Indo-Pacific security alliance with Britain and Australia that will help equip Australia with nuclear-powered submarines.

美國正在與英國和澳大利亞組建一新的印太安全聯盟，該聯盟將幫助澳大利亞裝備核動力潛艇。

2021/9/16 第 157 回

depression (noun) 低氣壓，不景氣

In Louisiana, Tropical Depression Nicholas could slow down recovery from Hurricane Ida, which just blew through two weeks ago.

在美國路易斯安那州，熱帶性低氣壓尼古拉斯可能會延緩颶風艾達災情的恢復，該颶風才於兩週前吹過。

2021/9/15 第 156 回

fatally (adv.) 致命地

A top Senate Democrat on Tuesday blasted the Biden administration's handling of the U.S. withdrawal from Afghanistan as "fatally flawed".

美國參議院民主黨領袖於週二，抨擊拜登政府對美國從阿富汗撤軍的處理方式，“存在致命的缺陷”。

2021/9/14 第 155 回

addiction (noun) 上癮，成癮

China blame youth videogame

addiction for a host of societal ills, including distracting young people from school and family responsibilities.

中國指責青少年對網路遊戲上癮，會產生許多社會弊病，包括分散年輕人對學校和家庭責任的注意力。

2021/9/13 第 154 回

gadget (noun) 小工具

Apple Co. will show off its newest devices and gadgets virtually Tuesday, including the iPhone 13 and Apple Watch 7.

蘋果公司將在週二，虛擬展示其最新的設備和小工具，包括 iPhone 13 和 Apple Watch 7。

2021/9/12 第 153 回

cyberspace (noun) 網路空間

U.S. accused China of widespread malfeasance in cyberspace, including a massive hack of Microsoft's email system and other ransomware attacks.

美國指責中國在網路空間存在廣泛的瀆職行為，包括對微軟電子郵件系統的大規

模駭客攻擊，和其他勒索軟件攻擊。

2021/9/11 第 152 回

infrastructure (noun) 基礎建設

While American one is crumbling now, China has been building infrastructure better, faster, and more than any other country in the world.

如今當美國的基建正在崩潰的時候，中國的基礎建設比世界上任何其他國家更好、更快、更多。

2021/9/10 第 151 回

identification (noun) 識別，身份

ROC Air Force scrambled on Sunday against PLA renewed

19 aircraft flying into its ADIZ (air defense identification zone).

中華民國空軍週日緊急起飛戰鬥機，對抗中共解放軍又飛入其防空識別區的 19 架軍機。

2021/9/9 第 150 回

intensify (verb) 增強

Typhoon Chanthu rapidly intensified in the past 36 hours and is expected to make landfall in Taiwan this week.

颱風燦樹在過去 36 小時內迅速增強，預計本週將登陸台灣。

2021/9/8 第 149 回

convict (verb) 定罪，罪名成立

The five are accused of plotting and executing the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks, and if convicted, they could receive the death penalty.

該五人被指控策劃並執行了 2001 年 9 月 11 日的恐怖攻擊，如果罪名成立，他們可能會被判處死刑。

2021/9/7 第 148 回

prepared (adj.) 準備好，準備妥當

New York was clearly not prepared to deal with climate-related weather disasters such as Ida last week.

紐約顯然沒有準備妥當，來應對上週艾達颶風等與氣候相關的天氣災害。

2021/9/6 第 147 回

surge (verb) 激增

US veteran unemployment rates drop even as job growth slows amid Delta Virus surge.

美國退伍軍人失業率下降，雖然 Delta 變種病毒激增，而導致全美就業成長放緩。

2021/9/5 第 146 回

ravage (verb) 重擊，肆虐

Hurricane Ida ravaged Louisiana, and victims immediate need power, water, communications and financial assistance.

颶風艾達肆虐美國路易斯安那州，災民急需電力、水、通訊和財務援助。

2021/9/4 第 145 回

considered (adj.) 被視為，考慮為

Dr. Anthony Fauci says it's likely Americans will need a third dose of COVID-19 vaccine to be considered fully vaccinated.

佛西博士說，美國人很可能需要第三劑 COVID-19 疫苗，才能被視為完全接種了疫苗。

2021/9/3 第 144 回

drought (noun) 乾旱，旱災

American California undergoes an extreme drought -- another disaster brought on by climate change.

美國加州正遭受了一場極端乾旱--氣候變遷所帶來的另一種災難。

2021/9/2 第 143 回

committed (adj.) 承諾於，致力於

President Joe Biden said the U.S. remains committed to evacuating people who want to leave Afghanistan beyond August.

美國拜登總統表示，美國仍承諾撤離想在 8 月之後離開阿富汗的人。

2021/9/1 第 142 回

uncertainty (noun) 不確定性

The last US military planes have left Afghanistan, marking the end of the US' longest war and ushering in a new era of Afghan uncertainty.

最後一架美國軍用飛機已經離開阿富汗，標誌著美國最長的戰爭結束，並迎來了阿富汗不確定性的新時代。

2021/8/31 第 141 回

announce (verb) 宣佈

China's regulators announce a new limit of "3 hours a week" that minors can play online games.

中國監管機構宣佈，未成年人玩網絡線上遊戲的時間，限制為每週 3 小時。

2021/8/30 第 140 回

Participation (noun) 參與，參加

The Afghan Taliban hopes to grow sound relations with China and looks forward to China's participation in Afghanistan's reconstruction.

阿富汗塔利班希望與中國發展良好關係，並期盼中國參與阿富汗的重建工作。

2021/8/29 第 139 回

diplomatic (adjective) 外交的

China and the United States are engaged in trade, financial, scientific and technological, diplomatic, resource, and cultural wars.

中國與美國正在進行貿易戰、金融戰、科技戰、外交戰、資源戰、及文化戰等。

2021/8/28 第 138 回

evidence (noun) 證據

ISIS-K claimed that an ISIS militant carried out the suicide attack but has not provided evidence to support the claim.

ISIS-K 聲稱 ISIS 激進分子執行了該自殺式攻擊，但沒有提供證據支持這一說法。

2021/8/27 第 137 回

committed (adjective) 堅持的，致力的

The pandemic may have wreaked havoc on schooling, but students remain committed to their plans to study abroad.

新冠疫情可能對學校教育造成了嚴重破壞，但學生們仍然堅持他們的出國留學計劃。

2021/8/26 第 136 回

temporarily (adverb) 暫時地，臨時地

Pentagon acknowledges 'terrible' conditions at Qatar base temporarily housing Afghan evacuees.

五角大廈承認臨時安置阿富汗撤離人員到鄰國卡達基地的“糟糕”條件。

2021/8/25 第 135 回

rebuild (verb) 重建

China says Americans are running away from Afghanistan and it stands ready to help Taliban rebuild.

中國稱美國人正在逃離阿富汗，並隨時準備幫助塔利班重建阿國。

2021/8/24 第 134 回

extradition (noun) 引渡

Huawei CFO Meng Wanzhou's extradition hearings have finally wrapped up, but the case isn't over yet.

華為公司財務長孟晚舟的引渡聽證會終於完畢，但是該案還沒有結束。

2021/8/23 第 133 回

cancel (verb) 取消

The US Education Department has announced it will cancel \$5.8 billion in outstanding student loans for borrowers.

美國教育部宣布，將取消 58 億美元未償還的學生貸款。

2021/8/22 第 132 回

declare (verb) 宣佈

On August 19th, the Taliban officially declared the country as Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan.

8 月 19 日，塔利班正式宣佈該國為阿富汗伊斯蘭酋長國。

2021/8/21 第 131 回

compare (verb) 比較

US lawmakers have been comparing the fall of Saigon in 1975 with the Taliban takeover of Kabul on August 15th, 2021.

美國國會議員一直將 1975 年西貢的陷落，與塔利班於 2021 年 8 月 15 日接管喀布爾進行比較。

2021/8/20 第 130 回

MRT Mass Rapid Transit (noun)

捷運，地鐵

Face masks should be worn at all times and refrain from conversing with others on the MRT.

捷運乘客應始終佩戴口罩，並避免在車上與他人交談。

2021/8/19 第 129 回

infrastructure (noun) 基礎建設

India Premier Modi has pledged a \$1 trillion plan on infrastructure to boost the economy and create jobs.

印度總理莫迪已承諾一項 1 萬億美元的基礎建設計劃，以振興經濟發展和創造

就業機會。

2021/8/18 第 128 回

criticize (verb) 批評

Recently, Chinese state media criticized online gaming as “opium for the mind.”

最近，中國官方媒體批評線上網路遊戲是“精神鴉片”。

2021/8/17 第 127 回

invasion (noun) 入侵，侵略

Taliban insurgents regained power in Afghanistan 20 years after they were ousted by a U.S.-led military invasion.

塔利班叛亂分子在被美國領導的軍事入侵驅逐 20 年後，重新奪回了在阿富汗的政權。

2021/8/16 第 126 回

flee (verb) 逃離 (flee, fled, fled)

The Taliban have taken control of the presidential palace in Kabul after President Ghani fled Afghanistan.

在總統加尼逃離阿富汗後，塔利班民兵控制了喀布爾的總統府。

2021/8/15 第 125 回

embrace (verb) 接受，擁抱

Apple profit sets a new record as customers embrace it's new iPhones and other devices.

隨著客戶接受其新款手機和其他設備，蘋果公司的利潤創下了新紀錄。

2021/8/14 第 124 回

embassy (noun) 大使館

The embassies of US, UK, Germany, and France have all urged their citizens to leave Afghanistan immediately.

美國、英國、德國和法國大使館都敦促本國公民立刻離開阿富汗。

2021/8/13 第 123 回

regret (verb) 後悔

President Biden doesn't regret his decision to withdraw US troops from Afghanistan.

拜登總統並不後悔從阿富汗撤離美軍的決定。

2021/8/12 第 122 回

Suddenly (adv.) 突然地

A Taiwanese F-16V fighter was able to land safely after its canopy fell off suddenly during a training mission.

台灣一架 F-16V 戰機在訓練任務中，座艙蓋突然脫掉，但得以安全降落。

2021/8/11 第 121 回

equivalent (adj.) 相當於

The Dixie Fire in California burned 44,000 acres, equivalent of burning all of Washington, DC, in less than 12 hours.

加州的迪克西大火在不到 12 小時內燒毀了 44,000 英畝土地，相當於燒毀整個華盛頓特區。

2021/8/10 第 120

conclude (verb) 結束

Team China concludes Tokyo Olympics with 38 gold, 88 medals in total.

中國大陸隊以 38 面金牌 88 枚獎牌，結束東京奧運會。

2021/8/9 第 119 回

IPO (noun, Initial Public Offering) 首次公開募股，股票上市法說會

JD logistics is looking to raise as much as \$3.4 billion through an initial public offering in Hong Kong.

大陸京東物流公司希望透過在香港首次公開募股，籌集高達 34 億美元的資金。

2021/8/8 第 118 回

overthrow (verb) 推翻

Myanmar's military overthrew the country's civilian government in early February.

緬甸軍方於 2 月初推翻了該國的文人政府。

2021/8/7 第 117 回

transmission (noun) 傳播，散播

The unvaccinated people continue to be the big highway of transmission for Covid-19.

未接種疫苗的人群，仍然是散播 Covid-19 的主要途徑。

2021/8/6 第 116 回

motivation (noun) 動能，動力

Athlete's motivation and energy will be harder without cheers from the bleachers.

沒有看台上的歡呼聲，運動員的動能和精力將難以激發。

2021/8/5 第 115 回

athlete (noun) 運動員，健兒

Olympic athletes were amazed and excited to see ROCAF fighters escorting their flight back home to Taiwan.

奧運健兒們看到空軍戰鬥機伴飛其航班返台，感到既驚訝又興奮。

2021/8/4 第 114 回

challenge (noun) 挑戰

NATO plans to revise its strategic concept in response to challenges from Russia and China.

北約計劃修改其戰略構想，以應對來自俄羅斯和中國的挑戰。

2021/8/3 第 113 回

deteriorate (verb) 惡化

Security conditions have deteriorated across Afghanistan since the withdrawing of US troops.

自從美軍撤離以來，阿富汗各地的安全狀況惡化。

2021/8/2 第 112 回

eviction (noun)

驅逐，趕出

The expiration of the eviction ban

will put millions of American renters at risk of being forced from their homes.

禁止驅逐房客令到期後，數百萬美國租房者將面臨被迫離開家園的風險。

2021/8/1 第 111 回

incentive (noun) 激勵，獎勵

With incentives and mandates, we can make a huge difference and save a lot of lives.

有了激勵和支持，我們可以做出巨大的改變，拯救很多生命。

2021/7/31 第 110 回

chickenpox (noun) 水痘

The Delta coronavirus variant appears to cause more severe illness and spread as easily as chickenpox.

Delta 冠狀病毒變種似乎會引起更嚴重的疾病，並且像水痘一樣容易傳染。

2021/7/30 第 109 回

unilateral (adj.) 單方面的

The United States opposes unilateral changes in cross-Straits status quo.

美國反對單方面改變兩岸現狀。

2021/7/29 第 108 回

capability (noun) 能力，作戰能力

China appears to be expanding its nuclear capabilities by building a second field of missile silos in its western deserts.

中國似乎正透過在西部沙漠建造第二個飛彈發射井，來擴大其核戰能力。

2021/7/28 第 107 回

thoughtfulness (noun) 體貼，設想周到

Such an inconsiderate arrangement showed a lack of thoughtfulness to our athletes.

這種輕率的安排，顯示對我國運動員缺乏體貼。

2021/7/27 第 106 回

Alzheimer (noun) 阿茲海默症，老年癡呆症

Obviously, smoking and hypertension are risk factors for Alzheimer's disease.

明顯地，吸煙和高血壓是誘發老年癡呆症的危險因素。

2021/7/26 第 105 回

trigger (verb) 引發，引起

At least 130 people died in India after monsoon rains triggered massive landslides and flooding.

印度在雨季降雨引發大規模土石流和洪水之後，至少有 130 人死亡。

2021/7/25 第 104 回

attribute (verb) 歸功於，歸因於

Terry Kuo attributed Hon Hai's robust revenue growth to its effective response to the COVID-19 outbreak.

郭董將鴻海的強勁收入成長，歸功於對 Covid-19 爆發的有效反應。

2021/7/24 第 103 回

athlete (noun) 運動員

The Tokyo Olympic Games are under way, with thousands of athletes set to compete.

東京奧運會正在進行中，成千上萬的運動員將參加比賽。

2021/7/23 第 102 回

poverty (noun) 貧困，貧窮

Coronavirus and its Delta variant have pushed millions of vulnerable people into poverty.

冠狀病毒及其 Delta 變種已使數百萬弱勢族群陷入貧困。

2021/7/22 第 101 回

champion (noun) 冠軍

The Milwaukee Bucks are NBA champions for the first time in 50 years.

美國職籃密爾瓦基雄鹿隊，奪得 50 年來首座 NBA 總冠軍。

2021/7/21 第 100 回

resort (noun) 度假勝地，遊樂區

The death toll in the landslide that hit the Japanese resort town of Atami on July 3rd has risen to 15.

7 月 3 日襲擊日本度假勝地熱海的土石流，已使得死亡人數上升至 15 人。

2021/7/20 第 99 回

jeopardize (verb) 危及，使危險

Millions of Americans are jeopardizing their health, freedom and finances by not getting vaccinated against Covid-19.

數百萬美國人因未接種 Covid-19 疫苗，而危及他們的健康、自由和財務。

2021/7/19 第 98 回

subsidy (noun) 補助金，補貼

Taiwan will pay NT\$100,000 subsidies to families of COVID-19 victims.

台灣將向 COVID-19 受難者家屬支付新台幣 10 萬元補助金。

2021/7/18 第 97 回

entire (adj.) 全部的，整個的

The entire world has the same goal: cases of COVID-19 need to go to zero.

全世界都有相同的目標：冠狀病毒疾病-2019 的病例需要歸零。

2021/7/17 第 96 回

sanction (noun) 制裁

Cuban government says US trade sanctions are to blame for the country's economic unrest.

古巴政府表示，美國的貿易制裁是造成該國經濟動蕩的原因。

2021/7/16 第 95 回

violence (noun) 暴力

Military and police forces have been deployed to control the violence.

已經部署軍隊和警察部隊以控制暴力。

2021/7/15 第 94 回

climate (noun) 氣候

Extreme weather across the the U.S. is fueled by climate change.

氣候變化加劇了美國各地的極端天氣。

2021/7/14 第 93 回

precaution (noun) 預防措施

They failed to take the necessary precautions to avoid infection.

他們未能採取必要 的預防措施來避免感染。

2021/7/13 第 92 回

donate (verb) 捐贈

The two companies will donate 10 million doses of COVID-19 vaccines to the government.

該兩家公司將向政府捐贈 1000 萬劑 新冠病毒疫苗。

2021/7/12 第 91 回

demonstrator (noun) 示威者

The demonstrators then marched through the capital chanting slogans and demanding free elections.

示威者隨後在首都遊行，高呼口號並要求自由選舉。

2021/7/11--第 90 回

assassination (noun) 刺殺，遇刺

The president assassination leaves a huge power vacuum in Haiti.

海地總統遇刺，在該國留下了巨大的權力真空。

2021/7/10--第 89 回

prioritize (verb) 優先

4 Asian nations urge Taiwan to prioritize migrant workers for vaccination.

4 亞洲國家敦促台灣，優先為其在台外勞接種疫苗。

2021/7/9--第 88 回

compromise (verb) 妥協，妥協受害

The massive ransomware attack may have compromised as many as 1,500 businesses.
這次大規模勒索軟體的攻擊，可能已使多達 1,500 家企業妥協受害。

2021/7/8--第 87 回

despite (prep.) 儘管，不顧

The UK is going to lift most lockdown rules by mid-July, despite rising cases.
儘管新冠病例不斷增加，英國仍將在 7 月中旬前解除大部分封鎖規定。

2021/7/7--第 86 回

demolish (verb) 拆除，爆破拆除

The remaining structure at the condominium was demolished last night.
該大樓的剩餘結構昨晚被爆破拆除。

2021/7/6--第 85 回

withdrawal (noun) 撤出，撤軍

The full withdrawal of US troops from Afghanistan is expected very soon.
預計美國軍隊將很快從阿富汗全面撤出。

2021/7/5--第 84 回

mudslide (noun) 土石流

A rise in rainfall due to global warming is increasing the risk of devastating mudslides.
全球變暖導致降雨量上升，正在增加發生毀滅性土石流的風險

2021/7/4--第 83 回

distribute (noun) 分發，分送

Three billion doses of vaccine have already been distributed globally.
全球已經分發了 30 億劑新冠疫苗。

2021/7/3--第 82 回

Inevitable (adj.) 不可避免的

President Xi Jinping strongly called China's rise inevitable.
習近平主席強烈聲稱，中國的崛起是不可避免的。

2021/7/2--第 81 回

chain (noun) 鏈，鏈條

Taiwan-U.S. trade talks touch on supply chains, vaccine production.
台美貿易談判涉及供應鏈、疫苗生產。

2021/7/1--第 80 回

shatter (verb) 打破，粉碎

United States Pacific Northwest cities shatter heat records again, life grinds to a halt.
美國太平洋西北城市再次打破高溫記錄，生活陷入停滯。

2021/6/30--第 79 回

reinstste (verb) 恢復

Officials have reinstated mask guidance for public indoor spaces, regardless of vaccination status.

不顧疫苗接種的情況，官員們已恢復了公共室內不需佩戴口罩。

2021/6/29--第 78 回

prolonged (adj.) 長期的，延期的

Outbreaks of the Delta variant and low vaccination rates have led to prolonged restrictions in Australia.

Delta 變種的爆發，以及低疫苗接種率，導致了澳洲的長期疫情限制。

2021/6/28--第 77 回

lockdown (noun) 封鎖，封城

Fangshan enters 'semi-Level 4' lockdown amid Delta variant cluster infections.
在 Delta 變體群聚感染中，枋山鄉進入“準 4 級”封鎖。

2021/6/27--第 76 回

vulnerable (adj.) 脆弱的，易受到攻擊的

Lack of access to vaccine in poor countries makes them extremely vulnerable.
貧窮國家無法獲得疫苗使他們極其脆弱。

2021/6/26--第 75 回

collapse (noun) 倒塌，崩潰

Authorities did not say what might have cause the collapse of the condo.
當局沒有說明可能導致此大樓倒塌的原因。

2021/6/25--第 74 回

extraordinary (adj.) 異常的，非常的

An extraordinary heat wave could hit the northwestern US this weekend.
本週末，一股異常的熱浪可能襲擊美國西北部。

2021/6/24--第 73 回

arrest (verb) 逮捕

The driver was arrested for culpable homicide and drunk driving.

肇事司機因故意殺人罪和酒駕被捕。

2021/6/23--第 72 回

barely (adv.) 幾乎不，幾乎無

There is barely a person in Brazil today who hasn't lost a loved one to Covid-19.

今日在巴西幾乎無一人沒有因 Covid-19 而失去親人。

2021/6/22--第 71 回

restriction (noun) 限制

The EU has lifted travel restrictions on more than a dozen countries.

歐盟解除對聯盟內十多個國家的旅遊限制。

2021/6/21--第 70 回

Incubation (noun) 潛伏

Covid-19 has an incubation period that varies from one day to 94 days.

Covid-19 具有從 1 天到 94 天不等的潛伏期。

2021/6/20--第 69 回

spike (verb) 激增，飆升

Vacation home sales spiked during the period of coronavirus pandemic.

在冠狀病毒大流行期間，度假屋的銷售量激增。

2021/6/19--第 68 回

variant (noun) 變種

Britain reports steep rise in weekly Delta variant cases.

英國報告每週“印度 D 型變種”病例急劇增加。

2021/6/18--第 67 回

strength (noun) 力量

China's national strength is not the same as it was 120 years ago.

中國的國力和 120 年前不一樣了。

2021/6/17--第 66 回

coercion (noun) 脅迫

China's growing coercion of Taiwan increases risk of miscalculation.

中國大陸對台灣日益增強的脅迫，增加了誤判意願的風險。

2021/6/16--第 65 回

surpass (verb) 超過

The United States surpasses grim milestone with 600,000 lives lost to COVID-19.

美國因 60 萬人死於新冠病毒疫病，超過了嚴峻的里程碑。

2021/6/15--第 64 回

government (noun) 政府

Senior government officials will be attending the meeting tomorrow.

政府高級官員們將參加明天的會議。

2021/6/14--第 63 回

suspect (noun) 嫌疑人，嫌疑犯

A suspect has been arrested in connection with the shooting.

一名與槍擊案有關的嫌疑人已經被捕。

2021/6/13--第 62 回

recovery (noun) 復甦，康復

Wealth gap will likely widen as major economies power recovery.

隨著主要經濟體的復甦，貧富差距可能會擴大。

2021/6/12--第 61 回

immediately (adv.) 立即地

No damage or injuries from the quake were immediately reported.

沒有立即獲報地震造成的損壞或人員的受傷。

2021/6/11--第 60 回

clarification (noun) 澄清

The exact cause of the fire is awaiting investigation and clarification.

火災的確實原因正在等待調查和澄清。

2021/6/10--第 59 回

urban (adj.) 城市的

China aims to create more than 11 million new urban jobs this year.

中國大陸今年的目標，是在城市創造超過 1100 萬個新的就業崗位。

2021/6/9--第 58 回

subsidy (noun) 補貼，津貼

The company received a substantial government subsidy.

該公司得到一大筆政府補貼。

2021/6/8--第 57 回

topple (verb) 倒臺，推翻

This scandal could topple the government.

這一醜聞可能使政府倒臺。

2021/6/7--第 56 回

migrant (noun) 移民，外勞

The cities are full of migrants looking for work.

城市裡到處是尋找工作的移民。

2021/6/6--第 55 回

cluster (noun) 群聚，群體

The second cluster infection with Covid-19 was detected in Miaoli.

在苗栗發現了第二例新冠疫病的群聚感染。

2021/6/5--第 54 回

lockdown (noun) 封鎖，封城

Covid-19 pandemic lockdowns led to reduced crime in many cities globally.

新冠防疫封鎖導致全球許多城市的犯罪率降低。

2021/6/4--第 53 回

demonstration (noun) 遊行抗議

Demonstrations have been held across Brazil over the president's failure to fight the epidemic.

巴西全國串連示威遊行，抗議總統防疫不力。

2021/6/3--第 52 回

approval (noun) 批准

Sinovac's COVID-19 vaccine has been given approval by the World Health Organization (WHO) for emergency use.

大陸科興公司的新冠疫苗，已獲得世界衛生組織的批准，可用於緊急情況。

2021/6/2--第 51 回

economy (noun) 經濟

Now the economy is healing, but millions of Americans remain out of work.

現在美國經濟正在復蘇，但仍有數百萬美國人失業。

2021/6/1--第 50 回

assist (verb) 協助，幫助

The government will assist the groups trying to get vaccines through their own channels.

政府將協助那些試圖透過自己的管道獲得疫苗的團體。

2021/5/31--第 49 回

symptom (noun) 症狀，症候

A large percentage of those who test positive for COVID-19 have no symptoms.

很大比例的新冠病毒確診者沒有任何症狀。

2021/5/30--第 48 回

urge (verb) 敦促，催促

U.S. automakers have urged the Taiwanese firm to supply more automotive chips.

美國汽車製造商已敦促台灣公司提供更多的汽車晶片。

2021/5/29--第 47 回

displace (verb) 遷徙，流離失所

Most of the civilians

displaced by the war will be unable to return to their homes.

多數在此戰亂中流離失所的百姓，將無法重返家園。

2021/5/28--第 46 回

coax (verb) 哄誘，哄騙

He managed to coax the cat down from the tree.

他設法把貓從樹上哄誘下來。

2021/5/27--第 45 回

indict (verb) 起訴

He was indicted for fraud before a grand jury.

他在大陪審團前以犯欺詐罪被起訴。

2021/5/26--第 44 回

diverge (verb) 偏離

His account of the event diverged from the truth.

他對那個事件的敘述偏離了事實。

2021/5/25--第 43 回

debate (noun) 辯論

A fierce debate on the tax cut was going on. 一場減稅的辯論正在激烈進行中。

2021/5/24--第 42 回

Opportunity (noun) 機會

Our task is to make the best of the diplomatic opportunities we have.

我們的任務是充分利用我們所擁有的外交機會。

2021/5/23--第 41 回

apologize (verb) 道歉

You should apologize to her for blaming her wrongly.

是你錯怪了她，你應該向她道歉。

2021/5/22--第 40 回

artificial intelligence (noun) 人工智能，人工智慧

It was the first commercially available machine to employ artificial intelligence.

它是第一台使用人工智能的商業化機器。

2021/5/21--第 39 回

suspend (verb) 暫停，停止

The shareholders' meeting will be suspended due to the increase in COVID-19 cases.

由於新冠疫情確診的增加，股東大會將被暫停。

2021/5/20--第 38 回

announce (verb) 宣佈，宣稱

Today, US President Joe Biden is announcing that over the next six weeks America will send 80 million vaccine doses overseas.

今天，美國總統喬·拜登宣佈，在未來六週內，美國將向海外發送 8000 萬劑疫苗。

2021/5/19--第 37 回

outbreak (noun) 爆發，大流行

Taiwan was a Covid success story, but now it's fighting its biggest outbreak.

台灣曾是新冠疫病的成功典範，但現正對抗其最大規模的疫情爆發。

2021/5/18--第 36 回

vaccine (noun) 疫苗，疫苗接種

India promises more vaccines as daily COVID-19 deaths stay above 4,000.

印度保證增加疫苗接種，因為新冠疫病死亡人數，每天都在 4,000 人以上。

2021/5/17--第 35 回

infection (noun) 感染，傳染

Taiwan on Sunday confirmed 207 new cases of COVID-19, of which 206 were classified as domestic infections.

台灣週日確認了 207 例新的 COVID-19 病例，其中 206 例歸類為本土感染。

2021/5/16--第 34 回

awkward (adj.) 笨拙的，遲緩的

He was embarrassed, which made him awkward.

他受到窘迫，這情況使他感到笨拙。

2021/5/15--第 33 回

accuracy (noun) 精確性

There is need to check the accuracy of these figures.

有必要核對一下這些數字的精確性。

2021/5/14--第 32 回

abandon (verb) 放棄，丟棄

The broken bike was found abandoned by the river side.

人們發現那輛損壞的腳踏車被丟棄在河邊。

2021/5/13--第 31 回

scramble (verb) 搶著，爭奪

People are scrambling to buy property before prices rise even further.

人們在進一步漲價之前，搶著購買房地產。

2021/5/12--第 30 回

memory (noun) 記憶，回憶

It is also a place where many Taipei citizens have shared common memories.

這裡也是許多台北市民同享共同記憶的地方。

2021/5/11--第 29 回

initiative (noun) 積極主動，進取心

My secretary is perfectly competent, but she doesn't have much initiative.

我的秘書完全能夠勝任她的工作，只是她不太積極主動。

2021/5/10--第 28 回

embrace (verb) 擁抱，信奉

They embraced a life of hard work and a career full of peril.

他們擁抱勤奮的生活和充滿危險的事業。

2021/5/9--第 27 回

competent (adj.) 能幹的，出色的

She was praised for her competent handling of the crisis.

她因出色地處理危機而受到稱讚。

2021/5/8--第 26 回

sandstorm (noun) 沙塵暴

A massive container ship ran aground in the Suez Canal last month after a sandstorm reportedly made it difficult to sail.

上個月，一艘大型貨櫃輪在蘇伊士運河擱淺。據報導，原因是沙塵暴使其難以航行。

2021/5/7--第 25 回

harassment (noun) 騷擾

The harassment had become too much to tolerate and he decided to move out.

騷擾越來越過分，他難以忍受，決定搬走。

2021/5/6--第 24 回

confidence (noun) 自信，信心

Timid children need gentle handling to build up their confidence.

膽小的孩子需要輕柔的調教，才能樹立他們的自信心。

2021/5/5--第 23 回

cluster (noun) 大串，大群

There was a cluster of fans around him, asking for autographs.

一大群仰慕者圍著他，找他簽名。

2021/5/4--第 22 回

ambiguous (adj.) 模糊的，不明確的

The government has been ambiguous on this issue.

在此問題上，政府立場一直不明確。

2021/5/3--第 21 回

opportunity (noun) 機會

There will be an opportunity for students to share their experiences.

學生將有機會分享他們的經驗。

2021/5/2--第 20 回

surplus (adj.) 剩餘的，多餘的

The government has authorized the army to sell its surplus weapons.

政府已經授權軍方，出售多餘的武器。

2021/5/1--第 19 回

rational (adj.) 理性的

He was rational and consistent in the conduct of his affairs.

他在處理事務上是理性的和一貫的。

2021/4/30--第 18 回

abundant (adj.) 豐富的

Countries that are abundant in natural resources should know how to turn this potential advantage into prosperity.

自然資源豐富的國家，應該知道如何將這種潛在優勢轉化為繁榮。

2021/4/29--第 17 回

responsibility (noun) 責任

To put it bluntly, this is shifting responsibility.

坦率地說，這就是在推卸責任。

2021/4/28--第 16 回

unemployment (noun) 失業

The policy led to rising unemployment and social unrest.

該政策導致失業上升和社會不安。

2021/4/27--第 15 回

caution (noun) 謹慎

You should always proceed with caution in financial matters.

在財務事項上，您應始終謹慎行事。

2021/4/26--第 14 回

racial (adj.) 種族的

We are firmly committed to achieving racial equality.

我們堅定致力於實現種族平等。

2021/4/25--第 13 回

convention (noun) 會議，大會

Leaders attended an international convention on climate change.

各國領導人參加了國際氣候變化大會。

2021/4/24--第 12 回

satisfy (verb) 滿足，滿意

The proposed plan will not satisfy everyone.

該項擬議的計劃不會使所有人滿意。

2021/4/23--第 11 回

bilingual (adj.) 雙語的

The Ministry of Education has laid out plans to promote bilingual higher education.

教育部擬定了促進雙語高等教育的計劃。

2021/4/22--第 10 回

acceptable (adj.) 可接受的

The talks are aimed at finding a mutually acceptable solution.

會談的目的是尋找一個雙方都能接受的解決方案。

2021/4/21--第 9 回

talented (adj.) 有才華的

The professor has a talented team of scientists to help him with his research.

該教授擁有一支才華橫溢的科學家團隊，來幫助他進行研究。

2021/4/20--第 8 回

emphasize (verb) 強調

The White House emphasizes that this was an "unofficial" visit.

美國白宮強調這是一次"非官方"的訪問。

2021/4/19--第 7 回

achieve (verb) 達成，實現

China aims to "have carbon dioxide emissions peak before 2030 and achieve carbon

neutrality before 2060."

中國計劃“在 2030 年之前，達到二氧化碳排放峰值，並在 2060 年之前，實現碳中和”。

2021/4/18--第 6 回

escalate (verb) 升高

China rejects any form of official US-Taiwan contact, and urges Washington to avoid escalating the situation.

中國拒絕任何形式的美台正式接觸，並敦促華府避免升高局勢。

2021/4/17--第 5 回

tax evasion (noun) 逃稅

Cabinet approves draft bill to tighten penalties for tax evasion.

內閣批准法案草案，以加重對逃稅的處罰。

2021/4/16--第 4 回

fizzy drink 氣泡飲料，碳酸飲料

Fizzy drinks and fruit juice are usually high in calories and sugar, which can cause weight problems.

碳酸飲料和果汁通常是高卡路里和高糖份，這可能會導致體重問題。

2021/4/15--第 3 回

coronavirus variant 冠狀病毒變種

The coronavirus variant first detected in the U.K. does not appear to cause more severe illness or death.

在英國首次發現的冠狀病毒變種，似乎並未引起更嚴重的疾病或死亡。

2012/4/14--第 2 回

uranium enrichment 鈾濃縮

Iran's uranium enrichment capability has been damaged by a sabotage attack.

伊朗的鈾濃縮能力，遭到破壞性攻擊而受到損害。

2021/4/13--第 1 回

accidental discharge 意外排出，擦槍走火

The accidental discharge of the poisonous gas caused some chaos.

有毒氣體的意外排放造成了一些混亂。