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Words

崇敬
chóngjìng to revere / to venerate / high esteem

他对老师充满崇敬。
Tā duì lǎoshī chōngmǎn chóngjìng.
He is full of deep respect for his teacher.

惋惜
wǎnxī to regret / to feel that it is a great pity / to feel sorry for sb

没进决赛，大家都很惋惜。
Méi jìn juésài, dàjiā dōu hěn wǎnxī.
Everyone felt it was a great pity that they missed the final.

慌张 慌張
huāngzhāng flustered / agitated

别慌张，慢慢说。
Bié huāngzhāng, mànmàn shuō.
Don't panic, take your time and tell me.

抽签 抽籤
chōuqiān to perform divination with sticks / to draw lots / a ballot (in share dealing)

来抽签决定谁先走吧。
Lái chōuqiān juédìng shéi xiān zǒu ba.
Let's draw lots to decide who goes first.

自力更生
zìlìgēngshēng regeneration through one's own effort (idiom) / self-reliance

毕业后他决定自力更生。
Bìyè hòu tā juédìng zìlì-gēngshēng.
After graduating, he decided to be self-reliant.

过错 過錯
guòcuò mistake / fault / responsibility (for a fault)

母亲原谅了他的过错。
Mǔqīn yuánliàng le tā de guòcuò.
My mother excused his mistake.

定论 定論
dìnglùn final conclusion / accepted argument

这件事的原因还没有定论。
Zhè jiàn shì de yuányīn hái méiyǒu dìnglùn.
There is still no final conclusion on the cause of this matter.

感性
gǎnxìng perception / perceptual / sensibility / sensitive / emotional / sentimental

她是个很感性的人，容易哭。
Tā shì gè hěn gǎnxìng de rén, róngyì kū.
She is a very emotional person and cries easily.

承接
chéngjiē to receive / to accept / to carry on

这一章承接上一章的故事。
Zhè yìzhāng chéngjiē shàng yìzhāng de gùshi.
This chapter carries on the story from the previous one.

捐献 捐獻
juānxiàn to donate / to contribute

你愿意捐献一些钱吗？
Nǐ yuànyì juānxiàn yìxiē qián ma?
Would you be willing to donate some money?

敬佩
jìngpèi to esteem / to admire

她那么勇敢，我真敬佩她！
Tā nàme yǒnggǎn, wǒ zhēn jìngpèi tā!
She is so brave, I really admire her!

时装 時裝
shízhuāng fashion / fashionable clothes

商场里的时装正在打折。
Shāngchǎng lǐ de shízhuāng zhèngzài dǎzhé.
The fashionable clothes in the mall are on sale.

欢快 歡快
huānkuài cheerful and lighthearted / lively

我们唱着欢快的歌。
Wǒmen chàngzhe huānkuài de gē.
We are singing a happy song.

礼节 禮節
lǐjié etiquette

到国外要懂当地的礼节。
Dào guówài yào dǒng dāngdì de lǐjié.
When you go abroad, you need to know the local etiquette.

羞愧
xiūkuì ashamed

他不因贫穷而感到羞愧。
Tā bù yīn pínqióng ér gǎndào xiūkuì.
He is not ashamed of being poor.

背负 背負
bēifù to bear / to carry on one's back / to shoulder

他一个人背负着全家的希望。
Tā yí gè rén bēifùzhe quánjiā de xīwàng.
He alone bears the hopes of the whole family.

质朴 質樸
zhìpǔ simple / plain / unadorned / unaffected / unsophisticated / rustic / earthy

她是个质朴的农村姑娘。
Tā shì gè zhìpiáo de nóngcūn gūniang.
She is a simple country girl.

产业链 產業鏈
chǎnyèliàn industry value chain

新能源汽车的产业链很长。
Xīnnéngyuán qìchē de chǎnyèliàn hěn cháng.
The industry chain for new energy vehicles is very long.

充斥
chōngchì to be full of / to flood / to congest

空气中充斥着海的气息。
Kōngqì zhōng chōngchìzhe hǎi de qìxī.
The air was permeated by the smell of the sea.

凉爽 涼爽
liángshuǎng cool and refreshing

山上的夜晚特别凉爽。
Shānshàng de yèwǎn tèbié liángshuǎng.
The nights up in the mountains are especially cool and refreshing.

改观 改觀
gǎiguān change of appearance / to revise one's point of view

一起工作后，同事对我改观了。
Yìqǐ gōngzuò hòu, tóngshì duì wǒ gǎiguānle.
After working together, my colleagues changed their view of me.

蹊跷 蹊蹺
qīqiāo odd / queer / strange / fishy

你不觉得这事蹊跷吗？
Nǐ bù juéde zhè shì qīqiāo ma?
Don't you think this is odd?

收买 收買
shōumǎi to purchase / to buy / to bribe / to buy off

官员被对手收买了。
Guānyuán bèi duìshǒu shōumǎile.
The official was bought off by his rivals.

梳理
shūlǐ to comb / fig. to sort out

梳理你的头发。
Shūlǐ nǐ de tóufa.
Comb your hair.

艳丽 艷麗
yànlì gorgeous / garish and beautiful

窗外的花开得很艳丽。
Chuāng wài de huā kāi de hěn yànlì.
The flowers outside the window are blooming gorgeously.

信誉 信譽
xìnyù prestige / distinction / reputation / trust

这会损害我们的信誉。
Zhè huì sǔnhài wǒmen de xìnyù.
This will erode our credibility.

公立
gōnglì public (e.g. school, hospital)

公立医院的挂号费比较便宜。
Gōnglì yīyuàn de guàhào fèi bǐjiào piányi.
Registration fees at public hospitals are relatively cheap.

期盼
qīpàn to expect / to await

别期盼奇迹。
Bié qīpàn qíjì.
Don't expect miracles.

苛刻
kēkè harsh / severe / demanding

老板对员工的要求很苛刻。
Lǎobǎn duì yuángōng de yāoqiú hěn kēkè.
The boss has very demanding requirements for his employees.

顽皮 頑皮
wánpí naughty

我儿子小时候特别顽皮。
Wǒ érzi xiǎoshíhou tèbié wánpí.
My son was especially naughty when he was little.

嘀咕
dígu to mutter / to feel apprehensive

你在那儿嘀咕什么呢？
Nǐ zàinar dígu shénme ne?
What are you muttering over there?

宽恕 寬恕
kuānshù to forgive / forgiveness

犯了错的人需要宽恕。
Fànle cuò de rén xūyào kuānshù.
People who have made mistakes need forgiveness.

就职 就職
jiùzhí to take office / to assume a post

新市长将在下个月一号就职。
Xīn shìzhǎng jiāng zài xiàgeyuè yíhào jiùzhí.
The new mayor will take office on the first of next month.

拖欠
tuōqiàn in arrears / behind in payments / to default on one's debts

他长期拖欠银行的贷款。
Tā chángqī tuōqiàn yínháng de dàikuǎn.
He has long defaulted on his bank loan.

正版
zhèngbǎn genuine / legal

用正版软件才能得到服务。
Yòng zhèngbǎn ruǎnjiàn cái néng dédào fúwù.
You can only get support if you use legal software.

滞后 滯後
zhìhòu to lag behind
> 工资涨得太慢，滞后于物价。
> Gōngzī zhǎng de tài màn, zhìhòu yú wùjià.
> Wages are rising too slowly and lagging behind prices.

爱惜 愛惜
àixī to cherish / to treasure / to use sparingly
> 年轻人应该爱惜自己的时间。
> Niánqīngrén yīnggāi àixī zìjǐ de shíjiān.
> Young people should treasure their time.

盟友
méngyǒu ally
> 小国也需要盟友。
> Xiǎoguó yě xūyào méngyǒu.
> Small countries need allies too.

衷心
zhōngxīn heartfelt / wholehearted / cordial
> 我衷心感谢您。
> Wǒ zhōngxīn gǎnxiè nín.
> I thank you with all my heart.

麻将 麻將
májiàng mahjong
> 爷爷总爱和老朋友玩麻将。
> Yéye zǒng ài hé lǎopéngyou wán májiàng.
> Grandpa always loves playing mahjong with his old friends.

不力
bùlì not to do one's best / not to exert oneself
> 老板批评他工作不力。
> Lǎobǎn pīpíng tā gōngzuò búlì.
> The boss criticized him for not doing his job well enough.

囚犯
qiúfàn prisoner / convict
> 国王下令把囚犯释放。
> Guówáng xiàlìng bǎ qiúfàn shìfàng.
> The king ordered that the prisoner should be set free.

接班人
jiēbānrén successor
> 老板正在找一位合适的接班人。
> Lǎobǎn zhèngzài zhǎo yí wèi héshì de jiēbānrén.
> The boss is looking for a suitable successor.

祖母
zǔmǔ father's mother / paternal grandmother
> 我祖母很老了。
> Wǒ zǔmǔ hěn lǎole.
> My grandmother is very old.

踊跃 踴躍
yǒngyuè to leap / to jump / eager / enthusiastically
> 报名的人非常踊跃。
> Bàomíng de rén fēicháng yǒngyuè.
> People are very eager to sign up.

下意识 下意識
xiàyìshí subconscious mind
> 习惯常常藏在下意识里。
> Xíguàn chángcháng cáng zài xiàyìshí lǐ.
> Habits often lie hidden in the subconscious.

层出不穷 層出不窮
céngchūbùqióng more and more emerge / innumerable succession / breeding like flies (idiom)
> 网上的新词层出不穷。
> Wǎngshàng de xīncí céngchū-bùqióng.
> New words keep appearing online all the time.

平庸
píngyōng mediocre / indifferent / commonplace
> 我不想过平庸的一生。
> Wǒ bùxiǎngguo píngyōng de yìshēng.
> I don't want to live a mediocre life.

时隔 時隔
shígé separated in time (usu. followed by a quantity of time)
> 时隔十年，我们又见面了。
> Shígé shínián, wǒmen yòu jiànmiàn le.
> After ten years apart, we met again.

流浪
liúlàng to drift about / to wander / to roam / nomadic / homeless / unsettled (e.g. population) / vagrant
> 我想背着包去远方流浪。
> Wǒ xiǎng bēizhe bāo qù yuǎnfāng liúlàng.
> I want to carry a backpack and wander off to faraway places.