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Words

硬朗
yìnglǎng robust / healthy

> 你爸爸身体真硬朗啊!
> Nǐ bàba shēntǐ zhēn yìnglǎng a!
> Your dad is really healthy!

磨合
móhé to break in / to wear in

> 新同事还需要互相磨合。
> Xīn tóngshì hái xūyào hùxiāng móhé.
> The new colleagues still need time to get used to each other.

脱节 脫節
tuōjié to come apart

> 理论和实际不能脱节。
> Lǐlùn hé shíjì bùnéng tuōjié.
> Theory must not become detached from practice.

记忆犹新 記憶猶新
jìyìyóuxīn to remain fresh in one's memory (idiom)

> 我仍然记忆犹新。
> Wǒ réngrán jìyìyóuxīn.
> It is still fresh in my memory.

逆行
nìxíng to go the wrong way / to go against one-way traffic regulation

> 逆行太危险了，别这样骑。
> Nìxíng tài wēixiǎn le, bié zhèyàng qí.
> Riding the wrong way is too dangerous, so don't ride like that.

顾名思义 顧名思義
gùmíngsīyì as the name implies

> 顾名思义，这家店卖茶。
> Gùmíngsīyì, zhè jiā diàn mài chá.
> As the name implies, this shop sells tea.

亏本 虧本
kuīběn to make a loss

> 亏本的生意我可不做。
> Kuīběn de shēngyi wǒ kěbú zuò.
> I won't do business that loses money.

外星人
wàixīngrén space alien / extraterrestrial

> 我被外星人绑架了。
> Wǒ bèi wàixīngrén bǎngjià le.
> I was abducted by aliens.

强项 強項
qiángxiàng key strength / strong suit / specialty

> 你的强项是什么?
> Nǐ de qiángxiàng shì shénme?
> What are your strong points?

恋恋不舍 戀戀不捨
liànliànbùshě reluctant to part

> 她恋恋不舍地望着窗外的家。
> Tā liànliànbùshě dì wàngzhe chuāng wài de jiā.
> She gazed reluctantly at her home outside the window.

成家
chéngjiā to settle down and get married (of a man) / to become a recognized expert

> 您成家了吗?
> Nín chéngjiā le ma?
> Are you married?

枯萎
kūwěi to wilt / to wither / wilted / withered / drained / enervated / exhausted

> 忘了浇水，花都枯萎了。
> Wàngle jiāoshuǐ, huā dōu kūwěile.
> I forgot to water them, and the flowers have all wilted.

熙熙攘攘
xīxīrǎngrǎng bustling with activity

> 周末的步行街上熙熙攘攘的。
> Zhōumò de bùxíngjiē shàng xīxī-rǎngrǎng de.
> The pedestrian street is bustling on weekends.

盛宴
shèngyàn feast

> 这顿年夜饭简直是一场盛宴。
> Zhè dùn niányèfàn jiǎnzhí shì yìcháng shèngyàn.
> This New Year's Eve dinner is nothing short of a feast.

配角
pèijué supporting role / minor role / to perform together

> 为什么总让我演配角?
> Wèishénme zǒng ràng wǒ yǎn pèijué?
> Why do you always make me play the minor role?

随时随地 隨時隨地

suíshísuídì anytime and anywhere

> 他随时随地都在拍照。
> Tā suíshísuídì dōu zài pāizhào.
> He takes photos anytime and anywhere.

乞讨 乞討

qǐtǎo to beg / to go begging

> 他没有钱，只好在街上乞讨。
> Tā méiyǒu qián, zhǐhǎo zài jiēshang qǐtǎo.
> He had no money, so he had to beg on the street.

剔除

tīchú to reject / to discard / to get rid of

> 吃鱼时要先剔除鱼刺。
> Chī yú shí yào xiān tīchú yúcì.
> When eating fish, first pick out the bones.

怀旧 懷舊

huáijiù to feel nostalgic / nostalgia

> 你为什么这么喜欢怀旧电影？
> Nǐ wèishénme zhème xǐhuan huáijiù diànyǐng?
> Why do you like nostalgic movies so much?

打赌 打賭

dǎdǔ to bet / to make a bet / a wager

> 我打赌他会生气。
> Wǒ dǎdǔ tā huì shēngqì.
> I bet he will get mad.

灵通 靈通

língtōng fast and abundant (news) / clever / effective

> 做生意的人消息要灵通。
> Zuòshēngyì de rén xiāoxi yào língtōng.
> People in business need to be well informed.

疑点 疑點

yídiǎn a doubtful point

> 你觉得这份合同有疑点吗？
> Nǐ juéde zhè fèn hétong yǒu yídiǎn ma?
> Do you think there are any doubtful points in this contract?

道别 道別

dàobié to say goodbye / to bid farewell / to pay a farewell call

> 临走前，我去邻居家道别。
> Línzǒu qián, wǒ qù línjū jiā dàobié.
> Before leaving, I went to my neighbor's home to say farewell.

难能可贵 難能可貴

nánnéngkěguì rare and precious / valuable / remarkable

> 老人捐出积蓄，难能可贵！
> Lǎorén juān chū jīxù, nánnéngkěguì!
> The old man donated his savings, which is remarkable!

冒昧

màomèi bold / presumptuous / to take the liberty of

> 冒昧问一句，您今年多大了？
> Màomèi wèn yíjù, nín jīnnián duō dàle?
> If I may be so bold as to ask, how old are you this year?

务工 務工

wùgōng to work as a laborer

> 他父母一直在外地务工。
> Tā fùmǔ yìzhí zài wàidì wùgōng.
> His parents have always worked as laborers in another city.

半信半疑

bànxìnbànyí half believing, half doubting / not quite convinced / skeptical

> 大家对这个消息都半信半疑。
> Dàjiā duì zhège xiāoxi dōu bànxìnbànyí.
> Everyone is skeptical about this news.

异口同声 異口同聲

yìkǒutóngshēng different mouths, same voice / to speak in unison (idiom)

> 他们异口同声，都说不去。
> Tāmen yìkǒutóngshēng, dōu shuō bú qù.
> They all said in unison that they weren't going.

挟持 挾持

xiéchí to seize (sb) by the arms / to hold under duress / to abduct

> 歹徒挟持了一名乘客。
> Dǎitú xiéchíle yì míng chéngkè.
> The criminal took a passenger hostage.

有的放矢

yǒudìfàngshǐ lit. to have a target in mind when shooting one's arrows (idiom) / fig. to have a clear objective

> 复习应该有的放矢。
> Fùxí yīnggāi yǒudìfàngshǐ.
> You should review with a clear goal in mind.

考量

kǎoliáng to consider / to give serious consideration to sth / consideration

> 安全是我们最重要的考量。
> Ānquán shì wǒmen zuì zhòngyào de kǎoliáng.
> Safety is our most important consideration.

豆子

dòuzi bean / pea

> 我喜欢豆子。
> Wǒ xǐhuan dòuzi.
> I like beans.

黑名单 黑名單

hēimíngdān blacklist

> 我把他拉进了黑名单。
> Wǒ bǎ tā lā jìnle hēimíngdān.
> I put him on my blacklist.

一应俱全 一應俱全

yīyīngjùquán with everything needed available

> 这间公寓家具一应俱全。
> Zhè jiān gōngyù jiājù yìyīngjùquán.
> This apartment comes fully furnished with everything you need.

吊销 吊銷
diàoxiāo to suspend (an agreement) / to revoke

> 为什么执照会被吊销?
> Wèishénme zhízhào huì bèi diàoxiāo?
> Why would a license get revoked?

归根到底 歸根到底
guīgēndàodǐ after all / in the final analysis / ultimately

> 归根到底，他是为你好。
> Guīgēndàodǐ, tā shì wèi nǐ hǎo.
> After all, he means well for you.

扫墓 掃墓
sǎomù to sweep a grave (and pay one's respects to the dead person)

> 你明天有空陪我去扫墓吗?
> Nǐ míngtiān yǒukòng péi wǒ qù sǎomù ma?
> Are you free tomorrow to go with me to visit the grave?

指纹 指紋
zhǐwén fingerprint / the arches, loops and whorls on the fingers

> 指纹都是独特的。
> Zhǐwén dōu shì dútè de.
> Fingerprints are unique.

畏缩 畏縮
wèisuō to cower / to flinch / to quail / to recoil

> 他被吓得畏缩在角落里。
> Tā bèi xià de wèisuō zài jiǎoluò lǐ.
> He was so scared that he cowered in the corner.

下坠 下墜
xiàzhuì to fall / to drop / to droop / to experience tenesmus

> 石头从山上快速下坠。
> Shítou cóng shānshàng kuàisù xiàzhuì.
> The rock fell rapidly down from the mountain.

个案 個案
gè'àn individual case / special case

> 这只是个案，不代表整体情况。
> Zhè zhǐshì gè'àn, bú dàibiǎo zhěngtǐ qíngkuàng.
> This is just an individual case and doesn't represent the overall situation.

侃侃而谈 侃侃而談
kǎnkǎn'értán to speak frankly with assurance

> 她面对记者侃侃而谈。
> Tā miànduì jìzhě kǎnkǎn'értán.
> She spoke calmly and confidently in front of the reporters.

匿名
nìmíng anonymous

> 你想保持匿名身份。
> Nǐ xiǎng bǎochí nìmíng shēnfèn.
> You want to remain anonymous.

司空见惯 司空見慣
sīkōngjiànguàn a common occurrence (idiom)

> 在大城市，堵车早就司空见惯了。
> Zài Dàchéng Shì, dǔchē zǎojiù sīkōngjiànguàn le.
> In big cities, traffic jams have long been a common sight.

放水
fàngshuǐ to turn on the water / to let water out / to throw a game

> 我去浴室给孩子放水洗澡。
> Wǒ qù yùshì gěi háizi fàngshuǐ xǐzǎo.
> I'm going to the bathroom to run water for the kids' bath.

施压 施壓
shīyā to pressure

> 他向我施压。
> Tā xiàng wǒ shīyā.
> He pressured me.

来年 來年
láinián next year / the coming year

死心
sǐxīn to give up / to admit failure / to drop the matter / to reconcile oneself to loss / to have no more illusions about

> 你还是死心吧，他不会同意的。
> Nǐ háishi sǐxīn ba, tā búhuì tóngyì de.
> You'd better drop it, because he won't agree.

独身 獨身
dúshēn unmarried / single / alone

> 他一生独身。
> Tā yìshēng dúshēn.
> He remained single all his life.

畅谈 暢談
chàngtán to talk freely / to discuss without inhibition

> 同学们畅谈对未来的想法。
> Tóngxuémen chàngtán duì wèilái de xiǎngfǎ.
> The students talked openly about their thoughts on the future.