





① advertise something to the world 讓很多人知道

例: A: You're getting divorced?

B: Keep your voice down. I don't want to advertise it to the world.

A: 你要離婚啦?

B: 小聲點, 我可不想大肆張揚。

2 over the top 過分;太誇張

例: Many people felt the politician's statements were over the top.

很多人都覺得政客的說辭太誇張了。

3 back someone up 支持某人

例: Can you please back me up on this? 在這件事情上你能支持我嗎?

4 talk sense into someone 讓某人認清事實

例: I've tried, but I've been unable to talk any sense into him

我試過了,不過我就是沒辦法讓他聽進去。

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將某些道理灌輸給某人,試著讓某人接受別人說的話,所以就 有「跟某人講道理」的意思。

5 If you insist. 如果你堅持的話;好吧。

例:A: But I really want you to go with me.

B: If you insist.

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A: 但我真的想要你跟我一起去嘛。

B:好啦,好啦。

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這個片語可指某人同意做某事,或同意某事實或說辭:有時也 用來結束一段不甚愉快的談話,來讓對方住口。



1) Did you say you're getting a nose job?

you want to have plastic surgery?

it's going to cost \$5,000?

你說 你要給你的鼻子整容嗎? 你想動整型手術嗎? 那要花五干塊錢嗎?

2 You're supposed to be my friend. support me. agree with me.

你應該 是我的朋友吧。 要支持我吧。 要同意我吧。

My decision's final. made. set.

我心意 已決。 已決。 已決。