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own medicine 对...以牙还牙A: How should I respond to his attack?我要如何响应他的攻击? B: I think you should give him a taste of his own medicine.我认为你应该以牙还牙。 yuppie\*

DefinitionA young person who works in business, makes lots of money, and buys luxury items. often used in a derogatory way.\*

Example 1) Tom is a classic yuppie -- he has an expensive car, an expensive apartment, and an expensive wife.\* EtymologyComes

from the first letters of the phrase Young Urban ProfessionalWhat a mess! 真是乱! The bird got out of the cage. What a mess in here!鸟

从笼子跑出来了。这里真乱! yawner\* DefinitionSomething that is boring or completely uninteresting.\* Example 1) The film was a real yawner -- I fell asleep after the first twenty minutes.\*

EtymologyA yawn (when you open your mouth, take a deep breath, and stretch your muscles) is a sure sign that you are sleepy or bored.

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