



Mystery babysitter

STORY

- accent** (n) the way in which people of a certain area say words 口音 | 口音
advert (n) an advertisement 廣告 | 廣告
attic (n) a room just below the roof of a house 閣樓 | 閣樓
binoculars (n) a tool with two tubes that helps you see things far away
雙筒望遠鏡 | 雙筒望遠鏡
blond (adj) having pale yellow or gold hair 金髮 | 金髮
caught himself (phr) to hold himself back suddenly from saying or doing something
把持自己 | 把持自己
chuckling (v) laughing quietly 輕聲笑 | 輕聲笑
clues (n) something that helps you find the answer 線索 | 線索
delighted (adj) very pleased and happy 高興 | 高興
detective (n) someone whose job is to find out what has happened in a crime
偵探 | 偵探
DIY (phr) short for "Do It Yourself" 自己動手做 | 自己動手做
dude (n) a man 小子 | 小子
dynamo (n) a device for producing electricity 發電機 | 發電機
elf (n) a small person in fairy tales 小精靈 | 小精靈
embarrassed (adj) feeling ashamed 尷尬 | 尷尬
farto (n) an unpleasant person (a fart, Oscar says farto to rhyme with Arto)
討厭的人 | 討厭的人
fists (n) hands with the fingers bent towards the palms 拳頭 | 拳頭
footie (n) football 足球 | 足球
glared (v) looked directly and angrily 怒視 | 怒視
guinea pigs (n) small furry animals 天竺鼠 | 天竺鼠
haggis (n) a dish containing sheep's organs cooked inside a sheep's stomach
雜碎羊肚 | 雜碎羊肚
handyman (n) someone who is good at repairing or making things
雜活工 | 雜活工
hilarious (adj) very funny 引人發笑 | 引人發笑
hooray (int) an expression for showing excitement 好啊 | 好啊
ingredients (n) the food you need to cook something 成分 | 成分
interrupted (v) caused something to stop 中斷 | 中斷
made a fuss of (phr) gave too much attention to something 小題大做 | 小題大做
moaning (n) complaining in an unhappy voice 發牢騷 | 發牢騷
muffled (adj) describing sounds that are soft and unclear 聽不太清 | 聽不太清
muttered (v) spoke in a low voice 嘀咕 | 嘀咕
mystery (n) something that is strange or unknown 謎團 | 謎團
obsessed (adj) cannot stop thinking about something 着迷 | 着迷
on the dot (phr) exactly at the stated time 準時 | 準時

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out of tune (phr) singing the wrong notes 走音 | 走音

panic (n) a strong feeling of fear 恐慌 | 恐慌

poked his nose into (phr) tried to find out something that is not your business
探聽 | 探听

red-handed (adj) caught in the act of doing something wrong 當場抓住 | 当场抓住

rolled his eyes (phr) moved his eyes upwards to show that he was annoyed
or bored 翻白眼 | 翻白眼

shake on it (phr) shake hands to make an agreement 握手成交 | 握手成交

speechless (adj) unable to speak 說不出話 | 说不出话

spy (n) a person who collects secret information about another country or
organisation 間諜 | 间谍

stammering (v) speaking with unusual pauses and/or repeated sounds
結結巴巴地說 | 结结巴巴地说

stream (n) a continuous flow of people 人流 | 人流

stuffed toys (n) toys made using soft cloth filled with soft materials inside
布絨玩具 | 布绒玩具

stunned (adj) too surprised or shocked to speak 目瞪口呆 | 目瞪口呆

sulky (adj) not talking because you are angry 生悶氣 | 生闷气

suspiciously (adv) questioningly 懷疑地 | 怀疑地

teased (v) made fun of 取笑 | 取笑

traditional (adj) following the ways of behaviour which have existed for a
long time without changing 傳統的 | 传统的

winked (v) closed one eye for a short time 使眼色 | 使眼色

work out (phr v) find the answer by thinking about it 想出 | 想出

NATUREBOX

glaciers (n) large masses of ice that move slowly 冰川 | 冰川

shrinking (v) becoming smaller in size 縮小 | 缩小

ZAK JINKS

allergic (adj) feeling sick because you have eaten or touched something 過敏 | 过敏

confiscated (v) took away something as a punishment 沒收 | 没收

console (n) (or game console) a device for playing computer games
電子遊戲機 | 电子游戏机

glutton (n) someone who regularly eats too much 貪吃的人 | 贪吃的人

guzzle (v) eat or drink quickly in large amount 狼吞虎嚥 | 狼吞虎咽

stuffing (n) a mixture of food that is put inside a turkey before it is cooked
餡料 | 馅料

thawing (v) changing from solid form to liquid form because of a rise in temperature
解凍 | 解冻

turkey (n) a large bird that is kept on a farm for its meat 火雞 | 火鸡

up to his tricks (phr) behaving dishonestly again 重施故技 | 重施故技