



zhēng xiān kǒng hòu

争先恐后

verb/idiom · falling over each other; in a mad rush to be first

Example Sentences

hái zǐ men zhēng xiān kǒng hòu dì pǎo xiàng cǎo chǎng
孩子们争先恐后地跑向操场。

The children rushed to the playground, each trying to be first.

dāng zhǔ chí rén xuān bù kě yǐ tí wèn shí jì zhě men zhēng xiān kǒng hòu dì jǔ shǒu shì yì
当主持人宣布可以提问时，记者们争先恐后地举手示意。

When the host announced that questions could be asked, the reporters fell over each other to raise their hands.

wèi shén me dà jiā zǒng shì zhēng xiān kǒng hòu dì zhuī qiú nà xiē zhuǎn shùn jí shì de cháo liú ne
为什么大家总是争先恐后地追求那些转瞬即逝的潮流呢？

Why do people always fall over each other to pursue those fleeting trends?

Trace each character, then write the word on your own.

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