

Episode 18

Vocabulary 圖解詞語

1. drop-dead (adv.) – “drop-dead” is a very colloquial expression meaning extremely

例句：Wow, she is drop-dead gorgeous!

	drop-dead (adv.)	
	drop-dead gorgeous (adj.)	

2. strap (n .) – a narrow strip of fabric

例句：These straps help prevent your vest from falling apart.

	spaghetti-strap (n.)	
strap (v.)	strap (n.)	
	boot-strap (n.)	

A boot-strap is something made of a strap that forms a loop.

A spaghetti-strap is a part of women’s clothing that is a very thin strap.

When used as a verb, to strap would mean the act of fastening together by means of a strap. A commonly used phrase would be “Strap yourselves in!” when in a car or vehicle. This means to fasten your seatbelts.

例句：Make sure the kids are strapped into their car seats before you drive.

3. fan (n.): someone who is an enthusiastic supporter or admirer

例句: I am such a huge fan of Christopher Nolan's films.

fan (n.)	fan (n.)	fan (v.)

A fan can also be a device that provides a current of air (電風扇 or 扇子).

If a peacock fans its tail, it means it spreads its tail in the shape of a fan.

4. celestial (adj.): related to heaven; heavenly or divine

例句: The late afternoon sunlight gave the room a celestial glow.

	celestial (adj.)	

5. charmeuse (n.): a kind of elegant, smooth silk

例句: May is dressed in blue charmeuse.

	charmeuse (n.)	