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abroad	<i>adv</i>	/əˈbrɔːd/	Which friend lived abroad ?	1	
academy	<i>n</i>	/əˈkædəmi/	The <i>Conservatorio Giuseppe Verdi</i> is the largest music academy in Italy.	1	
accommodation	<i>n</i>	/əˌkɒməˈdeɪʃ(ə)n/	Which type of accommodation do you require for your holidays?	1	
album	<i>n</i>	/ˈælbəm/	I love the band's latest album .	1	
applicable	<i>adj</i>	/əˈplɪkəb(ə)l/	Write your children's names where applicable .	1	
arrival	<i>n</i>	/əˈraɪv(ə)l/	The date of arrival is Sunday 21 June.	1	
bar	<i>n</i>	/bɑː(r)/	I met my best friend at a bar .	1	
beard	<i>n</i>	/bɪə(r)d/	He had a kind face with a beard .	1	
blind date	<i>n</i>	/blaɪnd ˈdeɪt/	I met my husband on a blind date .	1	
borrow	<i>v</i>	/ˈbɒrəʊ/	Can I borrow your phone charger? I left mine at home.	1	
bubbly	<i>adj</i>	/ˈbʌbli/	Karen has a bubbly personality — always cheerful and friendly.	1	
busker	<i>n</i>	/ˈbʌskə(r)/	My sister is a busker . She plays music on the streets of London.	1	
camper van	<i>n</i>	/ˈkæmpə(r) væn/	They usually go on holidays on a camper van .	1	
carpenter	<i>n</i>	/ˈkɑː(r)pɪntə(r)/	He works as a carpenter , making wooden furniture.	1	
chatty	<i>adj</i>	/ˈtʃæti/	My brother is very chatty and entertaining.	1	
cheers	<i>excl</i>	/tʃiə(r)z/	So you found a new job — cheers to that!	1	
college	<i>n</i>	/ˈkɒlɪdʒ/	The college where I study has students from all over the world.	1	
couple	<i>n</i>	/ˈkʌp(ə)l/	You two make such a good couple . You should get married!	1	
crazy	<i>adj</i>	/ˈkreɪzi/	She always wears such crazy clothes.	1	
crazy about	<i>phr v</i>	/ˈkreɪzi əˈbaʊt/	My mum's crazy about football.	1	
daily	<i>adj</i>	/ˈdeɪli/	I need to call my mum daily or she gets worried.	1	
date	<i>n</i>	/deɪt/	Would you like a date ? They taste delicious.	1	
definitely	<i>adv</i>	/ˈdef(ə)nətli/	I'll definitely meet her again.	1	
delete	<i>v</i>	/dɪˈliːt/	Don't delete your name from the list.	1	
delicious	<i>adj</i>	/dɪˈlɪʃəs/	These kiwis are delicious .	1	
departure	<i>n</i>	/dɪˈpɑː(r)tʃə(r)/	Do you know the departure date?	1	
dietary	<i>adj</i>	/ˈdaɪət(ə)ri/	Have you got any dietary requirements?	1	
early days	<i>phr</i>	/ˈɜː(r)li deɪz/	I'm very happy with Ross, but it's early days yet.	1	
embarrass	<i>v</i>	/ɪmˈbærəs/	Did I embarrass you? You went all red!	1	
embarrassing	<i>adj</i>	/ɪmˈbærəsɪŋ/	I cried in front of everyone. It was so embarrassing !	1	
emergency	<i>n</i>	/ɪˈmɜː(r)dʒ(ə)nsi/	Please write here your emergency contact.	1	
empty	<i>adj</i>	/ˈempti/	Our house feels big and empty since our children left.	1	
excited	<i>adj</i>	/ɪkˈsaɪtɪd/	I got so excited when they said I got the job!	1	
fabulous	<i>adj</i>	/ˈfæbjʊləs/	Sheena is my best friend. She's fabulous .	1	
flatmate	<i>n</i>	/ˈflætˌmeɪt/	Do you have a flatmate or do you live alone?	1	
forever	<i>adj</i>	/fəˈevə(r)/	We met in school and I know we are going to be friends forever .	1	
gender	<i>n</i>	/ˈdʒendə(r)/	What's your child's gender — male or female?	1	
global	<i>adj</i>	/ˈgləʊb(ə)l/	I'd love to be a global traveller and see the world.	1	
heavy	<i>adj</i>	/ˈhevi/	Don't go out in this heavy rain.	1	

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hire	<i>v</i>	/ˈhaɪə(r)/	We're going to fly to Chile and hire a van there.	1	
hostel	<i>n</i>	/ˈhɒst(ə)l/	I stayed at a youth hostel until I found an apartment.	1	
How do you do?	<i>phr</i>	/haʊ duː juː ˈduː/	Hi, I'm Peter Collins. How do you do?	1	
I'm afraid	<i>phr</i>	/aɪm əˈfreɪd/	I'm afraid this seat is not free.	1	
improve	<i>v</i>	/ɪmˈpruːv/	I went to Canada to improve my English.	1	
in common	<i>phrase</i>	/ɪn ˈkɒmən/	I'm surprised they're still together. They have nothing in common .	1	
journalist	<i>n</i>	/ˈdʒɜː(r)nəlɪst/	He worked at a newspaper as a journalist .	1	
jumper	<i>n</i>	/ˈdʒʌmpə(r)/	I love your woolly jumper . It looks very warm.	1	
kind	<i>adj</i>	/kaɪnd/	He looks very kind and friendly.	1	
kiss	<i>v</i>	/kɪs/	Did you kiss him on your first date?	1	
knock over	<i>phr v</i>	/nɒk ˈəʊvə(r)/	Don't get so close to the sea or the waves will knock you over .	1	
lend	<i>v</i>	/lend/	Can you lend me £20?	1	
lose touch	<i>phr</i>	/luːz tʌtʃ/	I don't want to lose touch so I call my friends regularly.	1	
marital status	<i>phr</i>	/ˈmæɪnt(ə)l ˈsteɪtəs/	What's your marital status — married, single ...?	1	
mean	<i>adj</i>	/miːn/	Don't be mean and share your snack.	1	
medical condition	<i>phr</i>	/ˈmedɪk(ə)l kənˈdɪʃ(ə)n/	Do you have any medical condition we should know about?	1	
mess	<i>n</i>	/mes/	This room is such a mess — please tidy it up.	1	
miss	<i>v</i>	/mɪs/	Did you miss me while I was away?	1	
mountain	<i>n</i>	/ˈmaʊntɪn/	Ben Nevis is the highest mountain in Scotland.	1	
my pleasure	<i>phr</i>	/maɪ ˈpleʒə(r)/	You don't need to thank me. It was my pleasure .	1	
nest	<i>n</i>	/nest/	Look! I've found a bird's nest in this tree.	1	
never mind	<i>phr</i>	/ˈnevə(r) maɪnd/	Can't you come to the party? Never mind , perhaps another time.	1	
nickname	<i>n</i>	/ˈnɪkˌneɪm/	Did you have a nickname at school?	1	
no trouble	<i>phr</i>	/nəʊ ˈtrʌb(ə)l/	You don't need to thank me. It was no trouble at all.	1	
noise	<i>n</i>	/nɔɪz/	We miss our children's noise , now they're gone.	1	
obviously	<i>adv</i>	/ˈɒbvɪəsli/	Obviously , our relationship is different now we are grown-ups.	1	
occupation	<i>n</i>	/ˌɒkjʊˈpeɪʃ(ə)n/	What's your occupation ? Are you a teacher as well?	1	
pardon	<i>n</i>	/ˈpɑː(r)d(ə)n/	Pardon ? What did you say?	1	
permanent	<i>adj</i>	/ˈpɜː(r)mənənt/	Is this your permanent address?	1	
pick up	<i>phr v</i>	/pɪk ˈʌp/	I had to pick up his wallet. He dropped it on his way out.	1	
pleasure	<i>n</i>	/ˈpleʒə(r)/	No need to thank me. It was my pleasure .	1	
postcode	<i>n</i>	/ˈpəʊs(t),kəʊd/	Please write your postcode next to your address.	1	
pretty	<i>adj</i>	/ˈprɪti/	She's a pretty girl.	1	
pub	<i>n</i>	/pʌb/	I'm going to the pub . Who's coming?	1	
relationship	<i>n</i>	/rɪˈleɪʃ(ə)nʃɪp/	What's Geena's relationship to you? Is she your cousin?	1	
reporter	<i>n</i>	/rɪˈpɔː(r)tə(r)/	A reporter is interviewing him about the incident.	1	
requirements	<i>n pl</i>	/rɪˈkwaɪə(r)mənts/	Do you have any dietary requirements ?	1	
rescue	<i>v</i>	/ˈreskjuː/	Don't fall into the water. I can't swim so I won't be able to rescue you!	1	
retire	<i>v</i>	/rɪˈtaɪə(r)/	What do you plan to do when you retire ?	1	
reunited	<i>adj</i>	/ˌriːjuːˈnaɪtɪd/	Silvia is my reunited friend. After 12 years, we met again last month.	1	
scholarship	<i>n</i>	/ˈskɒlə(r)ʃɪp/	I got a scholarship to study music.	1	

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seaside	<i>adj</i>	/ˈsiːsaɪd/	Portrush is a lovely seaside town in Northern Ireland.	1	
secondary school	<i>n</i>	/ˌsekənd(ə)ri ˈskuːl/	I work as a teacher at a secondary school .	1	
signature	<i>n</i>	/ˈsɪɡnətʃə(r)/	Write your signature in the space provided.	1	
single	<i>adj</i>	/ˈsɪŋɡ(ə)l/	Are you married or single ?	1	
surname	<i>n</i>	/ˈsɜː(r),neɪm/	Smith is my surname .	1	
surprising	<i>adj</i>	/sə(r)ˈpraɪzɪŋ/	You are here on time. That is surprising !	1	
text	<i>v</i>	/tekst/	Text me tomorrow, when you know the exam results.	1	
unusual	<i>adj</i>	/ʌn ˈjuːʒʊəl/	Luca isn't an unusual name in Italy.	1	
veggie (vegetarian)	<i>n</i>	/ˈvedʒi/	I am a veggie . I don't eat meat or fish.	1	
wardrobe	<i>n</i>	/ˈwɔː(r)dɹəʊb/	I need another wardrobe in my bedroom. I have too many clothes.	1	
well-paid	<i>adj</i>	/wel ˈpeɪd/	She has a well-paid job in an office.	1	
wild	<i>adj</i>	/waɪld/	Ruth is my wild friend. She's so much fun to be with.	1	
wink	<i>v</i>	/wɪŋk/	Can you wink your eyes?	1	
woolly	<i>adj</i>	/ˈwʊli/	I'm wearing a woolly jumper and I'm very hot.	1	
worried	<i>adj</i>	/ˈwʌrɪd/	Are you worried that he won't come?	1	
a handful	<i>phr</i>	/ə ˈhænd(d)fʊl/	Jessica is a bit of a handful — so difficult to control!	2	
absolutely	<i>adv</i>	/ˈæbsəluːtli/	Are you asking me if I'm having a good time in London? Absolutely!	2	
acting	<i>n</i>	/ˈæktɪŋ/	I'm not very good at acting .	2	
art gallery	<i>n</i>	/ɑː(r)t ˈɡæləri/	The National Gallery is my favourite art gallery in London.	2	
beat	<i>v</i>	/biːt/	I'd love to beat him at sports, but he's so good at everything!	2	
believe	<i>v</i>	/bɪˈliːv/	Do you believe in ghosts?	2	
brave	<i>adj</i>	/breɪv/	I wasn't a brave child. I was scared of everything.	2	
competitive	<i>adj</i>	/kəmˈpetətɪv/	My son is very competitive . He always wants to win.	2	
confidence	<i>n</i>	/ˈkɒnfɪd(ə)ns/	I don't need other people to give me confidence .	2	
confident	<i>adj</i>	/ˈkɒnfɪd(ə)nt/	I started to feel more confident when I met my best friend.	2	
countryside	<i>n</i>	/ˈkʌntri,said/	Let's go for a walk in the countryside .	2	
crossword	<i>n</i>	/ˈkrɒs,wɜː(r)d/	Can I do the crossword ?	2	
dependent	<i>adj</i>	/dɪˈpendənt/	He's very dependent on other people.	2	
despite	<i>prep</i>	/dɪˈspait/	Despite the weather, we went for a nice walk.	2	
disagree	<i>v</i>	/ˌdɪsəˈɡriː/	I strongly disagree with you. I think you're wrong.	2	
divorced	<i>adj</i>	/dɪˈvɔː(r)st/	She was married for seven years, but now she's divorced .	2	
dress	<i>n</i>	/dres/	I love your dress . Where did you buy it?	2	
dye	<i>v</i>	/daɪ/	I want to dye my hair red.	2	
equally	<i>adv</i>	/ˈiːkwəli/	I love being with friends, but I'm equally happy on my own.	2	
experiment	<i>v</i>	/ɪkˈsperɪmənt/	My dad loves to experiment with new recipes.	2	
explore	<i>v</i>	/ɪkˈsplɔː(r)/	I would like to explore new places on my own.	2	
express an opinion	<i>phr</i>	/ɪkˈspres ən əˈpɪnjən/	Is it difficult for you to express an opinion in a group?	2	
fence	<i>n</i>	/fens/	The ball went over the fence into my neighbour's garden.	2	
fight	<i>v</i>	/faɪt/	You need to fight for yourself.	2	
forget	<i>v</i>	/fə(r)ˈget/	Forget about the flat, it was awful.	2	
grown-up	<i>n</i>	/ˈɡrəʊn ʌp/	I'd love to live with friends when I'm a grown-up .	2	
headphones	<i>n pl</i>	/ˈhed,fəʊnz/	I always listen to music on headphones when I'm on the train.	2	
homework	<i>n</i>	/ˈhəʊm,wɜː(r)k/	Have you got any homework today?	2	

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hopeless	<i>adj</i>	/ˈhəʊpləs/	Don't tell her anything private. She's hopeless at keeping secrets.	2	
identical	<i>adj</i>	/aɪˈdentɪk(ə)l/	We are identical twins.	2	
ill	<i>adj</i>	/ɪl/	My grandmother is ill . I'm going to visit her.	2	
independent	<i>adj</i>	/ˌɪndɪˈpendənt/	Are you an independent person?	2	
ingredients	<i>n pl</i>	/ɪnˈɡriːdiənts/	Have you got all the ingredients for the recipe?	2	
invite	<i>v</i>	/ɪnˈvaɪt/	My new neighbours didn't invite me to their party.	2	
jealous	<i>adj</i>	/ˈdʒeləs/	My brother is jealous of me because I have a girlfriend.	2	
keep in touch	<i>phr</i>	/kiːp ɪn ˈtʌtʃ/	I use social networking sites to keep in touch with my friends.	2	
lazy	<i>adj</i>	/ˈleɪzi/	Don't be so lazy ! Get up and do something!	2	
lie-in	<i>n</i>	/ˈlaɪ ɪn/	I love to have a lie-in on Sunday mornings.	2	
magazine	<i>n</i>	/ˌmæɡəˈziːn/	Could you please go to the newsagent's and buy me a magazine ?	2	
neighbour	<i>n</i>	/ˈneɪbə(r)/	My neighbour is one of my best friends.	2	
notice	<i>v</i>	/ˈnəʊtɪs/	She thinks young people don't notice old people, but it isn't true.	2	
pay no attention	<i>phr</i>	/peɪ nəʊ əˈtenʃ(ə)n/	You can complain all you want. I'm going to pay no attention .	2	
personality	<i>n</i>	/ˌpɜː(r)səˈnæləti/	My sister and I have a similar personality . We are both shy.	2	
play	<i>n</i>	/pleɪ/	Peter's son is acting at the school play .	2	
polite	<i>adj</i>	/pəˈlaɪt/	I'm lucky with my neighbour. She's very polite .	2	
postman	<i>n</i>	/ˈpəʊs(t)mən/	The postman gave me the wrong letter.	2	
practice	<i>n</i>	/ˈpræktɪs/	Don't worry if it isn't right the first time. It takes practice .	2	
puzzle	<i>n</i>	/ˈpʌz(ə)l/	I never stay at home to do a puzzle . It's so boring.	2	
quiz	<i>n</i>	/kwɪz/	Try this magazine personality quiz . It's really good.	2	
recipe	<i>n</i>	/ˈresəpi/	I'd like to try this new recipe .	2	
rich	<i>adj</i>	/rɪtʃ/	She's a rich lady. She has a lot of money.	2	
saxophone	<i>n</i>	/ˈsæksəˌfəʊn/	I play the saxophone in a band.	2	
scary	<i>adj</i>	/ˈskeəri/	Chloe doesn't like speaking in front of people. She finds it scary .	2	
score	<i>n</i>	/skɔː(r)/	Did you do the quiz? What's your score ?	2	
shy	<i>adj</i>	/ʃaɪ/	Don't be shy . Tell them what you think.	2	
smart	<i>adj</i>	/smɑː(r)t/	I don't usually wear smart clothes after work.	2	
solitary	<i>adj</i>	/ˈsɒlət(ə)ri/	He never enjoyed being with other people. He was a solitary boy.	2	
solve	<i>v</i>	/sɒlv/	You've got to learn to solve your problems on your own.	2	
suit	<i>v</i>	/suːt/	These clothes suit you. They look really good on you.	2	
suspicious	<i>adj</i>	/səˈspɪʃəs/	My neighbour is suspicious of young people. She doesn't trust them.	2	
takeaway	<i>n</i>	/ˈteɪkəˌweɪ/	On Fridays, I usually have a takeaway at my friend's house.	2	
tattoo	<i>n</i>	/ˈtæˌtuː/	She has a tattoo on her left shoulder.	2	
twins	<i>n pl</i>	/ˈtwɪnz/	My sisters are identical twins .	2	
usually	<i>adv</i>	/ˈjuːʒuəli/	I don't usually go out on weekdays.	2	
village	<i>n</i>	/ˈvɪlɪdʒ/	We live in a small village in the Cotswolds.	2	
accident	<i>n</i>	/ˈæksɪd(ə)nt/	There was an accident this morning: a car hit the traffic light.	3	
afford	<i>v</i>	/əˈfɔː(r)d/	I love this dress but I can't afford it. It's too expensive for me.	3	
air conditioning	<i>n</i>	/ˈeə(r) kənˌdɪʃ(ə)nɪŋ/	Don't sleep with the air conditioning on. You may catch a cold.	3	
angry	<i>adj</i>	/ˈæŋɡri/	You could tell by the tone of his voice that he was angry .	3	
appointment	<i>n</i>	/əˈpɔɪntmənt/	Did you book an appointment with the doctor for next Friday?	3	
assassin	<i>n</i>	/əˈsæsn/	Scaramanga is an assassin hired to kill James Bond.	3	

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bang	v	/bæŋ/	Close the window carefully, don't bang it shut.	3	
boss	n	/bɒs/	I'll ask my boss if I can take the day off.	3	
breathe	v	/bri:ð/	Don't get nervous. Breathe deeply and relax.	3	
bricklayer	n	/'bri:k,leɪə(r)/	He works in construction as a bricklayer .	3	
bullet	n	/'bʊlɪt/	There was gunfire and he got a bullet in his leg.	3	
capture	v	/'kæptʃə(r)/	They tried to capture me, but I managed to escape.	3	
cardboard box	n	/'kɑ:(r)d,bɔ:(r)d 'bɒks/	The toy came in a cardboard box .	3	
checkout	n	/'tʃekəʊt/	There was a long queue at the supermarket checkout .	3	
club together	phr v	/klʌb tə'geðə(r)/	We all clubbed together at work to buy Lisa a wedding gift.	3	
coast	n	/kəʊst/	My dad lives by the sea, in a small village on the Argentinian coast .	3	
continually	adv	/kən'tɪnjʊəli/	My best friend is continually on Facebook. He spends hours on it.	3	
covered	adj	/'kʌvə(r)d/	The penguin's feathers were covered in oil.	3	
creep	v	/kri:p/	He got out of bed and started to creep towards the window.	3	
curse	v	/kɜ:(r)s/	Please, don't curse . It's rude.	3	
curtain	n	/'kɜ:(r)t(ə)n/	She was hiding behind the window curtain .	3	
cut	v	/kʌt/	I cut my finger while I cooked dinner.	3	
darkness	n	/'dɑ:(r)knəs/	I couldn't see until my eyes got used to the darkness .	3	
description	n	/dɪ'skɹɪpʃ(ə)n/	Do you have a description of the man we're waiting for?	3	
die	v	/daɪ/	Scaramanda wants James Bond to die .	3	
disappear	v	/,dɪsə'piə(r)/	The penguin didn't disappear completely. It returned after 4 months.	3	
enjoy	v	/ɪn'dʒɔɪ/	Did you enjoy yourself at the party?	3	
escape	v	/ɪ'skeɪp/	James Bond managed to escape from Sacaramanga.	3	
exactly	adv	/ɪg'zæk(t)li/	Your daughter looks exactly like you.	3	
excellent	adj	/'eksələnt/	Her Spanish is excellent ! She speaks so well.	3	
expiry date	n	/ɪk'spaɪəri deɪt/	What's the expiry date on your credit card?	3	
feathers	n pl	/'feðə(r)z/	Beautiful new feathers grew on the penguin's back.	3	
feed	v	/fi:d/	What did you feed the penguin? Sardines?	3	
finishing line	n	/'fɪnɪʃɪŋ laɪn/	The Brownlee brothers run together to the finishing line .	3	
fluently	adv	/'flu:əntli/	My mum speaks Spanish fluently .	3	
furious	adj	/'fjʊəriəs/	I was furious that he didn't come to the meeting.	3	
generously	adv	/'dʒenərəsli/	My aunt paid the painter very generously .	3	
gradually	adv	/'grædʒuəli/	Gradually , I learned to smile again.	3	
guess	v	/ges/	If you don't know the answer, you'll have to guess .	3	
guiltily	adv	/'gɪltɪli/	She looked at me, guiltily . She had something to confess.	3	
gun	n	/gʌn/	In the movie, James Bond took his gun from under his pillow.	3	
gunshot	n	/'gʌn,ʃɒt/	The window banging shut sounded like a gunshot .	3	
happily	adv	/'hæpɪli/	Leah ran into his dad's arms happily .	3	
headfirst	adv	/,hed'fɜ:(r)st/	She fell headfirst into a fountain.	3	
headline	n	/'hed,laɪn/	The newspaper headline says Martha was injured in the accident.	3	
honk	v	/hɒŋk/	Do penguins honk when they are happy?	3	
injured	adj	/'ɪndʒə(r)d/	Lisa was injured when she was texting a friend.	3	
invitation	n	/,ɪnvɪ'teɪʃ(ə)n/	Thank you for your invitation . Unfortunately, I can't come.	3	
luxurious	adj	/lʌg'zjʊəriəs/	They live in a luxurious house in the centre of Paris.	3	

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midnight	<i>n</i>	/ˈmɪdˌnaɪt/	He arrived at midnight and went straight to bed.	3	
motorway	<i>n</i>	/ˈməʊtə(r),weɪ/	The police stopped me on the motorway because I was speeding.	3	
oil	<i>n</i>	/ɔɪl/	The penguin's feathers were covered in oil .	3	
painter	<i>n</i>	/ˈpeɪntə(r)/	My granny hired a painter to paint her portrait.	3	
passionately	<i>adv</i>	/ˈpæʃ(ə)nətli/	They loved each other passionately .	3	
payday	<i>n</i>	/peɪˈdeɪ/	I won't buy you that toy until payday , when I get the cheque.	3	
peacefully	<i>adv</i>	/ˈpiːsf(ə)li/	The baby slept peacefully all night.	3	
penguin	<i>n</i>	/ˈpeŋɡwɪn/	A penguin is a type of bird, but it can't fly.	3	
pillow	<i>n</i>	/ˈpɪləʊ/	The bed was comfortable, but the pillow was too soft.	3	
poem	<i>n</i>	/ˈpəʊɪm/	My favourite poem is Shakespeare's sonnet XVIII.	3	
portrait	<i>n</i>	/ˈpɔː(r)trɪt/	There's a portrait of my Aunt Camilla at the local art gallery.	3	
refuse	<i>v</i>	/rɪˈfjuːz/	She was so unhappy with his work that she refused to pay him.	3	
robber	<i>n</i>	/ˈrɒbə(r)/	The robber escaped in a car that was parked outside the bank.	3	
sardine	<i>n</i>	/sɑː(r)ˈdiːn/	He gave the penguin a sardine as a reward for the trick.	3	
seashore	<i>n</i>	/ˈsiːʃɔː(r)/	I'm going down to the seashore for a walk. Would you like to come?	3	
secret agent	<i>n</i>	/ˈsiːkrətˈeɪdʒ(ə)nt/	James Bond is a famous fictional secret agent .	3	
sick	<i>adj</i>	/sɪk/	You don't look well. Are you feeling sick ?	3	
spot	<i>v</i>	/spɒt/	They are identical twins. I can't spot any difference.	3	
spy	<i>n</i>	/spaɪ/	He was a spy for the secret service.	3	
staff	<i>n</i>	/stɑːf/	The staff were really kind and helped me with my shopping.	3	
stall	<i>n</i>	/stɔːl/	Let's go to the food stall to buy a sandwich.	3	
strong	<i>adj</i>	/strɒŋ/	After my illness, it took me a while to get strong again.	3	
studio	<i>n</i>	/ˈstjuːdiəʊ/	The painter rented a studio in the town centre.	3	
tail	<i>n</i>	/teɪl/	Bulldogs have a really short tail .	3	
tear	<i>n</i>	/teə(r)/	When I looked at him a tear was rolling down his face. It was so sad.	3	
thump	<i>v</i>	/θʌmp/	I was so excited I could hear my heart thump .	3	
tiny	<i>adj</i>	/ˈtaɪni/	The penguin was tiny when it was born.	3	
triathlon	<i>n</i>	/traɪˈæθlən/	In a triathlon , athletes have to run, swim and cycle.	3	
urgently	<i>adv</i>	/ˈɜː(r)dʒ(ə)ntli/	Quick, James! Help me in!', Mary whispered urgently .	3	
vase	<i>n</i>	/vaːz/	He tripped and dropped a vase of flowers.	3	
wallet	<i>n</i>	/ˈwɒlɪt/	I lost my wallet while I was shopping.	3	
whisper	<i>v</i>	/ˈwɪspə(r)/	It's rude to whisper in front of other people.	3	
alcohol	<i>n</i>	/ˈælkəˌhɒl/	Don't drink any alcohol if you are going to drive.	4	
attraction	<i>n</i>	/əˈtrækʃ(ə)n/	The main attraction in the city of Bath are the Roman Baths.	4	
bake	<i>v</i>	/beɪk/	These cookies are delicious. Did you bake them?	4	
baking	<i>n</i>	/beɪkɪŋ/	Have you got any baking chocolate?	4	
bitterly	<i>adv</i>	/ˈbɪtə(r)li/	The night was bitterly cold.	4	
bunch	<i>n</i>	/bʌntʃ/	Can I have a bunch of bananas, please?	4	
can	<i>n</i>	/kæn/	He cut himself opening a can of tuna fish.	4	
caramel	<i>n</i>	/ˈkærəmel/	I love caramel sauce. It's so sweet.	4	
chef	<i>n</i>	/ʃef/	My dad works as a chef at a famous restaurant.	4	
chewing gum	<i>n</i>	/ˈtʃuːɪŋˌɡʌm/	Chewing gum is a type of sweet. You chew it but you don't swallow it.	4	
chillies	<i>n pl</i>	/ˈtʃɪlɪz/	Chillies are usually hot and spicy.	4	

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complaint	<i>n</i>	/kəm'pleɪnt/	The restaurant was so successful they never had a complaint .	4	
contented	<i>adj</i>	/kən'tentɪd/	My granddad was a happy and contented man.	4	
cookies	<i>n pl</i>	/'kʊkɪz/	Chocolate chip cookies are my favourite.	4	
crisps	<i>n pl</i>	/krɪspz/	I ate a bag of crisps before lunch today. I was so hungry.	4	
curry	<i>n</i>	/'kʌrɪ/	My favourite food is spicy Indian curry .	4	
decaf	<i>abbrev</i>	/'di:kæf/	I love coffee, but I usually have it decaf .	4	
delicatessen	<i>n</i>	/,delɪkə'tes(ə)n/	This new pastrami is a delicatessen . Try it!	4	
discover	<i>v</i>	/dɪ'skʌvə(r)/	I didn't discover I didn't have any salt until I started cooking.	4	
dough	<i>n</i>	/dɒʊ/	The dough for the bread is ready.	4	
engineer	<i>n</i>	/,endʒɪ'niə(r)/	My daughter is studying to become an engineer .	4	
flavour	<i>n</i>	/'fleɪvə(r)/	Strawberry is my favourite chewing gum flavour .	4	
fork	<i>n</i>	/fɔː(r)k/	You can't eat crisps with a fork .	4	
french fries	<i>n pl</i>	/'frentʃ 'fraɪz/	Would you like some French fries with your hamburger?	4	
fridge	<i>n</i>	/'frɪdʒ/	I was making omelettes, so I took some eggs out of the fridge .	4	
fry	<i>v</i>	/'fraɪ/	Did you fry the fish? It is delicious.	4	
fussy	<i>adj</i>	/'fʌsi/	I was never a fussy eater. I liked everything!	4	
glasses	<i>n pl</i>	/'glɑːsɪz/	I can't see without my glasses .	4	
guest	<i>n</i>	/gest/	The hotel guest complained about the service.	4	
hike	<i>v</i>	/haɪk/	We didn't come to the mountain to ski, we want to hike .	4	
ice lolly	<i>n</i>	/aɪs 'lɒli/	My kids love to have an ice lolly when it's hot.	4	
ID	<i>abbrev</i>	/aɪ 'di/	Have you got any ID to prove you're over 18?	4	
increase	<i>n</i>	/'ɪnkriːs/	There was an increase in sales of chocolate bars due to Mary's recipe.	4	
industrial	<i>adj</i>	/'ɪndʌstriəl/	I live in an industrial town outside London.	4	
invent	<i>v</i>	/'ɪn'vent/	It's very difficult to invent something totally new.	4	
lick	<i>v</i>	/lɪk/	You don't chew ice lollies, you lick them.	4	
lift	<i>n</i>	/lɪft/	Could you please give me a lift to the airport?	4	
loaf	<i>n</i>	/ləʊf/	Can I have a loaf of white bread, please?	4	
lose	<i>v</i>	/luːz/	As adults, we lose a lot of taste buds.	4	
match	<i>n</i>	/'mætʃ/	We need a match to light a fire.	4	
melt	<i>v</i>	/melt/	Chocolate chips don't melt completely in the oven.	4	
newsagent's	<i>n</i>	/'njuːz,eɪdʒ(ə)nts/	I bought your birthday card at the newsagent's .	4	
off-licence	<i>n</i>	/'ɒf laɪs(ə)ns/	I'll go to the off-licence to get a bottle of wine.	4	
olive	<i>n</i>	/'ɒlɪv/	You have to try the Kalamata olive when you are in Greece.	4	
omelette	<i>n</i>	/'ɒmlət/	There are no eggs in the fridge so you can't make an omelette .	4	
original	<i>adj</i>	/'ə'rɪdʒ(ə)nəl/	The original US name for ice lollies is popsicles.	4	
out of this world	<i>phr</i>	/aʊt əv ðɪs 'wɜː(r)ld/	The views from the hotel window were out of this world .	4	
packet	<i>n</i>	/'pækɪt/	Can I have a packet of crisps, please?	4	
patent	<i>n</i>	/'peɪt(ə)nt/	Frank Epperson sold the patent for his popsicles.	4	
petrol	<i>n</i>	/'petrəl/	Is there any petrol in the car?	4	
popular	<i>adj</i>	/'pɒpjələ(r)/	Ice lollies are very popular with kids.	4	
porch	<i>n</i>	/pɔː(r)tʃ/	The kids are playing on the front porch .	4	
postcard	<i>n</i>	/'pəʊs(t),kɑː(r)d/	Send me a postcard when you get to Italy.	4	
powder	<i>n</i>	/'paʊdə(r)/	Ice lollies are made by mixing flavoured powder with water.	4	

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publish	v	/ˈpʌblɪʃ/	Did they publish your article in the local newspaper?	4	
receive	v	/rɪˈsiːv/	When did you receive the letter?	4	
roast chicken	n	/rəʊst ˈtʃɪkɪn/	We're having roast chicken for dinner.	4	
secret	n	/ˈsiːkrət/	What's the secret to a long happy life?	4	
shopkeeper	n	/ˈʃɒp.kiːpə(r)/	My dad was a shopkeeper . He had a fish and chip shop.	4	
slice	n	/slaɪs/	You have to slice the potato really thin to make crisps.	4	
sparkling	adj	/ˈspɑː(r)k(ə)lɪŋ/	How would you like the water, still or sparkling ?	4	
spectacular	adj	/spekˈtækjələ(r)/	The views from the mountain top were spectacular .	4	
spicy	adj	/ˈspaɪsi/	Young children don't usually like spicy curries.	4	
spinach	n	/ˈspɪnɪdʒ/	Spinach is my favourite vegetable.	4	
spoon	n	/spuːn/	He served the vegetables with a spoon .	4	
spoonful	n	/ˈspuːnfʊl/	Add a spoonful of sugar to the mixture.	4	
sprouts	n pl	/spraʊts/	Sprouts are small, round and green and taste like cabbage.	4	
strange	adj	/streɪndʒ/	It was strange that he called so late.	4	
successful	adj	/səkˈsesf(ə)l/	The company that bought the patent became very successful .	4	
supply	n	/səˈplaɪ/	Wouldn't it be great to have a lifetime's supply of chocolate?	4	
taste	v	/teɪst/	These cookies taste delicious. You have to give me the recipe.	4	
taste buds	n pl	/ˈteɪst bʌdz/	We use the taste buds in our tongue to recognize different flavours.	4	
thin	adj	/θɪn/	Thin crispy vegetables are my favourite.	4	
tissues	n pl	/ˈtɪʃuːz/	I can't stop sneezing! Have you got a box of tissues ?	4	
tongue	n	/tʌŋ/	Supertasters have more taste buds in their tongue than most people.	4	
tuna	n	/ˈtjuːnə/	Cats usually love tuna .	4	
unexpected	adj	/ˌʌnɪkˈspektɪd/	His success was unexpected . Nobody thought it would happen.	4	
wax paper	n	/wæks ˈpeɪpə(r)/	They sell their fish and chips in wax paper .	4	
whisky	n	/ˈwɪski/	He drank a glass of whisky and went to bed.	4	
advertising	n	/ˈædvə(r)taɪzɪŋ/	Marek works in advertising . He designs ads for television.	5	
ambition	n	/æmˈbɪʃ(ə)n/	His ambition was to become a doctor.	5	
apply	v	/əˈplaɪ/	I'm going to apply for a job in a big company.	5	
arrest	v	/əˈrest/	The police went to his room to arrest him.	5	
as usual	phrase	/æz ˈjuːʒʊəl/	He's going to be late, as usual .	5	
attack	n	/əˈtæk/	Teenagers are behind some of the most notorious cyber attacks .	5	
average	n	/ˈæv(ə)rɪdʒ/	The average age of a hacker is just 17.	5	
award	n	/əˈwɔː(r)d/	He won an award for one of his ads.	5	
ballet	n	/ˈbæleɪ/	My son wants to train to be a ballet dancer.	5	
break	n	/breɪk/	You work too much. You need a break .	5	
brilliant	adj	/ˈbrɪljənt/	You're brilliant with kids. You should be a teacher.	5	
bully	v	/ˈbʊli/	We didn't bully him. We tried to make friends with him.	5	
career	n	/kəˈrɪə(r)/	Leaving his job was a bad career decision.	5	
carry out	phr v	/kæri ˈaʊt/	He didn't carry out 800 virus attacks. They were nearly 600.	5	
catch up	phr v	/kætʃ ˈʌp/	Hi! I'm just calling to catch up with your news.	5	
competition	n	/ˌkɒmpəˈtɪʃ(ə)n/	We had a competition to see who scored the most goals.	5	
course	n	/kɔː(r)s/	Do you know which course you are going to study next year?	5	
court	n	/kɔː(r)t/	They took Adam Mudd to court for creating and selling a virus.	5	

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crash	v	/kræʃ/	The virus was used to crash websites all over the world.	5	
create	v	/kri'eɪt/	Why did he create the software?	5	
cyber criminal	n	/saɪbə(r) 'krɪmɪn(ə)l/	He sold the programme to a cyber criminal .	5	
debts	n pl	/dets/	I need to pay off a debt of £15,000.	5	
definite	adj	/'def(ə)nət/	Have you got any definite plans for this weekend?	5	
develop	v	/dɪ'veləp/	You need to train hard to develop your talent.	5	
disappointed	adj	/.dɪsə'pɔɪntɪd/	I think you'll enjoy the film. You won't be disappointed .	5	
doubt	v	/daʊt/	Do you really think he'll come to the party? I doubt it.	5	
earn	v	/ɜ:(r)n/	Does Marek earn a lot of money in his new job?	5	
exam	n	/ɪg'zæm/	You won't pass your exam if you don't study harder.	5	
fall out	phr v	/fɔ:l 'aʊt/	We were very good friends. I never thought I could fall out with him.	5	
fashion	n	/'fæʃ(ə)n/	She loves clothes, so she's doing a course on fashion design.	5	
favourite	adj	/'feɪv(ə)rət/	My favourite hobby is swimming.	5	
fed up	adj	/fed 'ʌp/	I'm so fed up with taking exams!	5	
get on (well) with	phr v	/get ɒn ('wel) wɪð/	I like my new boss. I get on well with him.	5	
give up	phr v	/gɪv 'ʌp/	If you like dancing so much, don't give up !	5	
grandparents	n pl	/'græn(d),peərənts/	My grandaparents live in Germany. I visit them every summer.	5	
grow up	phr v	/grəʊ 'ʌp/	What do you want to be when you grow up ?	5	
hacker	n	/'hækə(r)/	He was a hacker and got a really good IT job.	5	
homesick	adj	/'həʊm,sɪk/	I feel a bit homesick when I travel.	5	
idiomatic	adj	/.ɪdiə'mætɪk/	Her Italian is fluent and idiomatic .	5	
landscape design	n	/'læn(d),skeɪp dɪ'zain/	I'm interested in gardens so I'm going to do landscape design .	5	
leap	v	/li:p/	He's a ballet dancer and he can leap really high.	5	
literal	adj	/'lɪt(ə)rəl/	The literal meaning of take is 'to lift'.	5	
look after	phr v	/lʊk 'ɑ:ftə(r)/	When I was young, I had to look after my baby brother.	5	
look forward to	phr v	/lʊk 'fɔ:(r)wə(r)d tu: /	I look forward to seeing you again.	5	
look up	phr v	/lʊk 'ʌp/	If you don't know the meaning of a word, look it up in a dictionary!	5	
miserable	adj	/'mɪz(ə)rəb(ə)l/	Fighting with a friend makes you feel miserable .	5	
notorious	adj	/nəʊ'tɔ:riəs/	He was notorious for his crimes.	5	
owe	v	/əʊ/	My daughter owes me £100. She hasn't paid me yet.	5	
paramedic	n	/.pərə'medɪk/	I work as a paramedic . I try to help sick people.	5	
pay back	phr v	/peɪ 'bæk/	I'll lend you the money but please pay me back as soon as you can.	5	
principal	adj	/'prɪnsəp(ə)l/	Joel's dream is to become the principal dancer at the ballet company.	5	
prison	n	/'prɪz(ə)n/	Mudd will spend the next two years in prison for cyber crime.	5	
program	n	/'prəʊgræm/	Hackers used his computer program to crash websites worldwide.	5	
run out of	phr v	/rʌn 'aʊt əv/	I have to stop at the petrol station or I'll run out of petrol.	5	
slum	n	/slʌm/	A slum is an area of a city that is very poor and in bad condition.	5	
soul	n	/səʊl/	I'll tell you my secret, but don't tell a soul .	5	
stressful	adj	/'stresf(ə)l/	My job is so stressful . I need a break!	5	
suitable	adj	/'su:təb(ə)l/	The kitchen isn't a suitable place for a meeting.	5	
take off	phr v	/teɪk 'ɒf/	Come in and take off your coat.	5	
take up	phr v	/teɪk 'ʌp/	I'm going to take up dancing lessons this year.	5	
talent	n	/'tælənt/	I wanted to become a musician but I had no talent .	5	

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traffic jam	<i>n</i>	/'træfɪk dʒæm/	We were stuck in a traffic jam for two hours!	5	
try on	<i>phr v</i>	/traɪ 'ɒn/	Can I try on your dress? It looks so pretty.	5	
turn off	<i>phr v</i>	/tɜː(r)n 'ɒf/	Turn off the lights before you leave.	5	
turn round	<i>phr v</i>	/tɜː(r)n 'raʊnd/	Turn round and let me see the back of that dress. It looks great.	5	
username	<i>n</i>	/'juːzə(r),neɪm/	You need a username and password to use this computer.	5	
virus	<i>n</i>	/'vaɪrəs/	He created a computer virus and carried out 600 cyber attacks.	5	
ability	<i>n</i>	/əˈbɪləti/	Princess Diana had a special ability to connect with ordinary people.	6	
accountant	<i>n</i>	/əˈkaʊntənt/	An accountant checks my financial accounts.	6	
actor	<i>n</i>	/'æktə(r)/	Is Daniel Craig the actor of the latest James Bond movie?	6	
adviser	<i>n</i>	/ədˈvaɪzə(r)/	Diana's adviser suggested that she shouldn't touch sick people.	6	
afraid	<i>adj</i>	/əˈfreɪd/	Are you afraid of heights?	6	
amazing	<i>adj</i>	/əˈmeɪzɪŋ/	It's amazing how much the Roman civilization accomplished.	6	
ancestor	<i>n</i>	/'ænsəstə(r)/	My grandmother told me my ancestors were actually Lebanese.	6	
ancient	<i>adj</i>	/'eɪnʃ(ə)nt/	Why do many things in modern Britain come from ancient Rome?	6	
announce	<i>v</i>	/əˈnaʊns/	The government will announce a new tax on petrol soon.	6	
aqueduct	<i>n</i>	/'ækwɪ,dʌkt/	Segovia in Spain is famous for its Roman aqueduct .	6	
archaeology	<i>n</i>	/.ɑː(r)ki'ɒlədʒi/	Archaeology studies the cultures of the past by examining its remains.	6	
argument	<i>n</i>	/'ɑː(r)ɡjʊmənt/	I had an argument with him at work and we fell out.	6	
armies	<i>n pl</i>	/'ɑː(r)mɪz/	The Romans built the highways for their armies .	6	
artist	<i>n</i>	/'ɑː(r)tɪst/	After <i>The Beatles</i> , John Lenon became a solo artist .	6	
assistant	<i>n</i>	/əˈsɪst(ə)nt/	He helps me out with my work. He's my assistant .	6	
avoid	<i>v</i>	/əˈvɔɪd/	How did rich people avoid paying taxes in ancient Rome?	6	
biography	<i>n</i>	/baɪˈɒɡrəfi/	A biography is the story of a person's life.	6	
catch	<i>v</i>	/kætʃ/	Put on some warm clothes or you'll catch a cold.	6	
celebrity	<i>n</i>	/səˈleɪbrəti/	Princess Diana was a celebrity — everybody knew who she was.	6	
charity	<i>n</i>	/'tʃærəti/	She was famous for her charity work, helping people in need.	6	
cleaner	<i>n</i>	/'kliːnə(r)/	My grandma worked as a cleaner and dressmaker.	6	
coin	<i>n</i>	/kɔɪn/	Have you got a euro coin for the vending machine?	6	
contact	<i>n</i>	/'kɒntækt/	You can't catch leprosy through physical contact .	6	
currency	<i>n</i>	/'kʌrənsɪ/	What currency do they use in Sweden, the euro or the Swedish Krona?	6	
date	<i>v</i>	/deɪt/	Prince Harry and Meghan Markle started to date in 2016.	6	
death	<i>n</i>	/deθ/	News about Diana's death came as a shock.	6	
destroy	<i>v</i>	/dɪ'strɔɪ/	The <i>HALO</i> organisation finds and destroys landmines.	6	
discovery	<i>n</i>	/dɪ'skʌv(ə)rɪ/	Have you ever made an important discovery ?	6	
distant	<i>adj</i>	/'dɪstənt/	Do you think we'll be able to travel to a distant planet in the future?	6	
dressmaker	<i>n</i>	/'dres,meɪkə(r)/	My grandma was a dressmaker . She made dresses for a local shop.	6	
economist	<i>n</i>	/'iːkənəmɪst/	An economist studies how a society organises its money.	6	
electrician	<i>n</i>	/ɪˌlek'trɪʃ(ə)n/	I called an electrician to set up all the electrical equipment at home.	6	
empire	<i>n</i>	/'empaɪə(r)/	The Roman empire is one of my favourite periods in ancient History.	6	
environment	<i>n</i>	/ɪnˈvaɪrənmənt/	Excess of traffic pollutes the environment .	6	
execute	<i>v</i>	/'eksɪ,kjuːt/	Few countries execute prisoners these days.	6	
exhibition	<i>n</i>	/.eksɪ'bɪʃ(ə)n/	Have you seen the Tutankhamun exhibition at the British museum?	6	

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expense	<i>n</i>	/ɪk'spens/	They renovated their house at great expense .	6	
fame	<i>n</i>	/feɪm/	She won instant fame with her latest movie.	6	
footsteps	<i>n pl</i>	/ˈfʊt,steps/	Julian Lennon became a musician, following in his dad's footsteps .	6	
foreign	<i>adj</i>	/ˈfɒrɪn/	Have you ever lived in a foreign country?	6	
glove	<i>n</i>	/glʌv/	Can I borrow your gardening gloves ?	6	
government	<i>n</i>	/ˈɡʌvə(r)nmənt/	Prince Harry asked the government to stop using landmines by 2025.	6	
homeless	<i>adj</i>	/ˈhəʊmləs/	After the fire, they were left homeless .	6	
interpreter	<i>n</i>	/ɪnˈtɜː(r)prɪtə(r)/	He works as an interpreter at the UN, translating all the meetings.	6	
invade	<i>v</i>	/ɪnˈveɪd/	When did the Romans invade Britain?	6	
inventor	<i>n</i>	/ɪnˈventə(r)/	Thomas Edison was an American inventor .	6	
join	<i>v</i>	/dʒɔɪn/	You don't have to join the Army if you don't want to.	6	
kitten	<i>n</i>	/ˈkɪt(ə)n/	The cat isn't big because it's still a kitten .	6	
landmines	<i>n pl</i>	/ˈlæn(d),maɪnz/	All goverments should forbid the use of landmines .	6	
leprosy	<i>n</i>	/ˈleprəsi/	Leprosy is an infectious disease.	6	
lifetime	<i>n</i>	/ˈlaɪf,taim/	You've travelled a lot in your lifetime .	6	
minced meat	<i>n</i>	/ˈmɪnst mi:t/	The Romans ate minced meat with bread and lettuce.	6	
minefield	<i>n</i>	/ˈmaɪn,fiːld/	Princess Diana walked through a cleared minefield to prove it wasn't	6	
musician	<i>n</i>	/mjuːzɪj(ə)n/	She's studying the trumpet because she wants to be a musician .	6	
ordinary	<i>adj</i>	/ˈɔː(r)d(ə)n(ə)ri/	Ordinary people pay too much tax.	6	
orphan	<i>n</i>	/ˈɔː(r)f(ə)n/	Her parents died when she was five and she became an orphan .	6	
passion	<i>n</i>	/ˈpæʃ(ə)n/	Frieda Hoffmann's passion is ancient history.	6	
patron	<i>n</i>	/ˈpeɪtrən/	Princess Diana was patron of several charities.	6	
pharaoh	<i>n</i>	/ˈfeərəʊ/	Tutankhamun is probably the most famous pharaoh of ancient Egypt.	6	
politician	<i>n</i>	/ˌpɒləˈtɪʃ(ə)n/	Leah is a politician . She's an elected member of parliament.	6	
professor	<i>n</i>	/prəˈfesə(r)/	My father got a job as a Professor of History at Cambridge University.	6	
protester	<i>n</i>	/prəˈtestə(r)/	Protesters marched through the city against racial discrimination.	6	
public	<i>adj</i>	/ˈpʌblɪk/	Ancient Roman cities usually had public baths.	6	
recently	<i>adv</i>	/ˈriːs(ə)ntli/	My dad has recently published a book. It came out last month.	6	
refugees	<i>n pl</i>	/ˌrefjʊˈdʒiːz/	Hundreds of war refugees were trying to enter the country.	6	
regularly	<i>adv</i>	/ˈregjʊlə(r)li/	I visit my parents regularly .	6	
reminder	<i>n</i>	/rɪˈmaɪndə(r)/	The accident served as a reminder that we must drive carefully.	6	
research	<i>v</i>	/rɪˈsɜː(r)tʃ/	I'm going to research my family history.	6	
reservation	<i>n</i>	/ˌrezə(r)ˈveɪʃ(ə)n/	Did you call the restaurant to make a reservation ?	6	
set up	<i>phr v</i>	/set ˈʌp/	Prince Harry set up a charity for AIDS orphans in 2006.	6	
sewage	<i>n</i>	/ˈsuːɪdʒ/	What comes out of toilets is called sewage .	6	
shelter	<i>n</i>	/ˈʃeltə(r)/	They've built an animal shelter near my home.	6	
shipyard	<i>n</i>	/ˈʃɪp,jɑː(r)d/	He's a shipyard worker. He repairs ships.	6	
soldier	<i>n</i>	/ˈsəʊldʒə(r)/	My great grandfather was a soldier in the Great War.	6	
solo artist	<i>n</i>	/ˈsəʊləʊ ˈɑː(r)tɪst/	After <i>The Beatles</i> , John Lenon became a solo artist .	6	
straight	<i>adj</i>	/streɪt/	Roman roads are incredibly straight — no curves at all.	6	
taxes	<i>n pl</i>	/ˈtæksɪz/	Taxes are the money you pay to the government.	6	
tent	<i>n</i>	/tent/	I slept in a tent when I went camping.	6	

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tomb	<i>n</i>	/tu:m/	Archaeologists have discovered a new tomb near Cairo.	6	
underpants	<i>n pl</i>	/ˈʌndə(r),pænts/	He took off his trousers, showing his underpants .	6	
victim	<i>n</i>	/ˈvɪktɪm/	Don't blame her for the attack. She's the victim .	6	
wide	<i>adj</i>	/waɪd/	Roman roads were usually long and wide .	6	
wildlife	<i>n</i>	/ˈwaɪld,laɪf/	He grew up in a wildlife park in Australia.	6	
adore	<i>v</i>	/əˈdɔː(r)/	I adore the colours in this photo!	7	
bridge	<i>n</i>	/brɪdʒ/	Let's use the bridge to cross the river.	7	
bright	<i>adj</i>	/braɪt/	It was a bright sunny morning.	7	
building	<i>n</i>	/ˈbɪldɪŋ/	My favourite building is the City Hall, in the historical centre.	7	
calm	<i>adj</i>	/kɑːm/	The city of Santa Barbara is so calm . It's great for relaxing.	7	
capture	<i>n</i>	/ˈkæptʃə(r)/	The film begins with the capture of the hero by his enemy.	7	
collection	<i>n</i>	/kəˈlekʃ(ə)n/	They're exhibiting a collection of Modigliani's works at the museum.	7	
composer	<i>n</i>	/kəmˈpəʊzə(r)/	Ennio Morricone is a famous film composer .	7	
concert	<i>n</i>	/ˈkɒnsə(r)t/	There's a rock concert at Wembley Arena. Would you like to come?	7	
concert hall	<i>n</i>	/ˈkɒnsə(r)t hɔːl/	If you like live music, you should go to the concert hall .	7	
cosmopolitan	<i>adj</i>	/ˌkɒzməˈpɒlɪt(ə)n/	Berlin is a cosmopolitan city. It attracts unusual people.	7	
dirty	<i>adj</i>	/ˈdɜː(r)tɪ/	This plate is dirty , could you please bring me a clean one?	7	
experience	<i>n</i>	/ɪkˈspɪəriəns/	She has five years' experience as a nurse.	7	
factory	<i>n</i>	/ˈfæktri/	He works for an iron and steel factory .	7	
fierce	<i>adj</i>	/fɪə(r)s/	Even big fierce tigers are scared sometimes.	7	
fireplace	<i>n</i>	/ˈfaɪə(r),pleɪs/	There's a fireplace in the living room. You can light a fire when it's cold.	7	
friendly	<i>adj</i>	/ˈfren(d)li/	I loved Greece. People were so friendly and kind with us!	7	
glad	<i>adj</i>	/glæd/	I'm so glad to see you. How are you?	7	
gorgeous	<i>adj</i>	/ˈgɔː(r)dʒəs/	The view from the hotel room was gorgeous ! I loved it.	7	
iron	<i>n</i>	/ˈaɪə(r)n/	The gates are made of iron .	7	
jungle	<i>n</i>	/ˈdʒʌŋɡ(ə)l/	You can find tigers in the jungle .	7	
lightning	<i>n</i>	/ˈlaɪtnɪŋ/	There was a flash of lightning in the sky.	7	
mood	<i>n</i>	/muːd/	You are in a good mood today, all happy and friendly!	7	
mysterious	<i>adj</i>	/mɪˈstɪəriəs/	The forest looked dark and mysterious .	7	
negative	<i>adj</i>	/ˈnegətɪv/	Anger is a negative feeling.	7	
nightlife	<i>n</i>	/ˈnaɪt,laɪf/	Berlin's nightlife is fantastic! There are lots of good bars and clubs.	7	
opposite	<i>prep</i>	/ˈɒpəzɪt/	The bank is opposite the theatre. You just have to cross the road.	7	
out of focus	<i>phrase</i>	/aʊt əv ˈfəʊkəs/	This photo is a bit out of focus . I can't see your face very well.	7	
parcel	<i>n</i>	/ˈpɑː(r)s(ə)l/	I have to go to the post office to collect a parcel .	7	
photographer	<i>n</i>	/fəˈtɒɡrəfə(r)/	She's a professional photographer . She takes pictures of celebrities.	7	
pleased	<i>adj</i>	/pliːzd/	I'm very pleased with my new phone. The camera is fantastic!	7	
population	<i>n</i>	/ˌpɒpjʊˈleɪʃ(ə)n/	Pittsburgh has a population of about 2.4 million.	7	
pretend	<i>v</i>	/prɪˈtend/	I know you heard me, so don't pretend otherwise.	7	
proud	<i>adj</i>	/praʊd/	My son has just graduated college. I'm so proud of him.	7	
qualified	<i>adj</i>	/ˈkwɒlɪfaɪd/	I'm a qualified nurse. I can help you with your patients.	7	
rediscover	<i>v</i>	/ˌrɪːdɪˈskʌvə(r)/	Having a kid made me rediscover the joy of playing.	7	
reliable	<i>adj</i>	/rɪˈlaɪəb(ə)l/	She's a reliable friend. I can always count on her.	7	
rude	<i>adj</i>	/ruːd/	Don't be rude . Apologise immediately!	7	

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salary	<i>n</i>	/ˈsæləri/	I quit my job because my salary was very low. I didn't earn enough.	7	
salty	<i>adj</i>	/ˈsɔːlti/	You put too much salt in the food. It's a bit salty .	7	
screen saver	<i>n</i>	/ˈskriːn seɪvə(r)/	I love this photo! It's going to be my new computer screen saver .	7	
sculptor	<i>n</i>	/ˈskʌlptə(r)/	Modigliani was an Italian painter and sculptor .	7	
shadow	<i>n</i>	/ˈjædəʊ/	The sunlight made long shadows on the ground.	7	
skyscraper	<i>n</i>	/ˈskaɪ,skreɪpə(r)/	The Empire State Building is a famous skyscraper in New York.	7	
specialize	<i>v</i>	/ˈspeʃəlaɪz/	I'm a professional photographer. I specialize on art photography.	7	
steel	<i>n</i>	/stiːl/	Steel is made of a mixture of iron and carbon.	7	
storm	<i>n</i>	/stɔː(r)m/	It wasn't just raining. It was a heavy storm .	7	
stupid	<i>adj</i>	/ˈstjuːpɪd/	I made a mistake and felt so stupid .	7	
terrified	<i>adj</i>	/ˈterəfaɪd/	I'm terrified of spiders.	7	
thunder	<i>n</i>	/ˈθʌndə(r)/	Did you hear thunder ? I think a storm is approaching.	7	
tour	<i>n</i>	/tʊə(r)/	We wen't to Japan on tour .	7	
turtle	<i>n</i>	/ˈtɜː(r)t(ə)l/	The turtle is my favourtie sea animal at the aquarium.	7	
unique	<i>adj</i>	/juːˈniːk/	This picture is unique . This is the only copy that exists.	7	
view	<i>n</i>	/vjuː/	There's a great view of the city from the top of the hill.	7	
virtual	<i>adj</i>	/ˈvɜː(r)tʃʊəl/	Have you tried the virtual tour of the museum?	7	
waste	<i>n</i>	/weɪst/	We had to do the same job twice. It was such a waste of time.	7	
well-known	<i>adj</i>	/wel ˈnəʊn/	Katy Perry is a well-known singer.	7	
ache	<i>v</i>	/eɪk/	I've got a fever, my whole body aches and I feel awful.	8	
advertisement	<i>n</i>	/ədˈvɜː(r)tɪsmənt/	Have you seen the new Nike TV advertisement . It's brilliant!	8	
advice	<i>n</i>	/ədˈvaɪs/	I'm not sure what I should do. Can you give me some advice ?	8	
allergy	<i>n</i>	/ˈælə(r)dʒi/	If you sneeze when you're near a cat is because you have an allergy .	8	
ambulance	<i>n</i>	/ˈæmbjʊləns/	She was injured so we called an ambulance .	8	
ankle	<i>n</i>	/ˈæŋk(ə)l/	He wasn't wearing the right hiking boots and he sprained his ankle .	8	
application form	<i>n</i>	/ˌæplɪˈkeɪʃ(ə)n fɔː(r)m/	Fill in our online application form to enrol in our classes.	8	
archery	<i>n</i>	/ˈɑː(r)tʃəri/	Have you ever tried archery ? You have to shoot arrows with a bow.	8	
arm	<i>n</i>	/ɑː(r)m/	I hurt my arm while I was playing tennis.	8	
audition	<i>v</i>	/ɔːˈdɪʃ(ə)n/	I'm going to audition for a commercial. If they hire me, I'll be on TV.	8	
be sick	<i>v</i>	/biː ˈsɪk/	Could you please stop the car? I think I'm going to be sick .	8	
belt	<i>n</i>	/belt/	A belt goes round the waist.	8	
bite	<i>v</i>	/baɪt/	Don't be afraid of the dog, it doesn't bite .	8	
blow	<i>v</i>	/bləʊ/	I need to blow my nose. Have you got any tissue paper?	8	
body	<i>n</i>	/ˈbɒdi/	I think I've got a cold. My whole body aches.	8	
boot	<i>n</i>	/buːt/	It's better to wear boots if you're going to go hiking.	8	
boxing	<i>n</i>	/ˈbɒksɪŋ/	She started boxing at the local gym and she loved it!	8	
cap	<i>n</i>	/kæp/	Don't forget your cap . It's very sunny outside.	8	
chariot	<i>n</i>	/ˈtʃæriət/	A chariot is an ancient open vehicle with two wheels and pulled by horses.	8	
chat	<i>v</i>	/tʃæt/	You can chat with your friend and exercise while you walk.	8	
coach	<i>n</i>	/kəʊtʃ/	My coach wants me to train for the next Olympics.	8	
cold	<i>n</i>	/kəʊld/	I feel awful. I think I've got a cold .	8	
couch	<i>n</i>	/kaʊtʃ/	Sit on the couch while you wait, please.	8	

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cough	<i>v</i>	/kɒf/	I've got a sore throat and cough a lot.	8	
crash diet	<i>n</i>	/kræʃ 'daɪət/	I had to go on a crash diet to lose weight very quickly.	8	
depressing	<i>adj</i>	/dɪ'presɪŋ/	I don't like exercising indoors. I find it depressing .	8	
desk	<i>n</i>	/desk/	He shouldn't sit at his desk all day.	8	
diarrhoea	<i>n</i>	/ˌdaɪə'riːə/	I keep being sick and I've got terrible diarrhoea .	8	
easy-going	<i>adj</i>	/iːzi 'ɡəʊɪŋ/	My son's very easy-going . He's happy and relaxed about things.	8	
equipment	<i>n</i>	/ɪ'kwɪpmənt/	What special equipment do you need for boxing? Boxing gloves?	8	
exercise	<i>n</i>	/ɪ'eksə(r)saɪz/	You should do more exercise .	8	
eye	<i>n</i>	/aɪ/	The ball hit him in the eye and now he can't open it.	8	
feet	<i>n</i>	/fiːt/	Those boots are too big for my feet .	8	
fever	<i>n</i>	/ˈfiːvə(r)/	Take an aspirin to reduce the fever .	8	
finger	<i>n</i>	/ˈfɪŋɡə(r)/	He cut his finger while cooking dinner.	8	
fit	<i>adj</i>	/fɪt/	You have to be fit and strong to be a surfer.	8	
fitness routine	<i>n</i>	/ˈfɪtnəs ruːˈtiːn/	What's your fitness routine ? Do you go to the gym regularly?	8	
flight attendant	<i>n</i>	/ˈflaɪt ə'tendənt/	My sister travels regularly because she works as a flight attendant .	8	
flu	<i>n</i>	/fluː/	I've got a fever and my whole body aches. I think I've got the flu .	8	
food poisoning	<i>n</i>	/ˈfuːd pɔɪz(ə)nɪŋ/	That fish looks a bit off. Don't eat it or you'll get food poisoning .	8	
gentle	<i>adj</i>	/ˈdʒent(ə)/	You haven't exercised in a long time, so start with gentle exercises.	8	
gland	<i>n</i>	/glænd/	My glands are swollen and it hurts when I swallow.	8	
goggles	<i>n pl</i>	/ˈɡɒɡ(ə)lz/	Have you seen my goggles ? I'm going swimming and I can't find them.	8	
gymnastics	<i>n</i>	/dʒɪmˈnæstɪks/	I do gymnastics . I'm very fit and flexible.	8	
hand	<i>n</i>	/hænd/	If you have a question, please raise your hand .	8	
head	<i>n</i>	/hed/	She fell off the bike and banged her head .	8	
helmet	<i>n</i>	/ˈhelmt/	Wear a helmet if you're going to ride a bike.	8	
high heels	<i>n pl</i>	/haɪ 'hiːlz/	It's very difficult to run wearing high heels .	8	
hold your breath	<i>phrase</i>	/həʊld jɔː(r) 'breθ/	You must learn to hold your breath under water.	8	
hoodie	<i>n</i>	/ˈhʊdi/	I couldn't see his face well because he was wearing a hoodie .	8	
hurt	<i>v</i>	/hɜː(r)t/	I hurt my foot while running and now I can't walk.	8	
injury	<i>n</i>	/ɪndʒəri/	If you have an injury , you should go to the doctor.	8	
jacket	<i>n</i>	/ˈdʒækɪt/	He always wears a tie and jacket to work.	8	
jeans	<i>n</i>	/dʒiːnz/	My friend Jackie always wears jeans and a t-shirt.	8	
knee	<i>n</i>	/niː/	I fell on the ground and hurt my knee .	8	
leggings	<i>n pl</i>	/ˈlegɪŋz/	I need a new pair of leggings for my running class.	8	
leg	<i>n</i>	/leg/	She walks fast because she has long legs .	8	
liquid	<i>n</i>	/ˈlɪkwɪd/	She was drinking a strange blue liquid . What was it?	8	
lose weight	<i>phrase</i>	/luːz 'weɪt/	Exercise and eat healthy food if you want to lose weight .	8	
martial art	<i>n</i>	/ˈmɑː(r)l(ə)l 'ɑː(r)t/	karate is a martial art .	8	
mental	<i>adj</i>	/ˈment(ə)/	Stunt doubles do a lot of mental and physical preparation.	8	
mind	<i>n</i>	/maɪnd/	You have to be strong in mind and body.	8	
necessary	<i>adj</i>	/ˈnesəs(ə)ri/	Which qualities are necessary to be a stunt double?	8	
neck	<i>n</i>	/nek/	She tied a scarf around her neck .	8	
on the spot	<i>phrase</i>	/ɒn ðə 'spɒt/	You can use this machine to walk or run on the spot .	8	
physical	<i>adj</i>	/ˈfɪzɪk(ə)l/	Physical health is as important as mental health.	8	

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prescribe	<i>v</i>	/pri'skraɪb/	What did the doctor prescribe for your illness?	8	
prescription	<i>n</i>	/pri'skɪpʃ(ə)n/	You need to take antibiotics. I'll write you a prescription .	8	
put on weight	<i>phrase</i>	/pʊt ɒn weɪt/	I lost ten pounds after the marathon. I need to put on weight .	8	
rehydrate	<i>v</i>	/,ri:'haɪ'dreɪt/	You should drink water to rehydrate after exercise.	8	
risky	<i>adj</i>	/'rɪski/	Being a stunt double is a risky job. You may get injured.	8	
role	<i>n</i>	/rəʊl/	Her major role as a double was in the film <i>A Knight in Camelot</i> .	8	
sandals	<i>n pl</i>	/ˈsænd(ə)lz/	You can't wear sandals to school today. It's cold.	8	
scarf	<i>n</i>	/ska:(r)f/	Why don't you tie a scarf around your neck? It's cold today.	8	
sensitive	<i>adj</i>	/ˈsensətɪv/	A sensitive person understands other people and how they feel.	8	
shave	<i>v</i>	/ʃeɪv/	Actors sometimes have to shave their head for their roles in movies.	8	
shirt	<i>n</i>	/ʃɜ:(r)t/	He was wearing a blue shirt under his jacket.	8	
shorts	<i>n</i>	/ʃɔ:(r)ts/	I wear shorts almost everyday during the summer.	8	
shoulder	<i>n</i>	/ˈʃəʊldə(r)/	She tapped me on the shoulder to call my attention.	8	
skateboarding	<i>n</i>	/ˈskeɪt,bɔ:(r)dɪŋ/	Skateboarding is my favourite sport.	8	
skip	<i>v</i>	/skɪp/	You shouldn't skip breakfast. Eat something before you go to work.	8	
skirt	<i>n</i>	/skɜ:(r)t/	It's very uncomfortable to run when you're wearing a skirt .	8	
slippery	<i>adj</i>	/ˈslɪpəri/	Careful! I've just washed the floor and it's a bit slippery .	8	
sneeze	<i>v</i>	/sni:z/	I'm allergic to cats. I sneeze when I'm near one.	8	
socks	<i>n pl</i>	/sɒks/	You have to wear socks with those shoes.	8	
sore throat	<i>phrase</i>	/sɔ:(r) 'θrəʊt/	I've got a sore throat . It hurts when I swallow.	8	
sports vest	<i>n</i>	/ˈspɔ:(r)ts vest/	I always wear a sports vest when I go for a run.	8	
sprain	<i>v</i>	/spreɪn/	I fell over and hurt my ankle. I think I sprained it.	8	
stuff	<i>n</i>	/stʌf/	We don't talk about injuries and all that stuff .	8	
stuntwoman	<i>n</i>	/ˈstʌnt,wʊmən/	A stuntwoman doubles for the actors, doing the dangerous things.	8	
suit	<i>n</i>	/su:t/	I have to wear a suit and tie to work.	8	
sunglasses	<i>n pl</i>	/ˈsʌŋ,glɑ:sɪz/	It's very sunny today, put your sunglasses on.	8	
surfboard	<i>n</i>	/ˈsɜ:(r)f,bɔ:(r)d/	You need a surfboard to go surfing.	8	
surfer	<i>n</i>	/ˈsɜ:(r)fə/	You have to be very fit to be a wave surfer .	8	
swallow	<i>v</i>	/ˈswɒləʊ/	I can't swallow these pills. They are too big.	8	
swimsuit	<i>n</i>	/ˈswɪm,su:t/	Pick up your swimsuit . We are going to the swimming pool.	8	
swollen	<i>adj</i>	/ˈswɒʊlən/	Her eyes were swollen from lack of sleep.	8	
sword	<i>n</i>	/sɔ:(r)d/	A sword is a weapon. You can't use it as a toy.	8	
temperature	<i>n</i>	/ˈtemprɪtʃə(r)/	I feel sick and I think I've got a temperature .	8	
tie	<i>n</i>	/taɪ/	It is a smart party. You have to wear a shirt and a tie .	8	
toe	<i>n</i>	/təʊ/	The shoes were too small and they hurt my toes .	8	
tracksuit	<i>n</i>	/ˈtræk,su:t/	Put your tracksuit on and let's play some basketball.	8	
train	<i>v</i>	/treɪn/	Professional athletes train almost everyday.	8	
trainers	<i>n</i>	/ˈtreɪnə(r)z/	I bought a new pair of trainers for my running club.	8	
truck	<i>n</i>	/trʌk/	There was a truck in the middle of the road blocking our way.	8	
T-shirt	<i>n</i>	/ˈti: ʃɜ:(r)t/	She likes to wear jeans and a T-shirt . She feels more comfortable.	8	
uniform	<i>n</i>	/ˈju:nɪfɔ:(r)m/	I had to wear a uniform when I was at school.	8	
waist	<i>n</i>	/weɪst/	The jacket was too tight around the waist .	8	
warm up	<i>phr v</i>	/wɔ:(r)m 'ʌp/	You must always warm up before hard exercise.	8	

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watch	<i>n</i>	/wɒtʃ/	Do you have the time? I left my watch at home.	8	
wave	<i>n</i>	/weɪv/	He surfed a huge wave .	8	
wheel	<i>n</i>	/wi:l/	The ball fell under the car's wheels .	8	
wrist	<i>n</i>	/rɪst/	Is that a new watch on your wrist ?	8	
annoyed	<i>adj</i>	/ə'noɪd/	I was annoyed because he came very late.	9	
atomic bomb	<i>n</i>	/ə'tɒmɪk bɒm/	The atomic bomb was dropped during the Second World War.	9	
audience	<i>n</i>	/'ɔ:diəns/	The audience listened carefully to the lecturer.	9	
bark	<i>v</i>	/bɑ:(r)k/	My neighbour's dog doesn't bark much.	9	
behave	<i>v</i>	/bi'heɪv/	Should children's stories teach them to behave well?	9	
being	<i>n</i>	/'bi:ɪŋ/	Doctor Frankenstein decided to create a human being .	9	
chase	<i>v</i>	/tʃeɪs/	Why don't you chase each other in the garden?	9	
clap	<i>v</i>	/klæp/	The audience started to clap as soon as he finished his conference.	9	
complex	<i>adj</i>	/'kɒmpleks/	Victor Frankenstein's monster has a complex character.	9	
doll	<i>n</i>	/dɒl/	My daughter's new doll is broken and she's very sad.	9	
graduate	<i>v</i>	/'grædʒueɪt/	Did you graduate from Harvard University?	9	
graveyard	<i>n</i>	/'greɪv.jɑ:(r)d/	She went to the graveyard to visit her mum's tomb.	9	
heartbroken	<i>adj</i>	/'hɑ:(r)t.brʌʊkən/	She was heartbroken when her mum died.	9	
lecture	<i>n</i>	/'lektʃə(r)/	My friend is giving a lecture on gender studies tomorrow.	9	
literature	<i>n</i>	/'lɪtrətʃə(r)/	Which books do you think are children's literature ?	9	
lock	<i>v</i>	/lɒk/	I always lock all the doors before going to bed.	9	
lonely	<i>adj</i>	/'ləʊnli/	I was new at school and felt very lonely for a while.	9	
memory	<i>n</i>	/'mem(ə)rɪ/	What's the earliest memory you can remember?	9	
monster	<i>n</i>	/'mɒnstə(r)/	Frankenstein's monster is huge and ugly.	9	
moral	<i>n</i>	/'mɒrəl/	The moral of the story is that we should all trust each other.	9	
naughty	<i>adj</i>	/'nɔ:ti/	His father sent him to bed because he was naughty .	9	
nervous	<i>adj</i>	/'nɜ:(r)vəs/	Don't be nervous about your exams. You studied well.	9	
novel	<i>n</i>	/'nɒv(ə)l/	<i>Great Expectations</i> is my favourite novel .	9	
overjoyed	<i>adj</i>	/,əʊvə(r)'dʒɔɪd/	She was overjoyed that her son was coming home for the holidays.	9	
poor	<i>adj</i>	/pɔ:(r)/	Most characters in Dicken's novels are poor and homeless.	9	
possession	<i>n</i>	/pə'zeɪʃ(ə)n/	A toy dinasour was her favourite possession .	9	
sack	<i>n</i>	/sæk/	The man was carrying a dirty sack with all his possessions.	9	
shake	<i>v</i>	/ʃeɪk/	Why are you shaking with fear? It's just a dog.	9	
simple	<i>adj</i>	/'sɪmp(ə)l/	It wasn't a difficult problem. Actually it was quite simple .	9	
society	<i>n</i>	/sə'saɪəti/	Dicken's novels describe society in industrial England.	9	
stranger	<i>n</i>	/'streɪndʒə(r)/	He met a stranger on the train.	9	
stressed	<i>adj</i>	/'strest/	You sound stressed , why don't you take some days off?	9	
swap	<i>v</i>	/swɒp/	You play the wolf and you play the piglet, then you swap roles.	9	
ugly	<i>adj</i>	/'ʌgli/	The monster is huge and ugly . That's why people are scared of him.	9	
upset	<i>adj</i>	/ʌp'set/	I get upset when people treat me badly.	9	
wise	<i>adj</i>	/waɪz/	She's a wise old woman. You can ask her about anything.	9	
yard	<i>n</i>	/jɑ:(r)d/	A yard corresponds to a 0.9144 of a metre.	9	
addicted	<i>adj</i>	/ə'dɪktɪd/	You may become addicted to Facebook.	10	

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artificial intelligence	<i>n</i>	/,ɑː(r)tɪ'fɪʃ(ə)l ɪn'telɪdʒ(ə)ns/	Artificial intelligence deals with machines that copy human intelligent behaviour.	10	
ballpoint pen	<i>n</i>	/'bɔːl,pɔɪnt pen/	My teacher corrects all my exams with a red ballpoint pen .	10	
breath	<i>n</i>	/breθ/	The Greeks chewed gum because it freshened their breath .	10	
broadcast	<i>v</i>	/'brɔːd,kɑːst/	They are going to broadcast the concert live.	10	
chew	<i>v</i>	/tʃuː/	It's not allowed to chew gum in class.	10	
chum	<i>n</i>	/tʃʌm/	I met an old chum at my school reunion.	10	
disadvantage	<i>n</i>	/,dɪsəd'vɑːntɪdʒ/	One disadvantage of social media sites is that they make you waste time.	10	
export	<i>v</i>	/ɪk'spɔː(r)t/	The company exports cars to Central Europe.	10	
fan	<i>n</i>	/fæn/	Are you a fan of Manchester United?	10	
flood	<i>v</i>	/flʌd/	Don't advertise the job yet or candidates will flood us with applications	10	
football ground	<i>n</i>	/'fʊt,bɔːl 'graʊnd/	Old Trafford is Manchester United's famous football ground .	10	
found	<i>v</i>	/faʊnd/	I'll found my own company when I finish university.	10	
freshen	<i>v</i>	/'freʃ(ə)n/	I need to freshen my breath. Have you got any chewing gum?	10	
genius	<i>n</i>	/'dʒiːniəs/	He's not a genius , but he's hard-working and will do a great job.	10	
glory	<i>n</i>	/'glɔːri/	Many footballers find glory when they are still young.	10	
hand-held	<i>adj</i>	/'hænd ,held/	The smart phone was the first hand-held computer.	10	
invention	<i>n</i>	/ɪn'venʃ(ə)n/	The telephone is my favourite invention .	10	
kill	<i>v</i>	/kɪl/	Pollution kills thousands of people each year.	10	
landline	<i>n</i>	/'lænd(d),laɪn/	Call me on the landline , I'm home.	10	
launch	<i>v</i>	/lɔːntʃ/	They're going to launch the new iPhone next week.	10	
logo	<i>n</i>	/'lɒɡəʊ/	I'm designing a new logo for the company.	10	
master	<i>v</i>	/'mɑːstə(r)/	After playing for hours, I've finally mastered the game.	10	
private	<i>adj</i>	/'praɪvət/	I like to keep my private life to myself.	10	
put someone through	<i>phr v</i>	/pʊt sʌmwʌn 'θruː/	Could you please put me through to Miss Johnson?	10	
respond	<i>v</i>	/rɪ'spɒnd/	He asked me what my favourite team was, but I didn't respond .	10	
rubber	<i>n</i>	/'rʌbə(r)/	Gum is made of a special type of rubber .	10	
simplicity	<i>n</i>	/sɪm'plɪsəti/	Tetris is famous for its simplicity . Anyone can play.	10	
skeleton	<i>n</i>	/'skelɪt(ə)n/	They found gum in a skeleton in Sweden.	10	
software	<i>n</i>	/'sɒf(t),weə(r)/	I need to install software into my computer.	10	
statistics	<i>n pl</i>	/'stætɪstɪks/	What are the statistics for video games and women?	10	
tag	<i>v</i>	/tæg/	Please don't tag me in your pictures.	10	
tree sap	<i>n</i>	/'triː sæp/	The first chewing gum was made of tree sap and sugar.	10	
trillion	<i>n</i>	/'trɪljən/	A trillion is one million million.	10	
trophy	<i>n</i>	/'trəʊfi/	I won the competition and they gave me a trophy .	10	
valuable	<i>adj</i>	/'væljuəb(ə)l/	Manchester United is the most valuable football brand worldwide.	10	
version	<i>n</i>	/'vɜː(r)ʃ(ə)n/	Have you downloaded the latest version of the game?	10	
waste time	<i>phrase</i>	/weɪst taɪm/	I don't like to waste time on Facebook. I have other things to do.	10	
accidentally	<i>adv</i>	/.æk.si'dent(ə)li/	Jan's passion started accidentally . She didn't plan it.	11	
anniversary	<i>n</i>	/.æni'vɜː(r)s(ə)ri/	It's their anniversary today. They got married 12 years ago.	11	
appreciate	<i>v</i>	/ə'priːʃi,eɪt/	After two days raining, you really appreciate the sunshine.	11	

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astronomer	<i>n</i>	/ə'strɒnəmə(r)/	Brian Cox is an astronomer . He studies the planets.	11	
bridesmaid	<i>n</i>	/'braɪdzˌmeɪd/	I was the bridesmaid at my best friend's wedding.	11	
cabbage	<i>n</i>	/'kæbɪdʒ/	My daughter doesn't like cabbage , but she loves green beans.	11	
collector	<i>n</i>	/kə'lektə(r)/	Muy dad is a collector . He collects watches.	11	
commemorative	<i>adj</i>	/kə'mem(ə)rətɪv/	He bought a commemorative coin for Prince Charles and Diana's engagement.	11	
cope	<i>v</i>	/kəʊp/	How did your grandma cope with your grandad's death?	11	
demand	<i>v</i>	/dɪ'mɑːnd/	Many more people will demand independence for their countries in the future.		
demanding	<i>adj</i>	/dɪ'mɑːndɪŋ/	Riding a horse is physically demanding .	11	
due	<i>adj</i>	/djuː/	When is the baby due ?	11	
duplicate	<i>n</i>	/'djuːplɪkeɪt/	You can keep the picture. I've got a duplicate .	11	
engaged	<i>adj</i>	/ɪn'geɪdʒd/	They haven't got married yet, but they're engaged .	11	
entrepreneur	<i>n</i>	/ˌɒntrəprəʊ'nɜː(r)/	An entrepreneur makes money by starting a business.	11	
fail	<i>v</i>	/feɪl/	Why did he fail his exams?	11	
forbidden	<i>adj</i>	/fə(r)'bɪd(ə)n/	You can't use my work computer. It's forbidden .	11	
funeral	<i>n</i>	/'fjuːn(ə)rəl/	My grandad's funeral will take place at the local church tomorrow.	11	
garage	<i>n</i>	/'gærɪdʒ/	Is the car in the garage ?	11	
healthcare	<i>n</i>	/'helθˌkeə(r)/	Healthcare is the service of providing medical care.	11	
honeymoon	<i>n</i>	/'hʌniˌmuːn/	They got married last Sunday. They're on their honeymoon now.	11	
influence	<i>v</i>	/'ɪnfluəns/	How did your teacher influence you?	11	
keyboard	<i>n</i>	/'kiːbɔː(r)d/	Brian Cox played the keyboard in a band.	11	
life expectancy	<i>n</i>	/laɪf ɪk'spektənsɪ/	Life expectancy will probably improve in the future.	11	
married	<i>adj</i>	/'mæɪrɪd/	Are you married or single?	11	
memorabilia	<i>n</i>	/.mem(ə)rə'bilɪə/	He's a collector of royal memorabilia .	11	
never-ending	<i>adj</i>	/.nevə(r)'endɪŋ/	Collecting is a never-ending activity. You always want to buy more.	11	
optimistic	<i>adj</i>	/.ɒptɪ'mɪstɪk/	I'm generally optimistic about the future.	11	
peer	<i>n</i>	/pɪə(r)/	A peer is a member of the nobility.	11	
pessimistic	<i>adj</i>	/.pesə'mɪstɪk/	There are reasons to be pessimistic about global warming.	11	
physicist	<i>n</i>	/'fɪzɪsɪst/	Stephen Hawkins was a famous physicist .	11	
poetry	<i>n</i>	/'pəʊtri/	I'm passionate about poetry . I even write some poems myself.	11	
pregnant	<i>adj</i>	/'pregnənt/	Laura is pregnant . She's expecting a baby.	11	
raindrop	<i>n</i>	/'reɪnˌdrɒp/	Was that a raindrop ? I think it's starting to rain.	11	
regret	<i>n</i>	/'rɪˌɡret/	I felt regret about his leaving the city.	11	
renewed	<i>adj</i>	/'rɪˌnjuːd/	There has been renewed interest in royal memorabilia.	11	
repair	<i>v</i>	/'rɪˌpeə(r)/	The doll was broken, but fortunately I could repair it.	11	
resources	<i>n pl</i>	/'rɪˌzɔː(r)s/	We shouldn't use up our natural resources .	11	
rocket	<i>n</i>	/'rɒkɪt/	They are building a new space rocket to go to the moon.	11	
selfish	<i>adj</i>	/'selfɪʃ/	Don't expect any help from him. He's so selfish .	11	
serious	<i>adj</i>	/'sɪəriəs/	Don't make fun of it. It's a serious matter.	11	
servant	<i>n</i>	/'sɜː(r)v(ə)nt/	Don't treat me like a servant . I'm your mother!	11	
split up	<i>phr v</i>	/splɪt 'ʌp/	It was sad when my parents split up , but it was for the best.	11	
stick	<i>n</i>	/stɪk/	She never fully recovered from the accident. She walks with a stick .	11	

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English	Part of speech	Phonetics	Example sentence	Unit	My notes
surrogate	<i>n</i>	/ˈsʌrəɡət/	My son was born to a surrogate mother because I couldn't have kids.	11	
tragedy	<i>n</i>	/ˈtrædʒədi/	I'm sorry about the accident. It was a tragedy .	11	
unsaid	<i>adj</i>	/ʌnˈsed/	Don't go into much detail. Some things are better left unsaid .	11	
wealth	<i>n</i>	/welθ/	Robots can help us distribute wealth more fairly.	11	
widowed	<i>adj</i>	/ˈwɪdəʊd/	Her husband died last month. She's widowed .	11	
barbecue	<i>n</i>	/ˈbɑː(r)bɪˌkjuː/	It's nice to have a barbecue when it's sunny.	12	
biscuit	<i>n</i>	/ˈbɪskɪt/	Of course she isn't hungry. She's just had a packet of biscuits .	12	
boomerang	<i>n</i>	/ˈbuːməˌræŋ/	I went to Australia on holidays and bought a boomerang .	12	
campus	<i>n</i>	/ˈkæmpəs/	When you go to university, will you live on campus ?	12	
coincidence	<i>n</i>	/kəʊˈɪnsɪd(ə)ns/	What a coincidence !	12	
confuse	<i>v</i>	/kənˈfjuːz/	Numbers can confuse us sometimes.	12	
drop out	<i>phr v</i>	/drɒp ˈaʊt/	I started university but I don't like it. I think I'm going to drop out .	12	
economics	<i>n</i>	/ˌiːkəˈnɒmɪks/	I can't decide what to study at university — law or economics .	12	
flip	<i>v</i>	/flɪp/	If you can't decide, flip a coin.	12	
gambler	<i>n</i>	/ˈɡæmblə(r)/	He's a big gambler and has lost his fortune.	12	
gig	<i>n</i>	/ɡɪɡ/	The band got a gig in a local pub.	12	
grateful	<i>adj</i>	/ˈɡreɪtɪf(ə)l/	I'm so grateful for all your help.	12	
greedy	<i>adj</i>	/ˈɡriːdi/	He's not a good boss. He's selfish and greedy .	12	
lack	<i>n</i>	/læk/	Lack of exercise is not good for your health.	12	
loan	<i>n</i>	/ləʊn/	I had to take out a loan to pay for my studies.	12	
lorry	<i>n</i>	/ˈlɒri/	I can drive a car, but not a lorry .	12	
meditate	<i>v</i>	/ˈmedɪteɪt/	Some people find it useful to meditate to reduce stress levels.	12	
probability	<i>n</i>	/ˌprɒbəˈbɪləti/	Probability says that unlikely coincidences will happen sometimes.	12	
regret	<i>v</i>	/rɪˈɡret/	I've decided not to have children and I don't think I'll regret it later.	12	
retrain	<i>v</i>	/ˌriːˈtreɪn/	I'm going to give up my job as a nurse and retrain as a teacher.	12	
terrorist attack	<i>n</i>	/ˈterərɪst əˈtæk/	It's very unlikely that you'll die in a terrorist attack .	12	
threat	<i>n</i>	/θret/	He said he would fire me if I told my manager. That was a threat .	12	
tick	<i>v</i>	/tɪk/	I could hear the clock tick in the background.	12	
toast	<i>v</i>	/təʊst/	We'll have some champagne to toast to your new home!	12	
unbelievable	<i>adj</i>	/ˌʌnbɪˈliːvəb(ə)l/	To tell you the truth, I found the story unbelievable .	12	
weird	<i>adj</i>	/wɪə(r)d/	I had a weird dream last night.	12	