The causative

English B2 · Vocabulary in context

Word	Example
causative /ˈkɔːsətɪv/	“I had my hair cut” is a **causative**. “I had my hair cut”
achievement /əˈtʃiːvmənt/	Finishing the race gave her a sense of **achievement**.
fork /fɔːk/	Turn left at the **fork** in the road.
tragedy /ˈtrædʒədi/	Romeo and Juliet is a **tragedy**. 《 》
salon /ˈsælɒn/	She had her hair cut at a **salon**.
ambiguous /æmˈbɪgjuːəs/	“I saw her duck” is **ambiguous**: a bird, or a movement? “I saw her duck”
I had a haircut (wǒ lǐfà le)	**I had a haircut (wǒ lǐfà le)** yesterday.
persuade /pəˈsweɪd/	I tried to **persuade** him to stay.
exhausting /ɛgˈzɔːstɪŋ/	The long walk was **exhausting**.
structure /ˈstrʌktʃə/	The **structure** of this sentence is subject, verb, object.

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