

## 《三十六计的英文表达方法》

### Thirty-Six Stratagems

- 1.????Cross the sea under camouflage.
- 2.????Relieve the state of Zhao by besieging the state of Wei. 3.????Kill someone with a borrowed knife.
- 4.????Wait for the exhausted enemy at one's ease.
- 5.????Loot a burning house.
- 6.????Clamour in the east, attack in the west.
- 7.????Create something out of nothing.
- 8.????Pretend to take one path while sneaking down the other.
- 9.????Watch a fire burning from the other side of the river.
- 10.????Knife hidden under the smiling face.
- 11.????Sacrifice the plum for the peach.
- 12.????Take the opportunity to pilfer a goat.
- 13.????Disturb the snake by hitting the grass.
- 14.????Borrow another's body to return the soul.
- 15.????Entice the tiger to leave the mountain.
- 16.????To catch something, first let it go.
- 17.????Bait a piece of jade with a brick.
- 18.????To catch the bandit ,first capture their leader.
- 19.????Take away the firewood under the cooking pot.
- 20.????Fish in troubled water.
- 21.????Get away like the cicada sloughing its skin.
- 22.????Shut the door to catch the thief.
- 23.????Befriend a distant state while attacking a neighbor.
- 24.????Obtain safe passage to conquer the enemy.
- 25.????Replace the beams with rotten timbers.

26.????Revile the locust tree while pointing at the mulberry.

27.????Play dumb, remain smart.

28.????Pull down the ladder after ascent.

29.????Deck the tree with bogus blossom.

30.????Make the guest and host change places.

31.???The beauty trap; Use seductive women to corrupt the enemy.

32.???Present a bold front to conceal unpreparedness.

33.???Sow discord among the enemy; Use double agent.

34.???Inflict injury upon oneself to gain trust.

35.???Chain together the enemy's ships.

36.???Run away to fight another day; Escape is the best policy.

