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**New
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**Intermediate
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This wordlist is organized File by File. It includes all the words in the Vocabulary Banks in the Student's Book and the MultiROM, all the words which are highlighted in the Student's Book, and all the words in the More Words to Learn sections of the Workbook.

File 1 Food and restaurants VOCABULARY BANK

baked	/beɪkt/	gebacken	Food that is baked in the oven is healthier than fried food.
beans	/bi:nz/	Bohnen	Beans are a cheap, healthy meal that you can buy tinned or dried.
boiled	/bɔɪld/	gekocht	The water that vegetables are boiled in can be used to make soup.
dessert	/dɪ'zɜ:t/	Nachtsch, Dessert	Do you want yoghurt or chocolate mousse for dessert ?
duck	/dʌk/	Ente	I prefer duck to chicken because I prefer darker meat.
fish	/fɪʃ/	Fisch	Fish that has come straight out of the sea is a very healthy food.
fork	/fɔ:k/	Gabel	Many people use a fork for cutting and eating food.
fresh	/frefʃ/	frisch	Those eggs are fresh ; I bought them today.
fried	/fraɪd/	gebraten	Fried food is bad for you and has a lot of calories.
frozen	/'frəʊzn/	tiefgekühlt	Food which is kept very cold is frozen .
fruit	/'fru:t/	Obst	Fruit such as melon is a healthy dessert.
glass	/'glɑ:s/	Glas	Could you bring me a separate glass for the water, please?
grilled	/'grɪld/	gegrillt	There's nothing better than the smell of grilled fish on an open fire.
home-made	/'həʊm meɪd/	selbst gemacht	I love my mum's cooking. Home-made cooking is the best.
knife	/'naɪf/	Messer	We'll need a better knife to cut this meat with.
lettuce	/'letɪs/	Salat	The first course on the menu is lettuce soup.
low-fat	/'ləʊ fæt/	fettarm	People on a diet often try to eat low-fat food.
main course	/'meɪn kɔ:s/	Hauptgericht	I'll have steak for my main course , I think.
meat	/'mi:t/	Fleisch	Would you prefer to have fish rather than meat ?
napkin	/'næpkɪn	Serviette	People usually put a napkin over their knees while eating.
peaches	/'pi:tʃɪz/	Pfirsiche	One of my favourite fruits is peaches , which I often have with cream.
pepper	/'pepə/	Pfeffer	Pepper makes food taste nice without making you thirsty.
plate	/'pleɪt/	Teller	I couldn't eat off a plate that was dirty.
prawn	/'prɔ:n/	Garnele	Prawn cocktail is a traditional starter in British restaurants.
raw	/'rɔ:/	roh	Sushi is made with raw fish.
roast	/'rəʊst/	geröstet, Brat-	You can boil chicken but roast chicken is tastier.
salmon	/'sæmən/	Lachs	I love salmon but it's quite an expensive fish, isn't it?
salt	/'sɒlt/	Salz	The soup contained so much salt that I had to keep drinking water.
sausages	/'sɔ:sɪdʒɪz/	Würstchen	Sausages and biscuits aren't very good for you.
seafood	/'si:fud/	Meeresfrüchte	She doesn't like seafood so she won't eat prawns or crab.
serviette	/'sɜ:'vjət/	Serviette	I had to use a spare serviette to mop up the water.
spicy	/'spai:si/	würzig	Indian food like curry is very spicy .
spoon	/'spu:n/	Löffel	You use a differently shaped spoon for the soup and dessert courses.
starter	/'stɑ:tə/	Vorspeise	We can offer two different types of soup as a starter .
steamed	/'sti:mɪd/	gedämpft	Food that is steamed retains its flavour very well.
strawberries	/'strɔ:brɪz/	Erdbeeren	At Wimbledon, it's traditional to have a bowl of strawberries and cream.

sweet	/swi:t/	süß	The tea's very sweet . You've put too much sugar in it!
takeaway	/'teikəweɪ/	zum Mitnehmen	Takeaway food is food you buy at a restaurant and take home to eat.
vegetables	/'vedʒtəblz/	Gemüse	What vegetables do you want with your steak?

Sport VOCABULARY BANK

beat	/bi:t/	schlagen	Our team were losing for most of the match, but we beat the others right at the end.
captain	/'kæptɪn/	Mannschaftskapitän(in)	The captain kept up morale on the pitch as everyone did their best.
circuit	/'sɜ:kɪt/	Rennbahn	When the athlete won the race, he ran a circuit of the track in triumph.
coach	/kəʊtʃ/	Trainer(in)	The coach began training with some stretching exercises.
course	/kɔ:s/	Platz	I live near a very famous golf course .
court	/kɔ:t/	Platz	The outdoor tennis court was in poor condition.
draw	/drɔ:/	unentschieden spielen	It was a draw – the score was four all.
fan	/'fæn/	Fan, Anhänger(in)	It's difficult for fans to afford the ticket prices these days.
get fit	/get fɪt/	fit werden	I've started going to the gym because I want to get fit .
get injured	/get 'ɪndʒəd/	sich verletzen	It's dangerous to play tennis on a wet court. You might get injured .
lose	/lu:z/	verlieren	The manager needs to change the team strategy or we'll lose the game.
pitch	/pɪtʃ/	Platz, Spielfeld	When the new season started, the pitch was in good shape.
play	/pleɪ/	spielen	I play basketball twice a week.
player	/'pleɪə/	Spieler(in)	He's definitely the best football player at this school.
pool	/pu:l/	Schwimmbecken, Schwimmbad	There isn't a pool near here so we go swimming in the river.
referee	/refə'ri:/	Schiedsrichter(in)	The referee stopped the match when someone ran onto the pitch.
score	/skɔ:/	schießen	He's a good player. I think he's going to score a lot of goals.
slope	/sləʊp/	Hang	The skier leaned forward as she went down the steep slope .
spectator	/spek'tetə/	Zuschauer(in)	There was concern when a spectator threw something onto the pitch.
stadium	/'stɛdɪəm/	Stadion	The new stadium could seat nearly 100,000 people.
sports hall	/spɔ:ts hɔ:l/	Sporthalle	The leisure centre has a sports hall with 4 tennis courts.
team	/'ti:m/	Mannschaft	Each team scored a goal in the first ten minutes of the match.
track	/'træk/	Bahn	I go running at a local track , as the streets are too busy.
train	/'treɪn/	trainieren	Professional sportspeople have to train every day.
warm up	/wɔ:m ʌp/	sich aufwärmen	Players usually warm up before a match starts.
win	/wɪn/	gewinnen	The players tried their best, but we didn't win the game.

Personality VOCABULARY BANK

affectionate	/ə'fekʃənət/	liebvoll, anhänglich	Affectionate people show that they love people very much.
aggressive	/ə'ɡresɪv/	aggressiv	Aggressive people tend to get angry quickly.
ambitious	/æm'bɪʃəs/	ehrgeizig	Ambitious people want to be successful in life.
bossy	/'bɔ:si/	bestimmend	Bossy people like giving orders to other people.
charming	/'tʃɑ:mɪŋ/	charmant	Charming people have an attractive personality that makes people like them.
clever	/'kleɪvə/	intelligent	Everyone in her family is clever .
competitive	/'kæm'petətɪv/	wettbewerbsorientiert	Competitive people always want to win.
dishonest	/'dɪs'ɒnɪst/	unehrlich	He was not usually a dishonest person, so it was strange that he chose to hide the truth about finding the money.
disorganized	/'dɪs'ɔ:gənəɪzd/	chaotisch	He never knows where anything is because he's so disorganized .
extrovert	/'ekstrəvɜ:t/	extravertiert	She's a real extrovert and such fun to be around.
friendly	/'frendli/	freundlich	Most of the staff are friendly and approachable.

generous	/ˈdʒenərəs/	großzügig	He's a generous person who would do anything for anybody.
hard-working	/hɑːd ˈwɜːkɪŋ/	arbeitsam, fleißig	She's one of the most hard-working people in the company.
honest	/ˈɒnɪst/	ehrlich	Honest people will always hand over any money they find to the police.
imaginative	/ɪˈmædʒɪnətɪv/	fantasievoll, kreativ	As an imaginative child, she would paint the most fantastic pictures.
impatient	/ɪmˈpeɪʃnt/	ungeduldig	There's no point in being impatient . Everyone has to wait their turn.
independent	/ɪndɪˈpendənt/	unabhängig	Independent people like doing things on their own.
insecure	/ɪnsɪˈkjʊə/	unsicher	Her ex-boyfriend was so insecure he'd check her emails every day.
insensitive	/ɪnˈsensətɪv/	gefühllos, unsensibel	The joke he made at the funeral was very insensitive .
irresponsible	/ɪrɪˈspɒnsəbl/	verantwortungslos	It was very irresponsible of her to let the cat out while the fireworks were going on.
jealous	/ˈdʒeləs/	eifersüchtig	Jealous people think that someone loves another person more than them, or wants what people have.
kind	/kaɪnd/	freundlich	My aunt was always very kind , and would send us all beautiful presents on our birthdays.
lazy	/ˈleɪzi/	faul	She's a lazy person who expects everyone else to work hard but does nothing herself.
manipulative	/məˈnɪpjələtɪv/	manipulativ	Manipulative people are good at influencing other people to do what they want.
mean	/miːn/	gemein	I wouldn't ask him for a charity donation. He's very mean with his money.
moody	/ˈmuːdi/	launisch	Moody people are happy one minute and sad the next, and are often bad-tempered.
organized	/ˈɔːɡənəɪzd/	gut organisiert	We need to be more organized so that we can work as a team.
patient	/ˈpeɪʃnt/	geduldig	Please be patient and wait a bit longer.
quiet	/ˈkwaɪət/	ruhig, still	When I first joined the company I was very quiet because I didn't know anyone.
reliable	/rɪˈlaɪəbl/	zuverlässig	Reliable people are people you can trust or depend on.
responsible	/rɪˈspɒnsəbl/	verantwortungsbewusst	My oldest sister looked after us a lot, and learned to be responsible from a young age.
self-confident	/self ˈkɒnfɪdənt/	selbstbewusst	He's become more self-confident since he won promotion.
selfish	/ˈselfɪʃ/	egoistisch	Selfish people think about themselves and not about other people.
sensible	/ˈsensəbl/	vernünftig	Sensible people have common sense and are practical.
sensitive	/ˈsensətɪv/	einfühlsam, empfindsam	Sensitive people understand other people's feelings or are easily hurt or offended.
shy	/ʃaɪ/	schüchtern	As a child, I was very shy and found it hard to make friends.
sociable	/ˈsəʊʃəbl/	gesellig	Sociable people are friendly and enjoy being with other people.
spoilt	/spɔɪlt/	verwöhnt	Spoilt children behave badly because they are given everything they want.
stupid	/ˈstjuːpɪd/	dumm	Although he was not academically gifted, he was far from stupid .
talkative	/ˈtɔːkətɪv/	redselig	She's very talkative , unlike her brother, who hardly says a word.
tidy	/ˈtaɪdi/	ordentlich	Your room will start to look tidy straight away if you pick your clothes up off the floor.
unambitious	/ʌnæmˈbɪʃəs/	ohne Ehrgeiz	I'm pretty unambitious , so I don't mind what job I do.
unfriendly	/ʌnˈfrendli/	unfreundlich	The people were unfriendly and refused to give me directions.
unimaginative	/ʌnɪˈmædʒɪnətɪv/	fantasielos	You must be quite unimaginative if you can't think of a joke or story.
unkind	/ʌnˈkaɪnd/	unfreundlich	The man was rude and made an unkind remark about the girl's hair.
unreliable	/ʌnrɪˈlaɪəbl/	unzuverlässig	Jane is renowned for being unreliable , so expect her to be late.
unselfish	/ʌnˈselfɪʃ/	selbstlos	Lending her his last £20 was a very unselfish thing to do.

unsociable	/ʌn'səʊʃəbl/	ungesellig
untidy	/ʌn'taɪdi/	unordentlich

We're going to stay in because we're feeling **unsociable**.
I wish he'd clean his room. It's very **untidy**.

More Words to Learn

age gap	/eɪdʒ ɡæp/	Altersunterschied	<i>My parents are almost the same age. The age gap between them is only 5 months.</i>
ban	/bæn/	sperren	<i>Some people think there should be a ban on fast food, because it is so unhealthy.</i>
bite	/baɪt/	beißen	<i>When we bite into something delicious, it has an effect on our whole body.</i>
blame	/bleɪm/	beschuldigen	<i>She taught me that you can't blame other people for your problems.</i>
bowl	/bəʊl/	Schüssel, Schale	<i>I usually have a bowl of cereal or toast for breakfast.</i>
career	/kə'riə/	Laufbahn	<i>For the lucky few, retirement can mean a successful new career.</i>
cheat	/tʃi:t/	mogeln	<i>Even in the modern era, it is still possible for sportspeople to cheat.</i>
close	/kləʊs/	nah, eng	<i>Although we were complete opposites, we were very close.</i>
cool	/ku:l/	cool, modern	<i>I always thought my sister was cool. I looked up to her a lot.</i>
crowd	/kraʊd/	Menge	<i>When he scored the winning goal in the final minute, the crowd went wild.</i>
dish	/dɪʃ/	Gericht, Speise	<i>Moussaka is a Greek dish made of potato, aubergines and mince.</i>
eat out	/i:t aʊt/	essen gehen	<i>When I was young we never went to restaurants, but now I eat out all time.</i>
fat	/fæt/	Fett	<i>People who eat nothing but fast food are often fat and unhealthy.</i>
foul	/faʊl/	foulen	<i>There was a clear foul on the goalkeeper, but the referee didn't spot it.</i>
generation	/dʒenə'reɪʃn/	Generation	<i>Each generation seems to have a different idea of what constitutes healthy eating.</i>
heat up	/hi:t ʌp/	aufwärmen	<i>I usually heat up a frozen meal or order a takeaway.</i>
honey	/'hʌni/	Honig	<i>Has the quality of honey got anything to do with the size of the bees?</i>
jockey	/'dʒɔki/	Jockey	<i>He became too big to continue as a jockey, but he carried on working with horses.</i>
kids	/kɪdz/	Kinder	<i>When we were kids we had a lot of material things, but we knew that Mum and Dad weren't happy.</i>
make up (after an argument)	/meɪk ʌp/	sich wieder vertragen	<i>We have arguments, but we always make up afterwards.</i>
pinch	/pɪntʃ/	kneifen	<i>I was horrible to my little sister – I used to pinch and bite her.</i>
portion	/'pɔ:ʃn/	Portion	<i>Losing weight is as much to do with portion size as what you eat.</i>
protest (v)	/prə'test/	protestieren	<i>The home fans started to protest loudly about the penalty that was awarded to the away team.</i>
race	/reɪs/	Rennen	<i>Fred Lorz competed in the Olympic marathon in 1904 and finished the race in three hours 13 minutes.</i>
retire	/rɪ'taɪə/	sich zurückziehen	<i>A lot of very talented sportspeople have to retire early due to injury.</i>
shape	/ʃeɪp/	Form	<i>According to research, the family is changing shape.</i>
soup	/su:p/	Suppe	<i>I don't want to throw this chicken away, so I'll make a soup with it.</i>
stew	/stju:/	Eintopf	<i>The soup was so thick it was almost like a stew.</i>
sword	/sɔ:d/	Schwert	<i>The Olympic officials examined the fencer's sword.</i>
TV commentator	/ti: 'vi:kəmən'teɪtə/	Fernsehkommentator(in)	<i>John McEnroe is now a highly respected and highly paid TV commentator.</i>
wholemeal	/'həʊlmɪ:l/	Vollkorn-	<i>Everyone agrees that wholemeal bread is healthier than white.</i>

More Words in File 1

abroad	/ə'brɔ:d/	im / ins Ausland	<i>I'd love to live abroad somewhere hot.</i>
accident	/'æksɪdənt/	Unfall	<i>The accident happened when he reversed out of his drive too quickly.</i>
according to	/ə'kɔ:diŋ tə/	laut	<i>According to scientists, the human shape is going to change within 100 years.</i>
adjust	/ə'dʒʌst/	(sich) einstellen	<i>When I first moved to this country, I found it difficult to adjust to a new way of life.</i>
admit	/əd'mɪt/	zugeben	<i>It is hard for many people to admit that they are lonely.</i>
advantage	/əd'vɑ:ntɪdʒ/	Vorteil	<i>One advantage of being a vegetarian is not spending lots of money on meat.</i>
affect	/ə'fekt/	beeinflussen, sich auswirken auf	<i>What we eat affects our moods as well as our shape.</i>
amount	/ə'maʊnt/	Menge	<i>The amount of people who claim to be vegetarian but who eat chicken and fish is surprising.</i>
anecdote	/'æni:kdəʊt/	Anekdote, Geschichte	<i>He told us a funny anecdote about once when he went fishing as a boy.</i>
atmosphere	/'ætməsfɪə/	Atmosphäre	<i>The atmosphere in the house was very tense.</i>
awful	/'ɔ:fl/	schrecklich	<i>Both the food and the weather were awful, so we went home early.</i>
be addicted (to sth)	/bi ə'dɪktɪd/	süchtig sein	<i>I think I must be addicted to caffeine, as I have to have a cup of strong coffee every hour.</i>
bee	/bi:/	Biene	<i>It takes millions of bees to produce the amount of honey that we eat in this country.</i>
canteen	/kæn'ti:n/	Kantine	<i>The canteen at work offers a wide variety of healthy food, as well as chips, of course!</i>
celebrity	/sə'leibrəti/	Prominente(r)	<i>We were amazed when the quietest girl in the class went on to become a major celebrity.</i>
cereal	/'siəriəl/	Frühstücksflocken	<i>Many people start their day with a bowl of cereal.</i>
cheer	/tʃiə/	jubeln	<i>The spectators cheered Fred loudly when he won the race.</i>
chef	/'ʃef/	Koch	<i>The chef is Chilean but I've taught him to make some English dishes.</i>
coat	/kəʊt/	Mantel, Jacke	<i>Anna is the girl with red hair wearing the blue coat.</i>
colleague	/'kɒli:g/	Kollege	<i>A colleague at work told me about an amazing new diet.</i>
compete	/kəm'pi:t/	konkurrieren	<i>Children in larger families have to compete for their parents' attention.</i>
complicated	/'kɒmplɪkətɪd/	kompliziert	<i>I can't give a simple answer because the situation is very complicated.</i>
couple	/'kʌpl/	Paar	<i>A British research group predicted that more couples will divorce and re-marry in future.</i>
cousin	/'kʌzn/	Cousin(e)	<i>This is my aunt and uncle and that's their son George, my cousin.</i>
crash	/kræʃ/	einen Unfall haben mit	<i>She became nervous about driving after the crash.</i>
criticize (sb)	/'krɪtɪsaɪz/	kritisieren	<i>My sister always defended me when other people criticized me.</i>
cut down (on sth)	/kʌt daʊn/	weniger ... essen / trinken	<i>I'm trying to cut down on chocolate at the moment.</i>
deaf	/def/	taub	<i>My grandma always had poor hearing, but now she's completely deaf.</i>
decision	/dɪ'sɪʒn/	Entscheidung	<i>The decision to ban him from athletics was the correct one.</i>
defend (sb)	/dɪ'fend/	verteidigen	<i>It's difficult to defend someone who cheats in sport.</i>
definitely	/'defɪnətli/	bestimmt	<i>If you compare the two photos, you can see he is definitely thinner in the earlier one.</i>
depression	/dɪ'preʃn/	Depression	<i>When sportspeople retire, there's a high risk of depression due to the loss of status.</i>
description	/dɪs'krɪʃjən/	Beschreibung	<i>It's easy to give a description of her personality: she's loud and extrovert!</i>

diet	/ˈdaɪət/	Ernährung	People are trying to improve their diets by eating more healthily.
disadvantage	/dɪsədˈvɑːntɪdʒ/	Nachteil	Living in a cold country is a disadvantage when it comes to eating salads.
discover	/dɪsˈkʌvə/	entdecken	Many people are keen to discover more about their family history.
discovery	/dɪsˈkʌvəri/	Entdeckung	When official examined Boris's sword, they made a shocking discovery .
disgrace	/dɪsˈɡreɪs/	Schande	After his cheating was discovered during the Montreal Olympics, the fencer was sent home in disgrace .
divorce	/dɪˈvɔːs/	sich scheiden lassen (von)	My parents separated in 1995 and got a divorce two years later.
drop	/drɒp/	fallen lassen	The worst moment for our side came when the goalkeeper dropped the ball and the other team scored.
earn money	/ɜːn ˈmʌni/	Geld verdienen	When people retire, they often find other ways to earn money .
even	/ˈiːvn/	sogar	Caroline was a confident person even when she was little.
examine	/ɪɡˈzæmɪn/	untersuchen	Officials examined the sword and realized that Boris had cheated.
exception	/ɪkˈsepʃn/	Ausnahme	With the exception of Patty, we're all red-haired in my family.
exciting	/ɪkˈsaɪtɪŋ/	aufregend	The competition will be so exciting this year. I can't wait.
experience	/ɪkˈspɪəriəns/	Erlebnis, Erfahrung	Many sportspeople retire having little experience of any other type of job.
extended family	/ɪkˈstendɪd ˈfæməli/	Grossfamilie	In future, the typical extended family will consist of three or four small generations.
fail	/feɪl/	scheitern	If you fail the exam you can always take it again.
failure	/ˈfeɪljə/	Scheitern	Sportspeople often find it difficult to cope with failure .
fair	/feə/	fair, gerecht	I am dark-haired, but my brother is fair .
fall over	/fɔːl ˈəʊvə/	hinfallen	When the athlete fell over , he got up and eventually won the race!
famous	/ˈfeɪməs/	berühmt	It was difficult living with such a famous father, as we were regarded as public property.
fashionable	/ˈfæʃnəbl/	modern	Most diets, such as the Atkins diet, are fashionable only for a short time.
fast food	/fɑːst fuːd/	Fast Food	Sometimes I get fast food for lunch, but I feel terrible about it afterwards.
favourite	/ˈfeɪvərɪt/	Lieblings-	My favourite food is pasta.
feel down	/fiːl daʊn/	deprimiert sein	When I feel down , I often eat chocolate to make myself feel better.
follow	/ˈfɒləʊ/	folgen	People are trying to improve their eating habits by following diets.
founder	/ˈfaʊndə/	Gründer(in)	I was quite nervous about meeting the founder of such a prestigious company.
fuel	/ˈfjuːəl/	Treibstoff	Food is a form of fuel , so you should be careful what you put in your body.
generous	/ˈdʒenərəs/	großzügig	She is so generous , and gives a lot of her income to charity.
get better	/get ˈbetə/	sich (ver)bessern	I only used to eat jam sandwiches, but I'm getting better at trying new food.
glamour	/ˈɡləmə/	Glamour, Glanz	The glamour of a professional sporting career is something that is hard to give up.
great-grandparents	/ɡreɪt ˈɡrænpəreɪnts/	Urgroßeltern	My great-grandparents both died last year, aged 100.
guest	/ɡest/	Gast	Some of the guests at the wedding were complete strangers.
half-brother	/hɑːf ˈbrʌðə/	Halbbruder	I get on really well with my half-brother and stepfather.
healthy	/ˈhelθi/	gesund	Fruit is always a healthy option for dessert.
hungry	/ˈhʌŋɡri/	hungrig	If you ate breakfast, you wouldn't be so hungry at 11 o'clock.
improve	/ɪmˈpruːv/	verbessern	People want to improve their diets as well as lose weight.
in-laws	/ˈɪnlɔːz/	Schwiegereltern	I get on well with my in-laws because they're like my husband.

liquid	/ˈlɪkwɪd/	flüssig	<i>Soup is an example of a healthy liquid food.</i>
loss	/lɒs/	Verlust	<i>A loss of appetite is often the first sign that you're ill.</i>
meal	/mi:l/	Mahlzeit	<i>I really enjoyed that meal. The food here is delicious.</i>
miss (sth)	/mɪs/	vermissen	<i>I've really missed you since you left.</i>
nephew	/ˈnefjuː/	Neffe	<i>My nephew will have a baby brother or sister soon when my sister gives birth.</i>
nervous	/ˈnɜːvəs/	nervös	<i>I'm quite nervous about talking in front of so many people.</i>
niece	/niːs/	Nichte	<i>My sister has just found out she's having a baby girl, so we're going to have a new niece soon.</i>
nuclear family	/ˈnjuːkliə ˈfæməli/	Kleinfamilie	<i>Twenty years ago, there would be two or three generations, with many children in each nuclear family.</i>
offer	/ˈɒfə/	Angebot	<i>Bob was about to retire when he received an offer to work as a consultant.</i>
only child	/ˈɒnli tʃaɪld/	Einzelkind	<i>As an only child, I always wanted to have a brother or sister to play with.</i>
optional	/ˈɒpʃənəl/	freiwillig	<i>In some countries, tipping a waiter isn't optional, it's obligatory.</i>
pain	/peɪn/	Schmerz	<i>Is a short but glamorous career in sport worth all the pain from injuries?</i>
partly	/ˈpɑːtli/	teilweise	<i>I left my job partly because of the pay, but also because of the lack of opportunities.</i>
peak	/pi:k/	Höchstform	<i>It's very sad that he had to retire at the peak of his career.</i>
physical education	/ˈfɪzɪkl edʒuˈkeɪʃn/	Sport(unterricht)	<i>It's very important that physical education is on the curriculum, as many children don't exercise.</i>
pick	/pɪk/	wählen	<i>When the manager picked the team, Sam was disappointed not to be in it.</i>
plant	/plɑːnt/	Pflanze	<i>I've grown lots of herbs and other types of plant in my garden.</i>
pleasure	/ˈpleʒə/	Vergnügen, Freude	<i>I get more pleasure from giving rather than receiving gifts.</i>
position	/pəˈzɪʃn/	Position, Platz	<i>It is said that your position in the family can affect your personality.</i>
prediction	/prɪˈdɪkʃn/	Vorhersage	<i>Researchers have been making predictions about family units in the future.</i>
pretend	/prɪˈtend/	so tun als ob	<i>I thought he was very rude when he pretended not to hear me.</i>
price	/praɪs/	Preis	<i>The price of a restaurant meal often has nothing to do with the cost of the ingredients.</i>
professional	/prəˈfeʃənəl/	professionell	<i>Professional sportspeople have to train every day.</i>
promise	/ˈprɒmɪs/	Versprechen	<i>You shouldn't make a promise that you can't keep.</i>
promote	/prəˈməʊt/	werben für	<i>She is in Britain this week promoting her new book.</i>
proper	/ˈprɒpə/	richtig	<i>We always sit down and have a proper family meal.</i>
pub	/pʌb/	Gasthaus	<i>The best place for a tourist to eat in England is in a pub.</i>
quantity	/ˈkwɒntəti/	Menge	<i>You need to think about the quantity of food you eat as well as the quality.</i>
rare	/reə/	englisch gebraten	<i>Is it healthier to eat rare meat than meat that is well done?</i>
ready-cooked	/ˈredi kʊkt/	Fertig-	<i>I don't have much time to cook, so often eat a ready-cooked meal.</i>
recognition	/rekəgˈnɪʃn/	Anerkennung	<i>She was an excellent writer who never received the recognition she deserved.</i>
recommend	/rekəˈmend/	empfehlen	<i>Can you recommend any good films?</i>
recover	/rɪˈkʌvə/	sich erholen	<i>The footballer had to retire after receiving an injury from which he never recovered.</i>
relationship	/rɪˈleɪʃnʃɪp/	Beziehung	<i>I don't want the people in the office to know about our relationship.</i>
relative	/ˈrelətɪv/	Verwandte(r)	<i>I love seeing all my relatives at Christmas.</i>
research	/rɪˈsɜːtʃ/	Forschung	<i>According to research, women worry more about their diet than men.</i>
retirement	/rɪˈtaɪəmənt/	Ruhestand	<i>Retirement for people in general is traumatic because of the loss of status and recognition.</i>

reunion	/ri:'ju:niən/	Treffen	<i>I didn't see my father for a long time after he left home, but we recently had a reunion.</i>
salad	/'sæləd/	Salat	<i>I often eat soups and stews in winter, but in summer I prefer something light, like a salad.</i>
service	/'sɜ:vis/	Bedienung	<i>The service here is very slow. We waited half an hour for the waiter to take our order.</i>
single-parent family	/'sɪŋgl 'peərənt 'fæməli/	Einelternfamilie	<i>Once Dad left home, we had to come to terms with the fact that we were a single-parent family.</i>
snack	/snæk/	kleine Mahlzeit, Imbiss	<i>I often have a snack in the afternoon – something like fruit or a few nuts.</i>
spiky	/'spaɪki/	stachelig	<i>My hair was long and straight, while Carnie's was short and spiky.</i>
stand out	/stænd aʊt/	sich abheben	<i>He was a very quiet, shy child, and didn't stand out at all.</i>
stepmother	/'stepmʌðə/	Stiefmutter	<i>When my father re-married, it took us a while to get used to our stepmother.</i>
still	/sti:l/	immer noch	<i>We've been sitting here for half an hour and we're still waiting for someone to take our order.</i>
strict	/strikt/	streng	<i>It isn't healthy to follow a strict diet that restricts your food severely.</i>
sweet tooth	/swi:t tu:θ/	gern Süßigkeiten essen	<i>Desserts and cakes are popular in Chile because people there have a sweet tooth.</i>
talent	/'tælənt/	Talent	<i>As a football manager, you need to be able to spot talent.</i>
teenager	/'ti:neɪdʒə/	Teenager	<i>When my sister and I were teenagers we became quite competitive with our style.</i>
thin	/θɪn/	schmal, dünn	<i>His clothes all looked too big for him because he was so thin.</i>
top	/tɒp/	Spitzen-	<i>When you're at the top of your career, you think it will last forever.</i>
touch	/tʌtʃ/	berühren	<i>In football, even a slight touch fo the ball with the hand is counted as handball.</i>
trophy	/'trɒfi/	Pokal	<i>Having won their final game, the team was looking forward to picking up the trophy.</i>
truth	/tru:θ/	Wahrheit	<i>TV cameras showed the truth about Maradona's hand ball.</i>
typical	/'tɪpɪkl/	typisch	<i>A typical breakfast for me would be tea and toast.</i>
unhealthy	/ʌn'helθi/	ungesund	<i>Occasionally when I eat out I have something unhealthy, but I try not to eat too much fast food.</i>
variety	/və'raɪəti/	Abwechslung	<i>I don't want to eat the same thing every day. I love variety.</i>
vegetarian	/vedʒə'teəriən/	Vegetarier(in)	<i>Vegetarians are healthier than people who eat meat.</i>
well done	/wel dʌn/	durchgebraten	<i>Some chefs don't like to cook meat until it's well done, as they say it ruins the flavour.</i>
westernized	/'westənəɪzd/	verwestlicht	<i>The diet in Japan today is much more westernized.</i>
wide	/waɪd/	breit, weit	<i>The river was so wide it took us ages to cross the bridge.</i>
worry (about sth)	/'wʌri/	sich Sorgen machen (um etw.)	<i>Oldest children in a family often worry about things when they're older.</i>

File 2 Money VOCABULARY BANK

be worth	/bɪ wɜ:θ/	wert sein	<i>You may not earn a lot of money but you may be worth a lot as a person.</i>
borrow	/'bɒrəʊ/	leihen	<i>Could I borrow some money to pay the phone bill?</i>
can't afford	/kɑ:nt ə'fɔ:d/	sich nicht leisten können	<i>We've got bills to pay so we can't afford a new camera.</i>
cash machine	/kæʃ mə'ʃi:n/	Geldautomat	<i>Let's stop off at the cash machine so I can get more money out.</i>
charge	/tʃɑ:dʒ/	verlangen, berechnen	<i>I don't charge anything for my work; instead, I swap services with other people.</i>
coin	/kɔɪn/	Münze	<i>I didn't have any coins and the shop had no change for a twenty-pound note.</i>
cost	/kɒst/	kosten	<i>Don't worry about the cost of the holiday – I won it in a competition.</i>
earn	/ɜ:n/	verdienen	<i>I had a good social life and earned a lot of money.</i>

inherit	/ɪnˈherɪt/	erben	When Lydia's granddad died, she inherited £50,000.
invest	/ɪnˈvest/	investieren	If you won some money, would you spend it or invest it?
lend	/lend/	leihen	Could you lend me twenty pounds? I'll pay you back.
loan	/ləʊn/	Darlehen	The loan was too large to pay off on his small salary.
mortgage	/'mɔ:ɡɪdʒ/	Hypothek	A mortgage is the biggest loan that most people will have in their lifetime.
note	/nəʊt/	Schein, Banknote	The cashpoint had run out of ten-pound notes .
owe	/əʊ/	schulden	He said that I didn't need to pay back the money I owed him.
salary	/'sæləri/	Gehalt	As a psychotherapist, I earned a good salary and enjoyed a good life.
save	/seɪv/	sparen	If you save a little every month, by the end of the year you'll have a nice sum of money.
take out	/teɪk aʊt/	abheben	When we took out the loan we didn't realize how big the monthly repayments would be.
tax	/tæks/	Steuer	After tax , her monthly income is just enough to live on.
waste	/weɪst/	verschwenden	Since I started working here I feel that I've been doing something important, not just wasting my life.

Transport and travel VOCABULARY BANK

aisle	/aɪl/	Gang	At check-in, I asked for an aisle seat but was told that there were no seat numbers.
baggage reclaim	/'bæɡɪdʒ 'ri:kleɪm/	Gepäckausgabe	I waited at baggage reclaim for 50 minutes before I realized that my baggage had been lost.
bike	/baɪk/	Fahrrad	You can't take your bike on some trains, which means you may have a long walk when you get off.
boarding card	/'bɔ:diŋ kɑ:d/	Bordkarte	I checked my boarding card on the plane and realized that the man was sitting in my seat.
car	/kɑ:z/	Auto	There are too many cars on the road these days.
car park	/'kɑ: pɑ:k/	Parkplatz	The car park was full so I had to drive around for ages looking for a space.
carriage	/'kærɪdʒ/	(Eisenbahn)wagen	I ran for the train, to find that the carriage was so full I had to stand.
(suit) case	/('su:t) keɪs/	Koffer	In many hotels these days, you are expected to carry your own cases to your room.
check-in desk	/'tʃek ɪn desk/	Abfertigungsschalter	When I got to the check-in desk , they said they weren't holding a flight reservation in my name.
coach	/kəʊtʃ/	(Reise)bus	Travelling by coach is fine as long as there are no hold-ups on the motorway.
crash	/kræʃ/	Unfall	In wet weather you need to drive more slowly because it is easier to crash .
cycle lane	/'saɪkl leɪn/	Radweg	Many towns have cycle lanes , which encourages people to travel by bike.
(parking) fine	/('pɑ:kɪŋ) faɪn/	Bußgeld (für falsches Parken)	I thought I'd parked legally, so was surprised to receive a fine .
flight	/flaɪt/	Flug	When I saw the queue at security I was worried that I might miss my flight .
gate	/geɪt/	Flugsteig	Once through airport security, I had to run to the gate .
helmet	/'helmt/	Helm	You should always wear a helmet when out cycling to guard against head injuries.
journey	/'dʒɜ:ni/	Reise	Once you take into account check-in and security, many journeys take less time by train than by plane.
land	/lənd/	landen	The plane landed 10 minutes ahead of schedule.
lorry	/'lɒri/	Lastwagen	The lorry was travelling at well over the 60 mile an hour speed limit for heavy goods vehicles.
luggage	/'lʌɡɪdʒ/	Gepäck	The airlines mislaid my luggage so I had to buy new clothes when I reached my destination.
motorbike	/'məʊtəbaɪk/	Motorrad	Motorbikes can be difficult for car drivers to spot.

motorway	/ˈməʊtəweɪ/	Autobahn	<i>There was an accident on the M1 motorway near Leeds.</i>
pedestrian area	/pəˈdɛstriən ˈeəriə/	Fußgängerzone	<i>My town has several pedestrian areas, which make shopping more pleasant for people on foot.</i>
petrol station	/ˈpɛtrəl ˈsteɪʃn/	Tankstelle	<i>I was worried that I wouldn't be able to find a petrol station before my car ran out of fuel.</i>
platform	/ˈplætfɔ:m/	Bahnsteig	<i>At Waterloo station, I bought a paper and walked to the platform.</i>
public transport	/ˈpʌblɪk ˈtrænsپɔ:t/	öffentliche Verkehrsmittel	<i>In London, the buses and trains are expensive, whereas public transport in other countries is cheaper.</i>
railway station	/ˈreɪlweɪ ˈsteɪʃn/	Bahnhof	<i>Just outside the railway station I looked up and saw Avignon's medieval city walls.</i>
road works	/ˈrəʊdwɜ:ks/	Baustelle	<i>There were lots of traffic jams because of all the road works.</i>
rush hour	/rʌʃ ˈaʊə/	Hauptverkehrszeit	<i>I work nine to five, so I can't avoid rush hour traffic.</i>
scooter	/ˈsku:tə/	Motorroller	<i>A scooter is quicker around town than a car.</i>
seat belt	/ˈsi:t belt/	Sicherheitsgurt	<i>It's illegal not to wear a seat belt in a car.</i>
speed limit	/spi:d ˈlɪmɪt/	Tempolimit	<i>The speed limit on a motorway in France is higher than in the UK, so be careful.</i>
take off	/teɪk ɒf/	Start	<i>The plane took off smoothly and we were soon up in the clouds.</i>
taxi rank	/ˈtæksi ræŋk/	Taxistand	<i>There was a long queue at the taxi rank so I decided to catch the bus.</i>
the underground	/ði ˈʌndəgraʊnd/	die U-Bahn	<i>The underground in London is very extensive, and includes trains that travel above the ground.</i>
ticket office	/ˈtɪkɪt ˈɒfɪs/	Fahrkartenschalter	<i>You can buy your ticket at the ticket office.</i>
traffic jam	/ˈtræfɪk dʒæm/	Stau	<i>I'm stuck in a traffic jam so will be late.</i>
traffic lights	/ˈtræfɪk laɪts/	Ampel	<i>When cars stop at the traffic lights, some cyclists continue forward.</i>
tram	/træm/	Straßenbahn, Trambahn	<i>Travelling by tram in San Francisco is very exciting, because of the hills.</i>
travel	/ˈtrævl/	reisen, fahren	<i>Flying is my favourite form of travel.</i>
trip	/trɪp/	Fahrt	<i>She described the holiday as the trip of a lifetime.</i>
van	/væn/	Transporter, Lieferwagen	<i>We'll hire a van if there's too much stuff to fit in the car.</i>

More Words to Learn

'the tube' (= London underground)	/ðə tju:b/	die Londoner U-Bahn	<i>Let's take the tube. At least we won't get stuck in traffic.</i>
apart from	/əˈpɑ:t frəm/	bis auf	<i>Apart from a few clothes, Anne doesn't own anything.</i>
apes	/eɪps/	Affen	<i>Monkey World is a centre that looks after apes.</i>
apply for (a job)	/əˈplai fə/	sich bewerben um	<i>I applied for a job at a travel company.</i>
belongings	/bɪˈlɒŋɪŋz/	Sachen, Besitz	<i>Heidemarie has nothing except a few personal belongings.</i>
convenient	/kənˈvi:niənt/	praktisch, günstig	<i>Travelling by train is better than flying because it is more convenient for the centre of a town or city.</i>
deep	/di:p/	tief	<i>Sally wakes up every morning to a deep blue sky.</i>
exit (sign)	/ˈeksɪt/	Ausgang(sschild)	<i>I picked up my suitcase and followed the Exit signs.</i>
ferry	/ˈferi/	Fähre	<i>The ferry is a slow mode of transport.</i>
give away (money, etc.)	/gɪv əˈweɪ/	verschenken	<i>When Lydia Nash won £16,000, she decided she didn't need it, and gave it all away.</i>
give up (e.g. smoking)	/gɪv ʌp/	aufgeben	<i>Heidemarie decided to give up smoking.</i>
ill-treated	/ɪl ˈtri:tɪd/	misshandelt	<i>The apes that come to the centre are there because they've been ill-treated.</i>
own	/əʊn/	eigene(r, s)	<i>She doesn't own anything except some clothes and personal things.</i>
rescue	/ˈreskjuz/	retten	<i>Many apes have been rescued from laboratories and circuses all over the world.</i>
scenery	/ˈsi:nəri/	Landschaft	<i>The big advantage to travelling by train is that you can sit back and enjoy the scenery.</i>

security (check)	/sɪ'kjʊərəti/	Sicherheitskontrolle	<i>We passed through security pretty quickly, so managed to catch our flight after all.</i>
service station	/'sɜ:vɪs 'steɪʃn/	Raststätte	<i>I stopped at a service station on the motorway for a cup of coffee and a sandwich.</i>
set up (e.g. a business)	/set ʌp/	gründen	<i>In Dortmund, she set up a 'swapping circle' where people swap services without using money.</i>
social life	/'səʊʃl laɪf/	Privatleben	<i>I was working for American Express and I had a good social life.</i>
take time off	/teɪk taɪm ɒf/	sich freinehmen	<i>Karen took time off from teaching because she needed a change.</i>
throw away	/θrəʊ ə'weɪ/	wegwerfen	<i>She gave away all her money and threw away her credit cards.</i>
toothpaste	/'tu:θpeɪst/	Zahnpasta	<i>In return for a basic item like a tube of toothpaste, Heidemarie will offer one of her contacts a service.</i>
tourist guide	/'tʊərɪst gaɪd/	Fremdenführer(in)	<i>Sally has been working as a tourist guide.</i>
trivial	/'trɪvɪəl/	belanglos, unwichtig	<i>When Victoria went to Borneo and worked with apes, the problems in her job at home seemed so trivial.</i>
tunnel	/'tʌnl/	Tunnel	<i>The part of the journey where we travelled through the tunnel under the English Channel took 22 minutes.</i>
turn up (= appear, arrive)	/tɜ:n ʌp/	auftauchen	<i>We waited 45 minutes for the bus but it never turned up.</i>
wealthy	/'welθi/	reich	<i>Before I treated wealthy people but now I help anyone who needs me.</i>
whole	/həʊl/	ganz	<i>When driving, you need to concentrate the whole time.</i>

More Words in File 2

afraid	/ə'freɪd/	Angst haben	<i>I was afraid that I might miss my flight.</i>
ages	/'eɪdʒɪz/	eine Ewigkeit	<i>It took us ages to get to the airport.</i>
ahead of	/ə'hed əv/	vor, voraus	<i>Our flight landed ahead of schedule.</i>
amazing	/ə'meɪzɪŋ/	erstaunlich	<i>The best thing about Beirut is the people. Their hospitality is amazing.</i>
angry	/'æŋɡri/	verärgert, böse	<i>On returning from the orphanage, it made Lydia angry to hear students complain about being poor.</i>
approximately	/ə'prɒksɪmətli/	ungefähr	<i>This brings the total number of unemployed to approximately 1,490,000.</i>
argument	/'ɑ:gjumənt/	Streit	<i>Shelley and Ben had an argument about how best to spend their money.</i>
bill	/bɪl/	Rechnung	<i>We haven't paid the phone bill yet.</i>
blazing	/'bleɪzɪŋ/	brennend, glühend heiß	<i>I woke up this morning to a blazing sun – so different to London!</i>
blow	/bləʊ/	ausgeben	<i>Ben has blown the money for the bills on a new camera.</i>
boiling	/'bɔɪlɪŋ/	sehr heiß	<i>It's going to be boiling tomorrow – about 40 degrees!</i>
bright	/braɪt/	hell	<i>I walked out into the bright sunshine and waited for a bus to Avignon.</i>
broke	/brəʊk/	pleite	<i>After spending his wages on a new laptop, Dave was broke.</i>
buffet car	/'bʊfeɪ kɑ:/	Speisewagen	<i>After I'd found my seat on the train, I went to find the buffet car and had a cup of coffee.</i>
can (of drink)	/kæn/	Dose	<i>Opening a can of drink while driving is very dangerous.</i>
chain store	/'tʃeɪn stɔ:/	Kettenladen	<i>Victoria was the manager of a British chain store.</i>
contacts	/'kɒntæktz/	Kontakte, Bekannte	<i>Contacts can be invaluable when you want to find work.</i>
credit card	/'kredɪt kɑ:d/	Kreditkarte	<i>I find that I spend a lot less money since I threw away my credit card.</i>
culture	/'kʌltʃə/	Kultur	<i>My husband and I have always loved Arab culture.</i>
cyclist	/'saɪklɪst/	Radfahrer(in)	<i>All cyclists should wear a helmet and make sure the lights on their bikes work.</i>
dangerous	/'deɪndʒərəs/	gefährlich	<i>Picking up a specific CD from the passenger seat is a dangerous thing for a driver to do.</i>
delicious	/dɪ'liʃəs/	köstlich	<i>I love Lipsi straight away – especially the delicious food.</i>
dirty	/'dɜ:ti/	schmutzig	<i>When I was given a dirty glass I decided I didn't want to eat in that restaurant.</i>

distraction	/dɪ'strækʃn/	Ablenkung	There are many distractions for a car driver, some of which come from other passengers.
enormous	/ɪ'nɔ:məs/	riesengroß	There's an enormous difference between our situation as students in the UK and people who have no money.
equally	/ˈi:kwəli/	gleich	In my opinion, all jobs are equally important.
estimate (v)	/ˈestɪmət/	schätzen	I estimated it would take 3 days to drive to Avignon.
exciting	/ɪk'saɪtɪŋ/	aufregend	It is exciting living in a different country, but you still have the ordinary things like bills to sort out.
exhausted	/ɪg'zɔ:stɪd/	erschöpft	I've been working all day. I'm exhausted .
expert	/ˈekspɜ:t/	Experte, Expertin	An expert on road safety has determined which distractions pose the most danger when we're driving.
farmhouse	/ˈfɑ:mhaʊs/	Bauernhaus	One of the best holidays I had was when we stayed in a farmhouse and helped look after the animals.
fast	/fɑ:st/	schnell	I had to drive fast to make up for all the traffic jams.
fill up	/fɪl ʌp/	volltanken	I waited until I was in France to fill up the car, as petrol is cheaper there.
filthy	/ˈfɪlθi/	dreckig, schmutzig	The floor wasn't just dirty – it was absolutely filthy .
flat	/flæt/	Wohnung	She lives in a tiny flat that is only big enough for one person.
freezing	/ˈfri:zɪŋ/	eiskalt	I'm not going to swim. The water's freezing .
furious	/ˈfjʊəriəs/	wütend	Her father's furious . She crashed his car.
greedy	/ˈɡri:di/	(hab)gierig	You've already had lots of food. Don't be greedy .
horrible	/ˈhɒrəbl/	schrecklich	The weather was horrible when we arrived.
increase (n)	/ˈɪŋkri:s/	Steigung	The latest unemployment figures show an increase of 150,263 on last year's figures.
increase (v)	/ɪn'kri:s/	steigen	House prices have increased over the last five years.
judge (sb)	/dʒʌdʒ/	(be)urteilen, verurteilen	Many people judge you according to how much you earn.
keeper	/ˈki:pə/	Tierpfleger(in)	Four years after starting a degree in biology, Victoria became a chimpanzee keeper .
ladder	/ˈlædə/	Leiter	It is extremely difficult for first-time buyers to get on the property ladder .
look after	/lʊk 'ɑ:ftə/	betreuen	Monkey World is a centre in south-west England which looks after apes that have not been treated well.
lorry	/ˈlɒri/	Lastwagen	Hold-ups on motorways are sometimes caused by one lorry trying to overtake another while going up a hill.
mad	/mæd/	verrückt	When I took my little brother to his first circus he was mad with excitement.
mall	/mɔ:l/	Einkaufszentrum	Teenagers often meet in the shopping mall .
management	/ˈmænɪdʒmənt/	Arbeitgeber, Verwaltung	There'll be a meeting between the union leaders and management later today.
manager	/ˈmænɪdʒə/	Geschäftsführer(in)	The manager of the restaurant insisted that we have a free dessert to compensate for the delay.
mistake	/mɪs'teɪk/	Fehler	The man drove down the wrong side of the motorway by mistake and was very lucky not to cause an accident.
out of breath	/aʊt əv 'breθ/	außer Atem	Once at the airport, I had to run to the gate and I arrived completely out of breath .
packet of crisps	/ˈpækɪt əv kɪspz/	Packung Kartoffelchips	Opening a packet of crisps is a dangerous thing to do while driving because it involves both hands.
passenger	/ˈpæsɪndʒə/	Passagier, Beifahrer	I settled back in my seat on the train and looked round at the other passengers .
pay attention	/peɪ ə'tenʃn/	aufpassen	While driving, it is essential to pay attention to what's going on around you all the time.
pay rise	/peɪ raɪz/	Lohnerhöhung	The unions have asked for a pay rise of 8.5%.
possessions	/pə'zeʃnz/	Besitz, Hab und Gut	I've thought about giving away all my possessions , but what if I change my mind afterwards?
primary school	/ˈpraɪməri sku:l/	Grundschule	My interest in art started at primary school . I won a painting competition when I was eight.

properly	/ˈprɒpəli/	richtig	<i>That light on the dashboard is flashing because you haven't closed your door properly.</i>
questionnaire	/kwestʃəˈneə/	Fragebogen	<i>The travel company asked us to fill in a questionnaire about our holiday experience.</i>
queue	/kju:/	Schlange	<i>One of the reasons I prefer travelling by train is that there are often long queues at the airport.</i>
quick	/kwɪk/	schnell	<i>After a quick breakfast of toast and coffee I got on the train and was on my way.</i>
race	/reɪs/	(Wett)rennen	<i>Once off the motorway, we raced to the airport as fast as safety would allow.</i>
rob	/rɒb/	(be)rauben	<i>A man was robbed at gunpoint yesterday of all his money.</i>
safe	/seɪf/	sicher	<i>Most modes of public transport are relatively very safe.</i>
safety	/ˈseɪfti/	Sicherheit	<i>As a safety precaution, airlines advise passengers to wear their seatbelt at all times.</i>
schedule	/ˈʃedju:l/	Reiseroute	<i>Unusually, the flight took off on schedule.</i>
seat	/si:t/	(Sitz)platz	<i>There are no seat numbers on this flight.</i>
set off (on a journey)	/set ɒf/	aufbrechen	<i>We set off for the airport in good time.</i>
several	/ˈsevrəl/	mehrere	<i>It was clear that several cars had crashed into each other.</i>
smooth	/smu:ð/	problemlos	<i>The journey was smooth and relatively quiet.</i>
soon	/su:n/	bald	<i>The train journey was smooth, and soon I was looking at the fields and farmhouses of France.</i>
spend	/spend/	ausgeben	<i>Most people spend their money on things they don't need.</i>
starving	/ˈstɑ:vɪŋ/	hungrig	<i>Can I have a sandwich? I'm starving.</i>
stressed	/strest/	gestresst	<i>In the middle of a huge traffic jam, we just sat in the car getting more and more stressed.</i>
swap	/swɒp/	austauschen	<i>A 'swapping circle' is where people swap services without using money.</i>
tasty	/ˈteɪsti/	lecker	<i>I've had some very tasty meals at French service stations, but I can't say the same for British ones.</i>
terrified	/ˈterɪfaɪd/	entsetzt, voller Angst	<i>I'm terrified of flying. I never travel by plane.</i>
tiny	/ˈtɪni/	winzig	<i>The island's tiny – only 16 square kilometres.</i>
tired	/ˈtaɪəd/	müde	<i>Although I hadn't been driving, I was tired after the journey.</i>
unfamiliar	/ʌnfəˈmɪliə/	fremd, ungewohnt	<i>Jerry decided to leave the motorway and take an unfamiliar route to the airport. No wonder we got lost.</i>
union	/ˈju:niən/	Gewerkschaft	<i>The union is in negotiation with management in order to reach a pay deal.</i>
wallet	/ˈwɒlɪt/	Brieftasche	<i>The notes in his wallet are a mixture of euros and pounds.</i>
wheel	/wi:l/	Steuer(rad)	<i>On top of everything else, we had to change a wheel halfway down the motorway.</i>
year off	/jɪə ɒf/	ein Jahr Urlaub	<i>Initially, Heidemarie took a year off for the experiment.</i>

File 3 Describing people VOCABULARY BANK

about	/əˈbaʊt/	ungefähr	<i>I think he's about fifty, but he could be older.</i>
attractive	/əˈtræktɪv/	attraktiv	<i>She spent ages trying to make herself look attractive for the photo.</i>
bald	/bɔ:ld/	kahlköpfig	<i>I had a lot more hair in this photo but I'm bald now.</i>
beard	/bɪəd/	Bart	<i>My husband had a beard when I first met him, but he's shaved it off now.</i>
beautiful	/ˈbjʊ:tɪfl/	schön	<i>Your grandmother was a very beautiful woman.</i>
blonde	/blɒnd/	blond	<i>I used to have dark hair, but now I've dyed it blonde.</i>
brown	/braʊn/	braun	<i>Was his hair blonde, brown or red?</i>
curly	/ˈkɜ:li/	lockig	<i>Everyone in my family has straight hair except for me – mine's really curly.</i>
dark	/dɑ:k/	dunkel	<i>How come you're so dark when your parents are fair?</i>
early	/ˈɜ:li/	früh	<i>I left home just before I got married in my early twenties.</i>
fair	/feə/	blond, hell	<i>Her natural hair colour is fair, but she dyes it darker.</i>

forties	/ˈfɔːtɪz/	Vierziger	<i>My granddad started to go grey in his forties.</i>
fringe	/frɪndʒ/	Pony	<i>I need to get my fringe cut. It's getting in my eyes.</i>
good looking	/gʊd ˈlʊkɪŋ/	gut aussehend	<i>They're a good looking couple. Everyone thinks they must be celebrities.</i>
grey hair	/greɪ heə/	graues Haar	<i>I stopped using hair dye so now I've got completely grey hair.</i>
handsome	/ˈhænsəm/	gut aussehend	<i>James is becoming very handsome. Has he got a girlfriend yet?</i>
late	/leɪt/	spät	<i>You're late. Where have you been?</i>
long	/lɒŋ/	lang	<i>I used to have really long hair, but I decided to cut it short.</i>
medium height	/ˈmiːdiəm haɪt/	mittelgroß	<i>He was sort of medium height, you know, not short – but not tall either.</i>
mid-	/mɪd/	Mitte	<i>She looks as if she's in her mid-twenties.</i>
moustache	/məˈstɑːʃ/	Schnurrbart	<i>He had a moustache but he didn't have a beard.</i>
overweight	/əʊvəˈweɪt/	übergewichtig	<i>He used to be of average build but he's definitely overweight now.</i>
plain	/pleɪn/	unattraktiv	<i>She's quite plain without make-up.</i>
pony tail	/ˈpɒnɪteɪl/	Pferdeschwanz	<i>I often wear my hair in a pony tail to keep it away from my face.</i>
pretty	/ˈprɪti/	hübsch	<i>She's already very pretty. I think she's going to turn a lot of heads when she's older.</i>
red	/red/	rot	<i>There are more people with red hair in Ireland than anywhere else.</i>
short	/ʃɔːt/	kurz	<i>He had to have his hair cut really short when he went into the army.</i>
shoulder-length	/ˈʃəʊldə leŋθ/	schulterlang	<i>I think shoulder-length hair is a nice compromise between short and long styles.</i>
slim	/slɪm/	schlank	<i>She went on a diet to get slim for her wedding.</i>
straight	/streɪt/	glatt	<i>I hated my curly hair when I was little, and would do anything to make it straight.</i>
tall	/tɔːl/	groß	<i>My brother-in-law is so tall that he has a special long bed.</i>
ugly	/ˈʌɡli/	hässlich	<i>Would you go out with an ugly person, or do you think personality matters more?</i>
wavy	/ˈweɪvi/	gewellt	<i>I like my wavy hair, because I think straight hair is boring.</i>
well built	/wel bɪlt/	gut gebaut	<i>He goes to the gym every day, and is turning into a well built young man.</i>

More Words to Learn

amazed	/əˈmeɪzd/	erstaunt	<i>Everyone was amazed to see her surfing so soon after her accident.</i>
carry on	/ˈkæri ɒn/	weitermachen	<i>After the accident, Natalie was determined to carry on swimming.</i>
complain (about sth)	/kəmˈpleɪn/	sich beschweren	<i>She never once complained about her situation after having her leg amputated.</i>
crazy	/ˈkreɪzi/	verrückt	<i>Everyone thought she was crazy to go back to surfing after her arm was torn off by a shark.</i>
determined	/dɪˈtɜːmɪnd/	entschlossen	<i>Bethany was determined to get back on a surf board as soon as possible.</i>
disgusting	/dɪsˈɡʌstɪŋ/	ekelhaft	<i>I swallowed some really disgusting food and described it as delicious, just to be polite.</i>
do (sb) a favour	/duː ə ˈfeɪvə/	(jdm.) einen Gefallen tun	<i>My Russian husband asked me what we say in English when we want someone to do a real favour for us?</i>
expect	/ɪkˈspekt/	erwarten	<i>They were expecting to see someone older in a suit.</i>
feminine	/ˈfemɪnɪn/	feminin	<i>People don't expect a managing director to be young and feminine.</i>
give up (= stop trying)	/ɡɪv ʌp/	aufgeben	<i>I didn't give up trying to dance, but I never did really learn.</i>
hideous	/ˈhɪdiəs/	hässlich	<i>I was embarrassed about my hideous passport photo.</i>
improve	/ɪmˈpruːv/	(sich) verbessern	<i>My girlfriend learned Spanish before I improved my English.</i>

mad	/mæd/	verrückt	<i>In Russia, if you smile all the time people think you're mad.</i>
make an effort	/meɪk ən 'efət/	sich Mühe geben	<i>Do you make an effort to get a good passport photo?</i>
manage to (do sth)	/'mænɪdʒ/	es schaffen (etw. zu tun)	<i>After a lot of effort, I managed to improve my English.</i>
masculine	/'mæskjələɪn/	maskulin	<i>People always think that policewomen are big and masculine.</i>
pour (a drink)	/pɔː/	eingießen	<i>I poured us each a glass of champagne to celebrate my good news.</i>
properly	/'prɒpəli/	richtig	<i>If people brought up their children properly, they wouldn't run around a restaurant and be noisy.</i>
proud	/praʊd/	stolz	<i>My parents said they were proud of me when my first novel was published.</i>
renew (a passport)	/'riːnjuːz/	verlängern	<i>Michael renewed his passport and took a new photo in a photo booth.</i>
research	/'riːsɜːtʃ/	Forschung	<i>According to research the Italians are most embarrassed about their passport photos.</i>
scream	/skriːm/	schreien	<i>The accident happened so quickly that Bethany didn't have time to scream.</i>
step on (sb's foot)	/step ɒn/	treten auf	<i>I taught my Russian husband to say sorry even if someone else stepped on his toe.</i>
swallow	/'swɒləʊ/	schlucken	<i>The food tasted horrible, but I swallowed it rather than risk causing offence.</i>
take up (a hobby)	/teɪk ʌp/	aufnehmen	<i>I'm not going to sit at home and take up knitting!</i>
translate (into)	/'træns'leɪt/	übersetzen	<i>Translated into English, requests in Russian can sound quite rude because they are more direct.</i>
vain	/veɪn/	eitel	<i>I think you'd have to be really vain to spend ages in a photo booth.</i>
wave	/weɪv/	Welle	<i>When you surf a wave, it's like walking on water.</i>
wig	/wɪɡ/	Perücke	<i>On my passport photo I've got lots of hair, but now I'm bald. Perhaps I should take a wig with me when I go through passport control!</i>

More Words in File 3

(a) date	/('ə) deɪt/	Verabredung, Rendezvous	<i>Amy's got a new boyfriend. They went on a date last night.</i>
(be) good / bad at (sth)	/('bi) ɡʊd, bæd ət/	gut / schlecht (sein) in	<i>I'm not very good at dancing, and I'm particularly bad at salsa, but I do enjoy it.</i>
able-bodied	/'eɪbl 'bɒdɪd/	gesund, nicht behindert	<i>Despite her accident, Natalie qualified for the final of the competition for able-bodied swimmers.</i>
accountant	/ə'kaʊntənt/	Buchhalter(in)	<i>She's gone self-employed and is looking for a good accountant to help her with her tax returns.</i>
advice	/əd'vaɪs/	Rat	<i>My friend came round to ask me for advice about her marriage.</i>
agreement	/ə'ɡriːmənt/	Vereinbarung	<i>At home we now have an agreement. He can be direct when speaking in Russian, but when speaking English, he has to add a 'please'.</i>
aim	/eɪm/	versuchen	<i>My aim this year is to pass my driving test.</i>
allowed	/ə'laʊd/	erlaubt	<i>Are you allowed to use a mobile phone on a plane?</i>
ambition	/æm'bɪʃn/	Ehrgeiz	<i>Following the accident, her immediate ambition was to compete with able-bodied swimmers again.</i>
amputate	/'æmpjuteɪt/	amputieren	<i>After she was hit by the car, her leg had to be amputated below the knee.</i>
annoy (sb)	/ə'noɪd/	(jdn.) ärgern	<i>What really annoys me is people who use their mobile phones a lot when they're with other people.</i>
apart from appearance	/ə'pɑːt frəm/	bis auf Aussehen	<i>Apart from a slight limp, you'd never know she had a false leg. I think we judge people too much by appearance. We should take personality into account more.</i>
argue	/'ɑːɡjuːz/	sich streiten	<i>Being from different countries, my husband and I sometimes argue about cultural difference.</i>

as long as	/əz lɒŋ əz/	solange	<i>I still try to dance when I hear a salsa tune, as long as nobody is watching.</i>
attack	/ə'tæk/	Angriff	<i>Bethany Hamilton was the best girl surfer of her age when she lost an arm in a shark attack.</i>
background	/'bækgraʊnd/	Hintergrund	<i>Despite having a famous mother, Sam Roddick's friends never mention her background or her money.</i>
believe	/'bi:lɪv/	glauben	<i>Often, people only believe that I'm a policewoman when I show them my identity.</i>
booth	/'bu:ð/	Kabine	<i>According to research, the French spend up to an hour in the photo booth trying to get the perfect photo.</i>
bring up	/'brɪŋ ʌp/	ansprechen	<i>Parents should bring up their children not to cause a nuisance in restaurants.</i>
busy	/'bɪzi/	besetzt	<i>For the last three weeks I've been very busy organizing everything for my next year at university.</i>
call back	/'kɔ:l bæk/	zurückrufen	<i>When someone calls you on your mobile when you're with other people, you should say you'll call them back.</i>
cheek	/tʃek/	Wange, Backe	<i>In some countries, it is normal to kiss people on both cheeks when you meet them for the first time.</i>
compare	/'kəm'peə/	vergleichen	<i>It's fascinating to compare the customs in different countries.</i>
corner	/'kɔ:nə/	Ecke, Ende	<i>The driving manoeuvre I find most difficult is reversing round a corner.</i>
deliberately	/'dɪ'lɪbrətli/	absichtlich	<i>I didn't like the photo on my passport so I deliberately 'lost' it and got a new one.</i>
depressed	/'dɪ'prest/	deprimiert	<i>My friend felt depressed when she realized her marriage was in difficulties.</i>
depressing	/'dɪ'presɪŋ/	deprimierend	<i>It's so depressing to have to keep taking my driving test.</i>
dial	/'daɪəl/	wählen	<i>Make sure you dial carefully so that you don't get a wrong number.</i>
direct	/'dɪ'rekt/	direkt	<i>I think sometimes the English need to say what they think, to be more direct.</i>
disappointed	/'dɪsə'pɔɪntɪd/	enttäuscht	<i>When I failed my first driving test I felt really disappointed.</i>
disappointing	/'dɪsə'pɔɪntɪŋ/	enttäuschend	<i>It was disappointing not to win a medal, but I still made history!</i>
elegant	/'elɪɡənt/	elegant	<i>People don't expect a policewoman to look elegant.</i>
embarrassed	/'ɪm'bærəst/	verlegen	<i>He was embarrassed when he stepped on someone's toe and the other person said sorry.</i>
embarrassing	/'ɪm'bærəsɪŋ/	peinlich	<i>It's so embarrassing to admit that I can't learn to do something that all my friends can do.</i>
engaged	/'ɪn'geɪdʒd/	besetzt	<i>After going out with each other for six years, Tom and Lisa have finally got engaged.</i>
enormous	/'ɪ'nɔ:məs/	riesig	<i>My room in the hotel was enormous – big enough for four people!</i>
fail	/'feɪl/	scheitern	<i>I thought I would pass the test this time, but once again it was a fail.</i>
fail (an exam)	/'feɪl/	nicht bestehen	<i>He's failed his driving test three times.</i>
failure	/'feɪljə/	Scheitern	<i>After taking so many classes I still can't speak English. I feel like a failure.</i>
flavouring	/'fleɪvərɪŋ/	Geschmack	<i>My mother-in-law told me that the soup needed more flavouring.</i>
For goodness sake!	/'fə 'gʊdnəs seɪk/	Um Himmels willen!	<i>For goodness sake! Why do the English always apologize for everything?</i>
frightened	/'fraɪntnd/	verängstigt	<i>Bethany wasn't frightened to go back in the water after the shark attack.</i>
frightening	/'fraɪntnɪŋ/	erschreckend	<i>I so nervous that I find the idea of dancing in front of other people really frightening.</i>
frustrated	/'frʌ'streɪtɪd/	frustriert	<i>After failing the driving test again, she felt immensely frustrated.</i>

frustrating	/frʌ'streɪtɪŋ/	frustrierend	<i>After spending so much time and money on classes, it's really frustrating not to be able to communicate in English.</i>
gift	/ɡɪft/	Geschenk	<i>It's polite to take a small gift when staying with someone.</i>
guests	/ɡests/	Gäste, Besuch	<i>Children were racing around the hotel and upsetting the other guests.</i>
gymnastics	/dʒɪm'næstɪks/	Gymnastik	<i>Just because you were bad at gymnastics at school, doesn't mean that you might not love playing tennis.</i>
hands free	/hændz friː/	mit Freisprecheinrichtung	<i>I hate people who use their mobiles in the car, even if they're hands free.</i>
hang up	/hæŋ ʌp/	auflegen	<i>The man on the other end just hung up the phone.</i>
hips	/hɪps/	Hüften	<i>The art of salsa is to keep your arms still and move your hips.</i>
hooligans	/'hu:lɪɡənz/	Rowdys, Hooligans	<i>Football hooligans aren't polite, but most English people are.</i>
hoot	/hu:t/	hupen	<i>The driver hooted his horn but the girl didn't hear him.</i>
idiot	/'ɪdiət/	Trottel	<i>He felt like an idiot because in Russia if you smile all the time, people think that you are mad.</i>
judge	/dʒʌdʒ/	(be)urteilen	<i>To a greater or lesser, we all judge others on their appearance.</i>
leave (a message)	/li:v/	hinterlassen	<i>I left a message on your mobile. Didn't you get it?</i>
look like (sb)	/lʊk laɪk/	ähnlich sehen	<i>You look like your sister. Are you twins?</i>
majority	/mə'dʒɔrəti/	Mehrheit	<i>Melik thinks that the majority of English people are polite.</i>
make a living	/meɪk ə 'lɪvɪŋ/	seinen Lebensunterhalt verdienen	<i>Rafael has been making a living as a flamenco guitarist since he was 17.</i>
manners	/'mænəz/	Manieren	<i>Does having good manners make it easier to get on with other people?</i>
mention	/'menʃn/	erwähnen	<i>I didn't realize I had paint on my dress until someone mentioned it.</i>
musical instrument	/'mju:zɪkl 'ɪnstrəmənt/	Musikinstrument	<i>If you want to take up a musical instrument, decide which one you like the sound of best.</i>
musician	/'mju:zɪʃn/	Musiker(in)	<i>Being a professional musician means I have to practise my guitar every day.</i>
noisy	/'nɔɪzi/	laut	<i>Many people think that it is good to let children be noisy in public.</i>
owner	/'əʊnə/	Besitzer(in)	<i>Often I'm mistaken for a waitress, when I am in fact the owner of the restaurant!</i>
pass (an exam)	/pɑ:s/	bestehen	<i>After seven attempts, she finally passed her driving test.</i>
perfect	/'pɜ:fɪkt/	perfekt	<i>The weather over the summer was perfect and I had a great time.</i>
permitted	/pə'mɪtɪd/	gestattet	<i>When we were young, we weren't permitted to call older people by their first name.</i>
polite	/pə'laɪt/	höflich	<i>It's considered polite to say please and thank you.</i>
present	/'preznt/	Geschenk	<i>You didn't need to buy me a present for inviting you to dinner.</i>
private	/'praɪvət/	Privat-	<i>I need to speak to you in private about a sensitive matter.</i>
promising	/'prɒmɪsɪŋ/	vielversprechend	<i>She was one of South Africa's most promising young swimmers before the accident.</i>
qualify	/'kwɒlɪfaɪ/	sich qualifizieren	<i>Natalie managed to qualify for the final, which was amazing in the circumstances.</i>
realize	/'ri:əlaɪz/	merken	<i>Often we don't realize that we may be doing or saying something impolite when we're in a foreign culture.</i>
reverse	/rɪ'vɜ:s/	zurücksetzen	<i>I failed my first driving test on the reversing manoeuvre.</i>
ride	/raɪd/	reiten	<i>When I watch surfers riding the waves I feel so envious.</i>
ring	/rɪŋ/	läuten	<i>The phone rang but when I picked it up no-one was there.</i>
ring tone	/'rɪŋ təʊn/	Klingelton	<i>My friend has a really silly ring tone on his phone.</i>
rude	/ru:d/	unhöflich	<i>Some people think it's rude not to wait for a woman to go through a door first.</i>
sailing	/'seɪlɪŋ/	Segeln	<i>I'd love to learn sailing. I'd have the freedom to travel around the world in my own boat.</i>
shark	/'ʃɑ:k/	Hai	<i>When the shark attacked her, she didn't have time to scream.</i>

shave	/ʃeɪv/	(sich) rasieren	He used to have a moustache and beard, but he shaved them both off.
shout	/ʃaʊt/	rufen, schreien	You don't need to shout when they're on a mobile phone – the other person can hear you perfectly well!
skinny	/'skɪni/	mager, dünn	He was thin before he went on that diet. Now, he's skinny .
smile	/smaɪl/	lächeln	The first time I went to Russia I smiled at everyone and translated every please and thank you into Russian.
spy	/spaɪ/	Spion(in)	When I travel, people always think I'm from their country – perhaps I should be a spy !
steps	/steps/	Schritte	After ten hours of classes I had learnt the dance steps .
stereotype	/'steriəʊtaɪp/	Klischee	Rafael thinks that Spanish people believe in stereotypes more than in Britain.
still	/stɪl/	still, unbeweglich	I've looked at that photo several times and I still can't see Pete in it.
switch (sth) off / on	/swɪtʃ ɔf, ɒn/	ein- / ausschalten	The news was so depressing that I switched off the TV.
tear	/teə/	(ab)reißen	The shark tore off Bethany's arm.
text	/tekst/	texten	It's really rude when you're with other people to start texting someone else.
thin	/θɪn/	dünn	He wasn't short and fat. He was the opposite – tall and thin .
thrilled	/θrɪld/	begeistert	I remember how thrilled I was the first time that I swam after recovering from the operation.
toe	/təʊ/	Zeh	When I had a broken toe , I was in agony for days after someone stepped on it.
trainers	/'treɪnəz/	Turnschuhe	I usually dress casually in jeans and trainers .
turn (sth) off / on	/tɜ:n ɔf, ɒn/	ein- / ausschalten	When I turned on the radio, I was amazed to be listening to my old Maths teacher.
tutors	/'tju:təz/	Kursleiter, Dozenten	The English tutors were so polite about our teaching that we didn't realize that we were doing anything wrong.
vice versa	/vaɪs 'vi:zə/	umgekehrt	I'll call you if I hear any news, and vice versa , OK?
wave	/weɪv/	winken	Surfing on a wave is one of the best feelings in the world
wisely	/'waɪzli/	weise	Realizing that the man could turn aggressive, he wisely decided to end the conversation.

File 4 Education VOCABULARY BANK

behave	/br'heɪv/	sich benehmen	Most of the pupils pay attention and behave well.
boarding school	/'bɔ:dɪŋ sku:l/	Internat	I didn't see my family for weeks when I was away at boarding school .
cheat	/tʃi:t/	mogeln, schummeln	Cheating in exams is a serious offence.
discipline	/'dɪsəplɪn/	Disziplin	The teacher couldn't keep discipline and let the children run round the classroom.
do homework	/du: 'həʊmwɜ:k/	Hausaufgaben machen	I think it's fair that we have to do homework during the holidays.
fail	/feɪl/	durchfallen (in)	She passed nearly all of her exams but failed maths.
grade	/greɪd/	Note	I'm sure I've passed, but I'm worried about what grades I'll get.
graduate (n)	/'grædʒʊət/	Akademiker(in)	We were taught by a recent graduate who had no teaching experience.
head teacher	/hed 'ti:tʃə/	Schulleiter(in)	Any pupil that misbehaved had to go and see the head teacher .
learn	/lɜ:n/	lernen	Many children want to learn but are prevented from doing so by a badly behaved minority.
leave	/li:v/	abgehen (von)	She left school at 16 with no qualifications.
mark	/mɑ:k/	Punktzahl	One teacher always gives me low marks for my homework.
maths	/mæθs/	Mathematik	If you don't like numbers then you're unlikely to be very good at maths .
nursery school	/'nɜ:səri sku:l/	Kindergarten	Children often settle in at primary school better if they've been to nursery school .
pass	/pɑ:s/	bestehen	I'm really happy that I managed to pass all my exams.
primary school	/'praɪməri sku:l/	Grundschule	In the UK, children begin primary school at the age of 4 or 5.

private school	/ˈpraɪvət sku:l/	Privatschule	<i>My parents couldn't afford to send me to a private school.</i>
professor	/prəˈfesə/	Professor(in)	<i>He was a professor, and found it difficult to explain facts in a simple way to children.</i>
pupil	/ˈpju:pəl/	Schüler(in)	<i>The school has about 1,800 pupils.</i>
religious school	/rɪˈlɪdʒəs sku:l/	religiöse Schule	<i>Alice went to a religious school and was taught by nuns.</i>
result	/rɪˈzʌlt/	Ergebnis	<i>What will you do if you don't get the exam results you need?</i>
revise	/rɪˈvaɪz/	wiederholen, lernen	<i>I can't come out tonight. I'm revising for my exams.</i>
secondary school	/ˈsekəndri sku:l/	weiterführende Schule	<i>At secondary school, some teachers speak to the pupils as though they were adults.</i>
start	/stɑ:t/	anfangen	<i>I was brought up in a country where children don't start school until they're 7.</i>
state school	/steɪt sku:l/	staatliche Schule	<i>In state schools, the classes are usually bigger than in private schools.</i>
strict	/strikt/	streng	<i>I think many pupils prefer teachers to be strict because there are fewer problems with discipline.</i>
student	/ˈstju:dnt/	Student(in)	<i>At college, most students have lunch in the canteen.</i>
study	/ˈstʌdi/	studieren	<i>If I pass the FCE exam, I'd like to carry on studying English.</i>
subject	/ˈsʌbdʒɪkt/	Fach	<i>My favourite subjects are English and History.</i>
take	/teɪk/	machen	<i>If I fail, I'll have to take the exams again next year.</i>
term	/tɜ:m/	Trimester	<i>At the end of every term we have a test to check our progress throughout the year.</i>
timetable	/ˈtaɪmteɪbl/	Stundenplan	<i>I looked at the timetable and was horrified to see we had double Maths on Friday afternoons.</i>
uniform	/ˈju:nɪfɔ:m/	Uniform	<i>When I was at school we had to wear a horrible grey uniform.</i>

Houses VOCABULARY BANK

armchair	/ˈɑ:mtʃeə/	Sessel	<i>In winter, I like to come home and sit in my favourite armchair in front of the fire.</i>
balcony	/ˈbælkəni/	Balkon	<i>The house has a large balcony, which is ideal for eating outside in the summer.</i>
bathroom	/ˈbɑ:θru:m/	Badezimmer	<i>In the middle of the bathroom was the biggest bath I've ever seen.</i>
bedroom	/ˈbedru:m/	Schlafzimmer	<i>The bedroom had a plenty of space for a double bed.</i>
bedside table	/ˈbedsaɪd ˈteɪbl/	Nachttisch	<i>My cat often sits on my bedside table.</i>
block of flats	/blɒk əv flæts/	Wohnblock	<i>She used to live on the eighteenth floor of a block of flats.</i>
chest of drawers	/tʃest əv drɔ:z/	Kommode	<i>The napkins are in the top drawer of that chest of drawers.</i>
chimney	/ˈtʃɪmni/	Kamin	<i>Some modern houses are built with chimneys on top of the roof even though there is no fireplace.</i>
city centre	/ˈsɪti ˈsentə/	Stadtzentrum	<i>Many rich people have a country mansion and a city centre apartment.</i>
coffee table	/ˈkɒfi ˈteɪbl/	Couchtisch	<i>He stretched his feet out under the coffee table.</i>
cottage	/ˈkɒtɪdʒ/	Häuschen	<i>Many people's ideal home is a cottage with roses growing round the front door.</i>
detached house	/dɪˈtætʃt/	Einzelhaus, freistehendes Haus	<i>It was a lovely detached house with gardens on all sides.</i>
dishwasher	/ˈdɪʃwɒʃə/	Spülmaschine	<i>The dishwasher isn't working properly. It washes the dishes OK but it doesn't dry them.</i>
garage	/ˈgærɑ:ʒ/	Garage	<i>Someone stole our car when Rob forgot to lock the garage door.</i>
garden	/ˈgɑ:dn/	Garten	<i>We're going to plant some vegetables in the garden.</i>
gate	/geɪt/	Tor	<i>My garden has a wooden gate at the end of the path.</i>
kitchen	/ˈkɪtʃɪn/	Küche	<i>I love old houses but I'd have a modern kitchen.</i>
living room	/ˈlɪvɪŋ ru:m/	Wohnzimmer	<i>The living room was huge, with an open fire and two large sofas.</i>
path	/pɑ:θ/	Weg	<i>The grass is very muddy today, so please keep to the path.</i>
residential area	/reziˈdenʃl ˈeəriə/	Wohngebiet	<i>We stayed in a residential area of the city, which made us feel like locals.</i>

roof	/ru:f/	Dach	<i>He didn't want to climb onto the roof because he was scared of heights.</i>
second floor	/'sekənd flɔ:/	zweiter Stock	<i>After he reached to the first floor, he had to rest before continuing up to the second floor.</i>
shower	/'ʃaʊə/	Dusche	<i>The bathrooms in the hotel were very small, and had showers instead of baths.</i>
sink	/sɪŋk/	Spüle, Waschbecken	<i>The sink in the kitchen was very old and had beautiful taps.</i>
small town	/smɔ:l taʊn/	Kleinstadt	<i>We only live in a small town which is really about the size of a large village.</i>
steps	/steps/	Stufen	<i>There aren't any steps up to the attic – you have to use a ladder.</i>
suburbs	/'sʌbɜ:zbz/	Vorstadt	<i>My grandparents moved from the centre of the city to the suburbs as soon as they could afford to.</i>
terrace	/'terəs/	Terrasse	<i>There were chairs, a table and a stove on the terrace, making it almost like an outdoor room.</i>
terraced house	/'terəst haʊs/	Reihenhaus	<i>Terraced houses tend to be warmer because they've got houses on either side.</i>
the country	/ðə 'kʌntri/	das Land	<i>My dream house would be in the country, away from the noise and pollution of the city.</i>
village	/'vɪlɪdʒ/	Dorf	<i>We drove through a beautiful little village on the way here.</i>
wall	/wɔ:l/	Mauer	<i>The walls are really plain. We need to hang up some pictures.</i>
washbasin	/'wɒʃbeɪsɪn/	Waschbecken	<i>Everything in the bathroom, including the washbasin and bath, was orange.</i>

More Words to Learn

(paint) brush	/(peɪnt) brʌʃ/	Pinsel	<i>The famous artist's palette and brushes are still on the worktable in her studio.</i>
behaviour	/br'heɪvjə/	Benehmen	<i>In the space of 10 years, the standard of behaviour among pupils in this school has deteriorated sharply.</i>
bell	/bel/	Klingel, Glocke	<i>The lessons this morning were really difficult, so I was glad when I heard the lunchtime bell.</i>
break up (with sb)	/breɪk ʌp/	sich trennen	<i>I broke up with my first boyfriend because my parents didn't approve of him.</i>
canteen	/kæn'ti:n/	Kantine	<i>The canteen was large a noisy with the sound of cutlery and people talking.</i>
do up (your coat)	/du: ʌp/	zumachen	<i>I was embarrassed when a teacher asked me to do up my shirt as I hadn't realized it was unbuttoned.</i>
effective	/ɪ'fektɪv/	wirksam	<i>The teacher's threat to send her to the head teacher was effective – the girl apologized for her behaviour.</i>
entrance	/'entrəns/	Eingang	<i>The entrance to the house is guarded by two giant statues.</i>
extraordinary	/ɪk'strɔ:dnri/	außergewöhnlich	<i>The home of the surrealist painter Frida Kahlo is one of the most extraordinary places in Mexico.</i>
finally	/'faɪnəli/	schließlich	<i>I gave the matter a lot of thought, and finally decided that he was right.</i>
first of all	/fɜ:st əv ɔ:l/	erstens, als Erstes	<i>First of all, I wasn't keen on the idea of meeting up with my old classmates, but I decided to do it.</i>
get in touch with	/get ɪn tʌtʃ wɪð/	sich in Verbindung setzen mit	<i>After a number of years, I decided to get in touch with her again.</i>
get rid of	/get rɪd əv/	loswerden	<i>When I said I had to get up early the next day, Jane thought I was trying to get rid of her.</i>
get to know	/get tə nəʊ/	kennenlernen	<i>When Seb lost his memory, he had to start getting to know everyone again.</i>
huge	/hju:dʒ/	riesig	<i>Your garden's huge – you could fit a football pitch in it!</i>
ideal	/aɪ'di:əl/	Traum-	<i>After spending almost a year looking at different houses, she found her ideal home only five miles away.</i>
make an excuse	/meɪk ən ɪk'skju:z/	sich entschuldigen	<i>When he asked to see me again I made an excuse, hoping he would take the hint.</i>
patio	/'pætiəʊ/	Terrasse	<i>It is nice to sit out on the patio in summer.</i>

punish	/ˈpʌnɪʃ/	bestrafen	<i>Hitting pupils isn't regarded as an acceptable way to punish them these days.</i>
realize	/ˈriːəlaɪz/	merken	<i>As soon as I saw him, I realized that we didn't have anything in common any more.</i>
reply	/rɪˈplaɪ/	antworten	<i>When Robert replied to my email I got really excited.</i>
secondly	/ˈsekəndli/	zweitens	<i>The reasons I don't want to buy that house are that it's in the wrong area and secondly, it's too small.</i>
shutters	/ˈʃʌtəz/	Festerläden	<i>The shutters on the windows are essential for keeping the rooms cool in the hot summer months.</i>
slightly	/ˈslartli/	leicht	<i>There isn't any point buying that house. It's only slightly bigger than the one we're living in now.</i>
spacious	/ˈspeɪʃəs/	geräumig	<i>It was important that the rooms were spacious, as I had a lot of furniture.</i>
surrounded by	/səˈraʊndɪd baɪ/	umgeben von	<i>The house was surrounded by trees which blocked out much of the light.</i>
tend to	/tend tə/	neigen zu	<i>Nowadays, people tend to spend a lot of time socializing with colleagues at work.</i>
useful	/ˈjuːsfl/	nützlich	<i>Friends Reunited is a very useful way of contacting people you've lost touch with.</i>
wonder	/ˈwʌndə/	sich fragen	<i>I often wonder what it was like to be at school in the 1950s.</i>

More Words in File 4

airy	/ˈeəri/	luftig	<i>The large windows made the house look bright and airy.</i>
argue	/ˈɑːɡjuː/	sich streiten	<i>My sister and I get on really well. In fact, we never argue.</i>
bet	/bet/	wetten	<i>I bet pupils didn't like school food in the 1950s any more than they do now.</i>
biology	/baɪˈɒlədʒi/	Biologie	<i>In Biology we studied the life cycle of a frog.</i>
cane	/keɪn/	mit dem Stock schlagen	<i>It is incredible to think that canning a child was considered an acceptable form of punishment.</i>
capital	/ˈkæpɪtl/	Hauptstadt	<i>We're moving out of London because we're tired of living in the capital.</i>
ceiling	/ˈsiːlɪŋ/	Decke	<i>Houses built during the reign of King George IV usually had big rooms and high ceilings.</i>
celebrate	/ˈselɪbreɪt/	feiern	<i>How are we going to celebrate the end of the exams?</i>
celebration	/selɪˈbreɪʃn/	Feier	<i>I don't want to plan any celebrations until I get my results.</i>
chemistry	/ˈkemɪstri/	Chemie	<i>Of all the sciences, I like Chemistry the least.</i>
classmates	/ˈklɑːsmerts/	Klassenkamerad(inn)en	<i>I was nervous because I didn't know anyone, but my classmates soon put me at ease.</i>
close	/kləʊs/	nah, eng	<i>In the meditation session, pupils had to close their eyes and sit cross-legged on their desks for 15 minutes.</i>
coffee break	/ˈkɒfi breɪk/	Kaffepause	<i>I got to know her when we worked together and sat with each other on our coffee breaks.</i>
colleague	/ˈkɒliːg/	Kollege, Kollegin	<i>Claire was a colleague of mine at the first company I ever worked for.</i>
comb	/kəʊm/	kämmen	<i>His thinning hair was combed over his forehead in a very unflattering style.</i>
competition	/kəmpeɪˈtɪʃn/	Preisausschreiben	<i>There's a competition to win a New York apartment.</i>
contact (sb)	/ˈkɒntækt/	kontaktieren	<i>I'll contact you tomorrow to let you know whether you've got the job.</i>
convent	/ˈkɒnvənt/	Kloster	<i>This building used to be a convent, which is why the architecture is similar to that of a church.</i>
conventional	/kənˈvenʃənl/	konventionell	<i>I'd prefer to live in a hi-tech flat rather than a conventional house.</i>
cross-country run	/krɒs ˈkʌntri rʌn/	Querfeldeinlauf	<i>It used to be common for boarding school pupils to go for cross-country runs in the morning.</i>
cupboard	/ˈkʌbəd/	Schrank	<i>In the artist's bedroom is a cupboard with a glass door, which contains some of her distinctive clothes.</i>

dazed	/deɪzd/	benommen	<i>The children came out of the meditation session looking rather dazed.</i>
diary	/'daɪəri/	Tagebuch	<i>Let's have a look at our diaries and arrange a time to meet up.</i>
directory	/də'rektəri/	Telefonbuch	<i>I tried to find him by looking in the phone directory but there was nobody of that name in there.</i>
dresser	/'dresə/	Anrichte	<i>Next to the cupboard was a yellow dresser holding traditional green and brown Mexican dishes.</i>
except	/ɪk'sept/	außer	<i>I never got into trouble at school, except once when I went out at lunchtime without permission.</i>
expect	/ɪk'spekt/	erwarten	<i>I was shocked when I saw him as I hadn't expected him to have changed so much.</i>
experiment	/ɪk'sperɪmənt/	Experiment	<i>The experiment involved a group of students who were to experience life in a 1950s boarding school.</i>
fall in love (with)	/fɔ:l ɪn lʌv (wɪð)/	sich verlieben	<i>He met his wife at school, but they only fell in love with each other when they met up again eight years later.</i>
fascinating	/'fæsɪneɪtɪŋ/	faszinierend	<i>I loved the last episode – in fact, I found the whole series fascinating.</i>
floor	/flɔ:/	Fußboden	<i>The kitchen floor was painted bright yellow to stop the insects from coming in.</i>
friendship	/'frendʃɪp/	Freundschaft	<i>The quickest way for a man to lose a friendship is to criticize someone else's girlfriend.</i>
gallery	/'gæləri/	Galerie	<i>The artist's living room is now a gallery where some of her paintings can be seen.</i>
geography	/dʒɪ'ɒɡrəfi/	Erdkunde	<i>My favourite subject at school was Geography because I was fascinated by maps.</i>
get in touch (with)	/get ɪn tʌtʃ (wɪð)/	sich in Verbindung setzen mit	<i>I recently got in touch with someone I'd known at school, but it was a disaster.</i>
get on well (with)	/get ɒn wel (wɪð)/	sich gut verstehen	<i>Just because you get on well with someone at school it doesn't mean that you'll always be friends.</i>
give (sth) in	/ɡɪv ɪn/	abgeben, einreichen	<i>It's always made clear to pupils what homework they have to do and when they have to give it in.</i>
hard	/hɑ:d/	schwer	<i>The exam was very hard but I think I've probably passed.</i>
have (sth) in common	/hæv ɪn 'kɒmən/	gemeinsam haben	<i>I was disappointed to find that we had nothing in common after all these years.</i>
history	/'hɪstri/	Geschichte	<i>History at school used to be about battles and dates.</i>
imagine	/'ɪmædʒɪn/	sich vorstellen	<i>I tried to imagine what life was like for a child of my age without computers or TV, but I couldn't.</i>
impractical	/'ɪm'præktɪkl/	unpraktisch	<i>The uniforms of the 1950s were impractical and uncomfortable.</i>
in return	/'ɪn rɪ'tʌ:n/	umgekehrt, als Gegenleistung	<i>The teacher talked to the children as if they were adults and got their attention in return.</i>
in search of	/'ɪn sɜ:tʃ əv/	auf der Suche nach	<i>I joined Friends Reunited in search of an old classmate.</i>
information technology	/'ɪnfə'meɪʃn tek'nɒlədʒɪ/	Informatik	<i>When I was at school, there were no computers, so no classes in Information Technology!</i>
intense	/'ɪntens/	intensiv	<i>They had an intense relationship for about a year, before splitting up and marrying other people.</i>
interrogate	/'ɪnterəɡeɪt/	ausfragen, verhören	<i>We interrogated the new boy for some time about where he came from and which team he supported.</i>
intimate	/'ɪntɪmət/	intim	<i>My friend has intimate conversations with people she's only just met, which I don't think is appropriate.</i>
invent	/'ɪn'vent/	erfinden	<i>It's sometimes better to invent an excuse rather than admit you don't want to meet someone again.</i>
keep in touch (with)	/'ki:p ɪn tʌtʃ (wɪð)/	Kontakt halten	<i>I've kept in touch with a lot of people from university, and we often meet for a drink or meal.</i>
know	/'nəʊ/	kennen	<i>When I walked into the bar, I didn't know who anyone was at first.</i>
leader	/'li:də/	Führer(in)	<i>The course leader told us to enjoy our time as students.</i>

literature	/ˈlɪtrətʃə/	Literatur	<i>I never liked English Literature at school, but I read lots of books for pleasure once I left.</i>
lose touch (with)	/luːz tʌtʃ (wɪð)/	den Kontakt verlieren	<i>It's very easy to lose touch with people once your circumstances change.</i>
maths	/mæθs/	Mathe	<i>Many people think that Maths is difficult, probably because it's about numbers rather than words or facts.</i>
meet	/mi:t/	kennenlernen	<i>When I started at university, I met the man who later became my husband.</i>
member	/'membə/	Mitglied	<i>Members of Friends Reunited can contact each other without revealing personal email addresses.</i>
methods	/'meθədz/	Methoden	<i>It was interesting to compare the different methods of learning a foreign language.</i>
minimalist	/'mɪnəməlist/	minimalistisch	<i>I'd prefer to live somewhere with minimalist décor than a house with lots of furniture.</i>
modern	/'mɒdn/	modern	<i>Modern-day children would find it difficult to be silent all the time during class, as was the case 50 years ago.</i>
painting	/'peɪntɪŋ/	Gemälde	<i>The room was bright and colourful, with paintings hanging on every wall.</i>
period	/'pɪəriəd/	Zeit	<i>During the period that the couple were together, there was barely a day when they didn't disagree about something.</i>
pet	/pet/	Haustier	<i>Frida Kahlo had 2 pets, a monkey and a parrot.</i>
physics	/'fɪzɪks/	Physik	<i>The only thing I can remember about studying Physics at school was how a lightbulb works.</i>
picturesque	/'pɪktʃə'resk/	malerisch	<i>I'd seen how beautiful the village was on postcards, and found that it was equally picturesque in real life.</i>
politician	/'pɒlə'tɪʃn/	Politiker(in)	<i>The famous couple entertained many people, including politicians, other artists and writers.</i>
popular	/'pɒpjələ/	beliebt	<i>In the school canteen, burger and chips was the most popular meal.</i>
post	/'pəʊst/	Position	<i>The website enables members to post photos and information about what they are doing now.</i>
promise	/'prɒmɪs/	versprechen	<i>I promised to call him, but I had no intention of contacting him again.</i>
real	/'ri:əl/	echt, richtig	<i>These days, we don't have time to see our real, close friends.</i>
rebel (n)	/'rebl/	Rebelle, Rebellin	<i>Instead of the rebel he used to be, he was now much more conventional than me.</i>
recognize	/'rekəɡnaɪz/	erkennen	<i>Even after 20 years, we all recognized each other when we met up.</i>
register	/'redʒɪstə/	sich anmelden	<i>The web page shows you a list of the people already registered to use the service.</i>
remote	/'rɪ'məʊt/	entlegen	<i>I'd like to live in a cottage somewhere in the country, but not too remote.</i>
reveal	/'ri:vɪl/	verraten, offenbaren	<i>We'd only been talking for a few minutes when he revealed that he'd been divorced twice.</i>
revision	/'rɪ'vɪʒn/	Wiederholung	<i>Zoe said she's staying in all week because she's got lots of revision to do for her exams.</i>
share	/'ʃeə/	teilen	<i>When we were younger and had no money, we'd sometimes share a meal in a restaurant.</i>
sip	/'sɪp/	in kleinen Schlucken trinken	<i>I was just sipping my wine when a man came over to my table.</i>
socialize	/'səʊʃəlaɪz/	sich mit anderen Leuten treffen	<i>Do you socialize more with people from work, or with people that you've known for a long time?</i>
spreadsheet	/'spredʃi:t/	Tabellenkalkulationsprogramm	<i>In the Information and Communication Technology class, we designed spreadsheets for mobile phone sales.</i>
statue	/'stætju:z/	Statue	<i>The statue of a lion was big enough to climb on.</i>
strands	/'strændz/	Strähnen	<i>His once thick hair was now thin and sparse – just a few strands hanging limply down the side of his face.</i>

stylish	/ˈstaɪlɪʃ/	stilvoll, elegant	<i>This is a stylish apartment that is beautifully furnished and decorated to a high standard.</i>
success	/səkˈses/	Erfolg	<i>Some people say that Friends Reunited is only of interest to those who think they've made a success of life.</i>
superficial	/suːpəˈfiʃl/	oberflächlich	<i>Most people have friends that they know very well and acquaintances that they know in a more superficial way.</i>
supper	/ˈsʌpə/	Abendessen	<i>I'll see you at about 8 p.m. We'll go out and have supper in a nice restaurant.</i>
unspoilt	/ʌnˈspɔɪlt/	unverdorben	<i>If you want to get away from it all, come and visit the unspoilt natural beauty of our region.</i>
unusual	/ʌnˈjuːʒuəl/	ungewöhnlich	<i>The outside of the house was painted an unusual colour – a mixture of red and orange.</i>
upstairs	/ʌpˈsteəz/	oben	<i>As well as the shower room on the ground floor, there are two bathrooms upstairs.</i>
view	/vjʊː/	Aussicht	<i>There are breathtaking views of the mountains from all the windows.</i>
web page	/web peɪdʒ/	Webseite	<i>Parents can look at the school's web pages to see what homework their child has been given.</i>
whiteboard	/ˈwaɪtbɔːd/	weiße Tafel	<i>The teacher uses an interactive whiteboard which has graphics and video.</i>

File 5 Work VOCABULARY BANK

accountant	/əˈkaʊntənt/	Buchhalter(in)	<i>It's a popular belief that being an accountant is the most boring job in the world.</i>
actor	/ˈæktə/	Schauspieler(in)	<i>My friend's an actor. He has ambitions to be the next Brad Pitt.</i>
chef	/ʃef/	Koch, Köchin	<i>I like cooking but the stress of a chef's life in the kitchen would be too much for me.</i>
conductor	/kənˈdʌktə/	Dirigent(in)	<i>After seeing a professional orchestra for the first time, Milly said she wanted to become a conductor.</i>
contract	/ˈkɒntrækt/	Vertrag	<i>It was only after signing the contract that Will realized he hadn't read the terms and conditions of the job.</i>
electrician	/ɪlekˈtrɪʃn/	Elektriker(in)	<i>You have to be well trained to be an electrician because of the obvious dangers.</i>
experience	/ɪkˈspɪəriəns/	Erfahrung	<i>You should try to get work experience before applying for proper jobs.</i>
fixed hours	/fɪkst ˈaʊəz/	feste Zeiten	<i>Working as a tourist rep can be tough, because there are no fixed hours.</i>
full-time	/fʊl taɪm/	Vollzeit-	<i>There are no full-time jobs available. Everyone seems to be doing whatever part-time work they can find.</i>
in charge of	/ɪn tʃɑːdʒ əv/	verantwortlich für	<i>I'm in charge of ordering stationery and keeping all the files up-to-date.</i>
lawyer	/ˈlɔːjə/	Rechtsanwalt, -anwältin	<i>He'd make a great lawyer as he is a great communicator and an analytical mind.</i>
librarian	/laɪˈbreəriən/	Bibliothekar(in)	<i>As a librarian, I'm surrounded by books all day, but I don't have time to read any!</i>
part-time	/pɑːt taɪm/	Teilzeit-	<i>I just need a part-time job, for example working a few hours a day in a cafe or shop.</i>
permanent	/ˈpɜːmənənt/	unbefristet, Dauer-	<i>Because this is a permanent job, I'm entitled to sick leave and other benefits.</i>
plumber	/ˈplʌmə/	Klempner(in), Installateur(in)	<i>Being a plumber can be dirty work, but you can earn good money.</i>
psychologist	/saɪˈkɒlədʒɪst/	Psychologe, Psychologin	<i>I trained as a psychologist because I enjoy analyzing people.</i>
qualifications	/kwɒlɪfɪˈkeɪʃnz/	Abschlüsse, Qualifikationen	<i>You need to have qualifications even for very low-paid jobs these days.</i>
resign	/rɪˈzɑːm/	kündigen	<i>Eddie never got on with the new manager, so he decided to resign and look for another job.</i>

responsible (for)	/rɪˈspɒnsəbl̩ (fə)/	verantwortlich	She's responsible for recruiting staff, so she has to attend every interview.
retire	/rɪˈtaɪə/	in den Ruhestand gehen	My granddad loved his job and was very sad to retire when he reached 65.
scientist	/'saɪəntɪst/	Wissenschaftler(in)	My brother describes himself as a scientist but all I know is that he works in a laboratory.
self-employed	/self ɪm'plɔɪd/	selbstständig	Being self-employed carries risks because you can't rely on receiving a salary every month.
temporary	/'tempərəri/	befristet	She got herself a temporary job over the summer holidays.
training course	/'treɪnɪŋ kɔ:s/	Ausbildung, Schulung	I was sent on a training course before I started this job.
working hours	/'wɜ:kɪŋ 'aʊəz/	Arbeitszeiten	Many people opt to reduce their working hours in order to see more of their friends and families.

More Words to Learn

(finger) nails	/'fɪŋɡə neɪlz/	(Finger)nägel	When I had a pedicure, they painted my nails .
according to	/ə'kɔ:dɪŋ tə/	nach, laut	According to new research, middle-aged people may be damaging their bodies by doing too much exercise.
aim	/eɪm/	Ziel	My aim is to work no more than 35 hours a week so that I have time to see my family.
balance	/'bæləns/	Gleichgewicht	It's important to find the work-life balance that's right for you.
contestant	/'kɒn'testənt/	Teilnehmer(in), Kandidat(in)	In this TV series, each contestant has four weeks to learn to do a completely new job.
encourage	/'ɪn'kʌrɪdʒ/	ermutigen	The Slow Food movement encourages people to eat local and regional food.
flavour	/'fleɪvə/	Geschmack	Manufacturers add artificial ingredients to provide flavour and improve taste.
global	/'glɔ:bl̩/	weltweit, global	Although the Slow Food campaign started in Italy, it is now a global movement.
gossip	/'gɒsɪp/	Klatsch, Gerede	It is often assumed that women gossip about frivolous topics when they are together, but this is not the case.
however	/haʊ'evə/	jedoch, aber	Men tend to have a more limited range of subjects to talk about. However , men usually discuss one subject for longer periods of time.
in general	/'ɪn 'dʒenrəl/	im Allgemeinen	It was found that in general , women chat to solve problems and reduce stress.
increase (v)	/'ɪn'kri:z/	steigen	The number of people deciding to cut down on the hours they work is increasing .
industry	/'ɪndəstri/	Industrie	Nayuha's father, who is employed in the car industry , works for 70 hours a week.
judge	/'dʒʌdʒ/	Preisrichter(in)	I'm a very good judge of character, and can usually tell straight away if someone is being honest with me.
marketing	/'mɑ:kətɪŋ/	Marketing	I'm quite sales-oriented, so I'm looking for a position in marketing .
MP (Member of Parliament)	/'em 'pi: ('membə əv 'pɑ:ləmənt)/	Abgeordnete(r)	I had to interview a number of MPs , but I never had the opportunity to interview the prime minister.
on the other hand	/'ɒn ðɪ 'ʌðə hænd/	andererseits	I love my job and feel comfortable here, but on the other hand it would be nice to have a challenge.
organic	/'ɔ:gənik/	Bio-	I don't mind paying more for organic food as I know that it doesn't contain anything harmful to my health.
pretend	/'prɪ'tend/	so tun als ob, vortäuschen	If you don't feel confident then just pretend that you are.
protect	/'prə'tekt/	schützen	Not using chemicals to grow food is one way of protecting the environment.
reduce	/'rɪ'dju:s/	reduzieren	You are working far too hard. You need to reduce your working hours.
regret (doing)	/'rɪ'ɡret ('du:ɪŋ)/	bereuen	My father now regrets working so many hours because he hardly ever saw us.

sales	/seɪlz/	Verkauf	<i>Sales is a good area to move into if you've got an extrovert personality.</i>
seem	/si:m/	scheinen	<i>The more we try to save time, the less time we seem to have.</i>
smooth	/smu:ð/	glatt	<i>Although I didn't like the treatment, it did leave my face feeling soft and smooth.</i>
soap	/səʊp/	Seife	<i>He usually washes his face in soap and water.</i>
sticky	/'stɪki/	klebrig	<i>One of the spa treatments involved being covered all over in sticky mud that I couldn't get off my hands.</i>
tragic	/'trædʒɪk/	tragisch	<i>It was tragic that he should die so soon after retiring, with no time to enjoy his retirement.</i>
TV series	/ti: 'vi: 'sɪəri:z/	Fernsehserie	<i>My favourite TV series has just ended after a run of ten weeks.</i>
vote	/vəʊt/	stimmen, abstimmen	<i>He says he knows nothing about politics and has never even voted in an election.</i>
whereas	/weər'æz/	während	<i>My brother's a typical librarian – very quiet – whereas I'm louder and more outgoing.</i>

More Words in File 5

(do) overtime	/(du:)'əʊvətəɪm/	Überstunden (machen)	<i>I sometimes do overtime when I need a bit of extra money.</i>
abroad	/ə'brɔ:d/	im / ins Ausland	<i>She decided to work abroad because she wanted to experience life in another country.</i>
absent	/'æbsənt/	abwesend	<i>He was absent from work for the whole morning.</i>
admire	/əd'maɪə/	bewundern	<i>We admire your enthusiasm for the job, but I'm afraid you don't have the necessary skills we're looking for.</i>
alternatively	/ɔ:l'tɜ:nətɪvli/	alternativ, oder aber auch	<i>If you're so unhappy, apply for another job. Alternatively, do a training course.</i>
analytical	/ænə'lɪtɪkl/	analytisch	<i>She has a sharp, analytical mind and would make a good engineer.</i>
anniversary	/æni'vɜ:səri/	Jahrestag	<i>Today is the tenth anniversary of my joining this company.</i>
apply (for a job)	/ə'plai (fə ə dʒɔb)/	sich bewerben	<i>He applied for a job with a food company and was invited to an interview.</i>
architecture	/'ɑ:kɪtektʃə/	Architektur	<i>I've always been interested in architecture, but my lack of spatial awareness means I probably wouldn't make a good architect.</i>
ban	/bæn/	verbieten	<i>Cars are dirty and noisy, and should be banned from the city centre.</i>
be lost	/bi lɒst/	sich verlaufen / verfahren haben	<i>Many hours that should be spent with your family and friends are lost because of the culture of working long hours.</i>
benefit	/'benəfɪt/	profitieren	<i>There are many benefits from slowing down, the main one being a less stressful life.</i>
boss	/bɒs/	Chef(in), Vorgesetzte(r)	<i>My boss isn't at all flexible about working hours. She says I knew the rules when I joined the company.</i>
caring	/'keərɪŋ/	Sozial-	<i>She's a very caring person who always has time to listen to other people's problems.</i>
challenge	/'tʃælɪndʒ/	Herausforderung	<i>I can't stand routine, and like to wake up wondering what challenges I'll face that day.</i>
chat	/tʃæt/	reden	<i>Research shows that men chat with each other to have a laugh or to swap opinions.</i>
cleanse	/klenz/	reinigen	<i>After having several of the spa treatments I felt thoroughly cleansed.</i>
concentrate	/'kɒnsəntreɪt/	sich konzentrieren	<i>People lose their ability to concentrate on a task if they don't take a break.</i>
counter-revolution	/'kaʊntə revə'lʊ:ʃn/	Gegenrevolution	<i>The Slow Food movement has started a counter-revolution against the pace of life.</i>
criminal	/'krɪmɪnl/	Kriminelle(r)	<i>When I was mistakenly accused of shoplifting last year, I was horrified to be treated as a criminal straight away.</i>
CV	/si: 'vi:z/	Lebenslauf	<i>Your CV is your opportunity to sell yourself, so you should make sure it is as good as it can be.</i>

delighted	/dɪ'lartɪd/	erfreut, begeistert	We're delighted to tell you that your application was successful, and we look forward to working with you.
divine	/dɪ'vaɪn/	göttlich, toll	I had a head massage last week and it was divine!
DJ	/di: dʒeɪ/	DJ, Discjockey	I'd be terrible at being a DJ , as I don't know anything about modern music.
election	/ɪ'lekʃn/	Wahl	Even for very important elections relatively few people turn out to vote.
employee	/ɪm'plɔɪi:/	Angestellte(r)	The company has over a thousand employees , making it one of the largest employers in the region.
engineering	/endʒɪ'nɪərɪŋ/	Ingenieurwesen	Engineering is a career that is dominated by men.
facial	/'feɪʃl/	Gesichtsbehandlung	I often go for a facial because it makes the skin on my face feel instantly younger.
fridge	/frɪdʒ/	Kühlschrank	He worked such long hours that he had to communicate with his wife by leaving messages on the fridge .
frivolous	/'frɪvələs/	belanglos, oberflächlich	There's a perception that women only talk to each other about frivolous things like clothes and make-up.
fuel injection	/'fju:əl ɪn'dʒekʃn/	Kraftstoffeinspritzung	I really like the new BMW. It's got fuel injection and does 180 kilometres an hour.
get a job	/get ə dʒɒb/	eine Stelle bekommen	When I was a student I didn't have to worry about getting a job during the holidays.
glad	/glæd/	froh	I'm so glad you like your present. It took me ages to decide what to get you.
government	/'gʌvnmənt/	Regierung	Should the government ban all fast food restaurants?
gym	/dʒɪm/	Fitnessstudio	Why should I pay to go to a gym when I can walk or cycle in the countryside for free?
hardly ever	/'hɑ:dli 'evə/	kaum, fast nie	We hardly ever see each other because we work different hours.
heaven	/'hevɪn/	Himmel	When you're a busy person with a stressful life it's absolute heaven to spend some time having a spa treatment.
improvise	/'ɪmprəvaɪz/	improvisieren	I forgot parts of the speech so I had to improvise .
instead	/'ɪnstəd/	stattdessen	You aren't very comfortable about selling things, so perhaps you should do something else instead .
instinct	/'ɪnstɪŋkt/	Instinkt	When I was offered two jobs, I followed my instinct and went for the one where I'd done some work experience.
interview	/'ɪntəvju:/	Bewerbungsgespräch	Few people have been offered a job after turning up late for the interview .
keep fit	/ki:p fɪt/	fit bleiben	I like to keep fit by swimming, because it puts less pressure on my legs than running.
laugh	/lɑ:f/	lachen	I believe that laughing is one of the best ways of relieving stress.
lively	/'laɪvli/	lebhaft	It's a lively town with plenty going on well into the night.
massage	/'mæsɑ:dʒ/	Massage	The company offered a free head massage for everyone at their desk.
mass-produced	/mæs prə'dju:st/	in Massenproduktion hergestellt	Many people today live too quickly to sit down for a proper meal, and only eat mass-produced fast food.
meditation	/medɪ'teɪʃn/	Meditation	Meditation is a fantastic way to teach your mind to slow down and to think more clearly.
multinational	/mʌltr'næʃnəl/	multinational	The government should encourage local shops and ban multinational chain stores.
optimistic	/'ɒptɪ'mɪstɪk/	optimistisch	She's an optimistic person who always sees the best side of any situation.
pedicure	/'pedɪkjʊə/	Fußpflege	I don't like the idea of a pedicure – maybe because I think I've got horrible feet!
persuade (sb to do sth)	/pə'sweɪd/	überreden, überzeugen	Tina didn't think the job would suit her, but we persuaded her to apply for it.
planet	/'plænɪt/	Planet	He loves his job as a political reporter. In fact, he think he's got the best job on the planet .
play games	/pleɪ geɪmz/	Spiele spielen	Everyone was given an hour after lunch on Friday to play games like scrabble and chess.

polish	/ˈpɒlɪʃ/	Politur	<i>After she'd painted my nails, she polished them until they shone.</i>
politics	/ˈpɒlətɪks/	Politik	<i>I'll admit that I don't know anything about politics, apart from who the prime minister is, of course.</i>
professional	/prəˈfeʃənəl/	professionell	<i>In the TV series, a panel of three judges has to decide who is pretending to be a professional.</i>
promote	/prəˈməʊt/	fördern, werben für	<i>He said he didn't mind the Slow Cities idea being promoted, but that there should be things for people his age to do.</i>
promoted	/prəˈməʊtɪd/	befördert	<i>His boss was impressed with his progress, and after six months Tom got promoted.</i>
propose	/prəˈpəʊz/	vorschlagen	<i>When someone from the programme proposed the idea to Jessica, she wasn't keen to take part.</i>
publishing	/ˈpʌblɪʃɪŋ/	Verlagswesen	<i>Publishing involves lots of areas of activity such as writing, editing, marketing and distributing material.</i>
punish	/ˈpʌnɪʃ/	bestrafen	<i>They should punish people more severely for breaking the smoking ban.</i>
remind	/rɪˈmaɪnd/	erinnern	<i>When Bob came into the office wearing shorts, our boss reminded us all about the office dress code.</i>
resident	/ˈrezɪdənt/	Bewohner(in), Einwohner(in)	<i>The residents living near the bars and clubs would like to ban loud music.</i>
rule	/ru:l/	Vorschrift	<i>It's an office rule that the person whose birthday it is has to bring in cakes.</i>
sacked	/sækt/	entlassen	<i>After being sacked from his third job in a row, Steve realized that he had to change his attitude.</i>
salary	/ˈsæləri/	Gehalt	<i>She was happy because she was paid a good salary.</i>
salesman	/ˈseɪlzmən/	Vertreter	<i>I could never be a salesman as I don't like trying to persuade people to do things they don't want to do.</i>
satisfying	/ˈsætɪsfɑɪɪŋ/	befriedigend	<i>There is nothing more satisfying than relaxing around a lively table in the company of family and friends.</i>
sauna	/ˈsəʊnə/	Sauna	<i>The health spa offered saunas as well as thermal baths – just the thing in our cold weather!</i>
see friends	/si: frendz/	sich mit Freunden treffen	<i>It's essential that we make time to see friends, if necessary.</i>
shake	/ʃeɪk/	zittern	<i>I asked him if he'd heard yet whether he'd got the job but he just shook his head.</i>
sheets	/ʃi:ts/	Bettlaken	<i>The spa has a strange treatment that involves being wrapped in sheets of material.</i>
similar	/ˈsɪmələ/	ähnlich	<i>We have similar jobs but Paula does a bit more travelling.</i>
skin	/skɪn/	Haut	<i>After the cleansing treatment, the skin on my face and neck felt immediately firmer.</i>
spa	/spɑ:/	Wellness-Center	<i>My best friend and I are going to spend a weekend at a health spa.</i>
spatial	/ˈspeɪʃl/	räumlich	<i>They say that women aren't good at calculating space but I know lots of women with good spatial awareness.</i>
stay in	/steɪ ɪn/	zu Hause bleiben	<i>If you're going to stay in, make sure you cook a proper meal using a traditional recipe rather than ordering a takeaway.</i>
steam	/sti:m/	Dampf-	<i>The steam from the sauna is meant to do your body some good.</i>
stock market	/stɒk 'mɑ:kɪt/	Börse	<i>If you like betting and are good with figures, why not try for a job on the stock market?</i>
stuntman	/ˈstʌntmən/	Stuntman	<i>Pete would make a good stuntman, because he isn't afraid of dangerous situations.</i>
subject	/ˈsʌbdʒɪkt/	Thema	<i>It has been proved that women's conversations cover up to 40 subjects.</i>
succeed	/sək'si:d/	Erfolg haben	<i>He's a very capable person who is sure to succeed in whatever he decides to do.</i>
suit	/su:t/	passen	<i>I think that red really suits you. You should wear it more often.</i>
survive	/sə'vaɪv/	überleben	<i>Just thinking about what I'm going to do at the weekend helps me to survive the working week.</i>

team	/ti:m/	Team, Gruppe	<i>In my job I work a lot in teams, so there has to be good coordination.</i>
tend to	/tend tə/	neigen zu	<i>I think women tend to read novels more than men.</i>
theoretical	/θiə'retikl/	theoretisch	<i>He seems more comfortable with making quick decisions than considering theoretical principles.</i>
thermal	/'θɜ:ml/	Thermal-	<i>What I enjoyed most at the spa was a thermal treatment that made me feel relaxed for the rest of the day.</i>
tip	/tɪp/	Tipp, Rat	<i>Have you got any tips to help me feel more energetic during the day?</i>
topic	/'tɒpɪk/	Thema	<i>When I went for a drink with an old friend we discussed every topic under the sun.</i>
tough	/tʌf/	zäh	<i>She found the training very tough, and didn't think she'd make it.</i>
trainer	/'treɪnə/	Dresseur(in), Dompteur, Dompteuse	<i>In preparation for my new role, my trainer advised me how to look more confident.</i>
treatment	/'tri:tmənt/	Behandlung	<i>I didn't enjoy all the spa treatments, but it was great to spend a day being looked after by other people.</i>
trivial	/'trɪviəl/	belanglos, unwichtig	<i>It isn't true that women only talk about trivial things while men discuss serious issues.</i>
unemployed	/ʌnɪm'plɔɪd/	arbeitslos	<i>When you're unemployed, you have to stay motivated in order to find a job.</i>
unemployment	/ʌnɪm'plɔɪmənt/	Arbeitslosigkeit	<i>Unemployment has risen and there are fewer jobs available for those who do find themselves out of work.</i>
value	/'vælju:z/	schätzen	<i>The aim of Slow Cities is to make our towns places where people value the things that make the town different.</i>
wildlife	/'waɪldlaɪf/	Tierwelt	<i>Increasing the number of green areas and planting trees will encourage the local wildlife to thrive.</i>

File 6 Shopping VOCABULARY BANK

baker's	/'bɜ:kəz/	Bäckerei	<i>I love walking past the baker's because there's always such a lovely smell of freshly baked bread.</i>
bargain	/'bɑ:gɪn/	Schnäppchen	<i>Jane's really lucky. She's always able to find some fantastic item at a bargain price.</i>
basket	/'bɑ:skɪt/	Einkaufskorb	<i>There weren't any shopping baskets left so I had to push round a big trolley.</i>
bookshop	/'bʊkʃɒp/	Buchhandlung	<i>My favourite bookshop is an old second-hand one where I bought my first dictionary.</i>
butcher's	/'bʊtʃəz/	Metzgerei, Fleischerei	<i>The butcher's in the High Street is closing, so now we'll have to buy all our meat from the supermarket.</i>
buy on credit	/baɪ ɒn 'kredɪt/	auf Kredit kaufen	<i>There aren't many shops that will allow you to buy on credit. You usually have to pay in full.</i>
buy online	/baɪ ɒn 'laɪn/	online kaufen	<i>I worry about how safe it is to buy online, as I never know who will have access to my credit card details.</i>
chemist's	/'kemɪsts/	Apotheke, Drogerie	<i>Could you get me my prescription from the chemist's when you're in town?</i>
complain	/kəm'pleɪn/	sich beschweren	<i>We've been sitting here for nearly half an hour and the waiter keeps ignoring us. I'm going to complain.</i>
customer	/'kʌstəmə/	Kunde, Kundin	<i>They say the customer is always right, but many shops and restaurants think differently.</i>
department store	/dɪ'pɑ:tmənt stɔ:/	Kaufhaus	<i>I used to love the department stores in town. You could buy everything there.</i>
discount	/'dɪskaʊnt/	Rabatt, Preisnachlass	<i>In the present economic climate, many shops are offering discounts in order to attract customers.</i>
I'm just looking	/aɪm dʒʌst 'lʊkɪŋ/	ich schaue mich nur um	<i>'Can I help you at all?' ~ 'I'm just looking, thanks.'</i>
mall	/mɔ:l/	Einkaufszentrum	<i>I avoid shopping malls if I can because they all look the same, with the same décor and shops.</i>

manager	/ˈmænɪdʒə/	Geschäftsführer(in)	<i>I'm not happy with the standard of service in this shop. Can I speak to the manager, please?</i>
newsagent's	/ˈnju:zeɪdʒənts/	Zeitungsgeschäft	<i>Our local newsagent's offers all sorts of services as well as selling papers and magazines.</i>
pay VAT	/peɪ vi: eɪ ˈti:/	Mehrwertsteuer zahlen	<i>You don't have to pay VAT on all items.</i>
pharmacy	/ˈfɑ:məsi/	Apotheke	<i>The doctor's surgery has a pharmacy where you can get your prescriptions.</i>
queue	/kju:/	Schlange stehen	<i>I was there for ages because of the long queue.</i>
receipt	/rɪˈsi:t/	Quittung, Kassenbon	<i>Could you give me the receipt for the shoes, please?</i>
refund (n)	/ˈri:fʌnd/	Rückzahlung, Rückerstattung	<i>You aren't entitled to a refund if you've simply changed your mind about an item you bought.</i>
sales	/seɪlz/	Ausverkauf	<i>I never go shopping in the sales because I can't stand all the crowds.</i>
sell	/sel/	verkaufen	<i>It's said that a true salesman is one that can sell ice to the eskimos.</i>
shoe shop	/ˈʃu: ʃɒp/	Schuhgeschäft	<i>My worst job was when I worked in a shoe shop and had to deal with people's feet all day.</i>
shop assistant	/ʃɒp əˈsɪstənt/	Verkäufer(in)	<i>The shop assistant was really helpful and offered to ring another branch to see if they could locate my size.</i>
shop window	/ʃɒp ˈwɪndəʊ/	Schaufenster	<i>I saw a lovely doll in a toy shop window, but when I asked about it someone had already bought it.</i>
shopping centre	/ˈʃɒpɪŋ ˈsentə/	Einkaufszentrum	<i>Personally, I quite like being able to drive to a shopping centre, park easily and buy everything under one roof.</i>
stationer's	/ˈsteɪʃənəz/	Schreibwarenhandlung, Papeterie	<i>There used to be a great stationer's here at one time where you could buy good-quality writing paper.</i>
street market	/stri:t ˈmɑ:kɪt/	Markt	<i>The street market in Walthamstow, east London, is the longest in the world, apparently.</i>
supermarket	/ˈsu:pəmə:kɪt/	Supermarkt	<i>The small grocer's shops can't compete on price and range of goods with the large supermarkets.</i>
till	/tɪl/	Kasse	<i>The people who work on the tills in our local supermarket are always very chatty and friendly.</i>
travel agent's	/ˈtrævl ˈeɪdʒənts/	Reisebüro	<i>Travel agent's are disappearing from high streets as people become more accustomed to booking holidays online.</i>
trolley	/ˈtrɒli/	Einkaufswagen	<i>Why is it so difficult to control supermarket trolleys? They seem to go in any direction but the one you want!</i>
try (sth) on	/traɪ ... ɒn/	(etw.) anprobieren	<i>I wanted to try the dress on, but the queue for the changing rooms was really long.</i>

Cinema VOCABULARY BANK

action film	/ˈækʃn fɪlm/	Actionfilm	<i>I've always been a fan of action films such as Indiana Jones.</i>
audience	/ˈɔ:diəns/	Zuschauer	<i>Film audiences have declined since the heyday of the cinema.</i>
based on	/ˈbeɪst ɒn/	basierend auf	<i>The film was based on an autobiographical novel.</i>
cast	/kɑ:st/	Darsteller	<i>The cast of the film were mainly local people who had never acted before.</i>
comedy	/ˈkɒmədi/	Komödie	<i>I wouldn't describe Cinema Paradiso as a comedy, but it does have funny parts in it.</i>
direct	/daɪˈrekt/	Regie führen bei	<i>The film was directed by the talented Steven Spielberg.</i>
director	/daɪˈrektə/	Regisseur(in)	<i>Many of the cast were Polish, so it was necessary to employ an interpreter to convey what the director wanted.</i>
dub	/dʌb/	synchronisieren	<i>The film had been so badly dubbed that none of the lines matched the actors who were meant to be saying them.</i>
extra	/ˈekstrə/	Statist(in)	<i>Working as an extra isn't as easy as it looks. There's a lot of waiting around so it gets boring.</i>
filmed on location	/fɪlmd ɒn ləʊˈkeɪʃn/	am Originalschauplatz gedreht	<i>The James Bond movies are always filmed on location in exotic places.</i>

horror film	/ˈhɒrə film/	Horrorfilm	<i>The last horror film I saw was all fake blood and special effects.</i>
musical	/ˈmju:zɪkl/	Musical	<i>My mum is always singing songs from the musicals.</i>
play the part	/pleɪ ðə pɑ:t/	die Rolle spielen	<i>In Cinema Paradiso, Philippe Noiret plays the part of a projectionist in a local Italian cinema.</i>
plot	/plɒt/	Handlung	<i>The plot was so complicated it was difficult to follow.</i>
scene	/si:n/	Szene	<i>Everyone remembers the shower scene in Psycho.</i>
science fiction	/ˈsaɪəns ˈfɪkʃn/	Science Fiction	<i>Star Wars is one of the most famous science fiction films.</i>
script	/skɪpt/	Drehbuch	<i>The script was very poor. In fact, the actors later admitted they were embarrassed to say the lines.</i>
sequel	/ˈsi:kwəl/	Fortsetzung	<i>It isn't usually the case that the sequel is better than the film that preceded it.</i>
set	/set/	spielen in	<i>The film is set in an Italian village in the 1940s.</i>
shoot (a film)	/ʃu:t (ə film)/	drehen	<i>They had to shoot some scenes in one take, as it would have been so complicated to set them up again.</i>
soundtrack	/ˈsaʊndtræk/	Filmmusik	<i>The film also had an unforgettable soundtrack.</i>
special effects	/ˈspeʃl ɪˈfektz/	Spezialeffekte	<i>I don't like films with lots of special effects, because I like to know that everything I'm watching is real.</i>
star	/stɑ:z/	die Hauptrolle spielen	<i>The real star of Cinema Paradiso was the little boy who played Salvatore.</i>
subtitles	/ˈsʌbtartlz/	Untertitel	<i>I'm learning Italian so I watch Italian films and try not to cheat by reading the English subtitles.</i>
thriller	/ˈθrɪlə/	Thriller	<i>A good thriller should keep you guessing up to almost the final moment.</i>
western	/ˈwestən/	Western	<i>Men seem to like westerns more than women, perhaps because the cowboys are role models.</i>

More Words to Learn

branch	/brɑ:ntʃ/	Filiale	<i>The nearest branch of my bank is now fifteen miles away.</i>
breathtaking	/ˈbreθteɪkɪŋ/	atemberaubend	<i>Out of Africa was noted for the breathtaking scenery and exotic wildlife.</i>
choice	/tʃɔɪs/	Wahl	<i>We have too much choice these days. Reaching a decision takes longer and is stressful.</i>
compensation	/kɒmpenˈseɪʃn/	Entschädigung	<i>If you think you're owed compensation, you have to be persistent as shops will try to make it difficult for you.</i>
complaint	/kəmˈpleɪnt/	Beschwerde	<i>Tom wrote a letter of complaint to Toshiba after he was ignored by the shop that had sold him the faulty laptop.</i>
deliver	/dɪˈlɪvə/	liefern	<i>The shop promised to deliver the goods on Friday.</i>
destroy	/dɪˈstrɔɪ/	zerstören	<i>You can't allow mistakes to destroy your confidence.</i>
film crew	/film kru:z/	Kamerateam	<i>The director attributed the success of the film to the fine cast of actors and a very talented film crew.</i>
film set	/film set/	Filmset	<i>As soon as the director says 'action', everyone on the film set must fall silent immediately.</i>
goods	/gʊdz/	Waren	<i>When I need to buy any electrical product, I always go to a shop that specializes in electrical goods.</i>
guarantee	/gærənˈti:z/	Garantie	<i>The item he'd bought stopped working while still under guarantee, but the shop refused to give him a refund.</i>
guided tour	/ˈgɑɪdɪd təʊ/	Führung	<i>The best present I've been given was a guided tour around the stadium where my favourite team plays.</i>
hunger	/ˈhʌŋgə/	Hunger	<i>He has generated a lot of money to try to free Africa from hunger and poverty.</i>
in stock	/ɪn stɒk/	vorrätig	<i>The shop said they didn't have the product I wanted in stock.</i>
insult (v)	/ɪnˈsʌlt/	beleidigen	<i>The footballer began a campaign to fight racism after seeing black players being insulted by spectators.</i>
interpreter	/ɪnˈtɜ:prətə/	Dolmetscher	<i>Dagmara was asked to be an interpreter on set because she spoke excellent Polish and English.</i>

justice	/ˈdʒʌstɪs/	Gerechtigkeit	<i>Having spent 20 years in prison for a crime that he didn't commit, he continued fighting for justice.</i>
laptop (computer)	/ˈlæptɒp (kəmˈpjʊ:tə)/	Laptop	<i>My laptop is my most valuable possession.</i>
magnificent	/mægˈnɪfɪsnt/	großartig	<i>It's a magnificent film that makes you laugh and cry.</i>
nightmare	/ˈnaɪtmɛə/	Albtraum	<i>When he woke from a terrible nightmare, he used the memory of it as the plot of a horror film.</i>
out of date	/aʊt əv deɪt/	veraltet	<i>It's dangerous to buy meat that is out of date, so supermarkets carefully monitor sell-by dates.</i>
poverty	/ˈpɒvəti/	Armut	<i>The poverty she witnessed while working in a refugee camp encouraged her to work full time for a charity.</i>
racist	/ˈreɪsɪst/	Rassist(in)	<i>Black football players have been subject to racist insults in the past.</i>
raise (money)	/reɪz ('mʌni)/	Geld aufbringen	<i>One person on their own can't solve the problems, but they can promote awareness and help raise money.</i>
refugee	/refjuˈdʒi:/	Flüchtling	<i>His grandparents had been in a concentration camp in Germany, and had come to Britain as refugees.</i>
staff	/stɑ:f/	Personal	<i>The staff in that store are pleasant and knowledgeable.</i>
status	/ˈsteɪtəs/	Status	<i>Bono used his status as a rock star to raise awareness about the hunger and poverty in Africa.</i>
unbearable	/ʌnˈbeərəbl/	unerträglich	<i>She faced an unbearable choice: living with her family in England or staying in Burma to fight on.</i>
unforgettable	/ʌnfəˈgetəbl/	unvergesslich	<i>The soundtrack is unforgettable. I was still singing parts of it days later.</i>

More Words in File 6

admire (sb)	/ədˈmaɪə/	bewundern	<i>Someone I really admire is Aung San Suu-Kyi, the moral leader of Burma.</i>
alive	/əˈlaɪv/	lebend	<i>When an icon dies there are always rumours that they are still alive.</i>
argument	/ˈɑ:gjumənt/	Streit, Auseinandersetzung	<i>When I spotted a hair in my soup, there was no argument and the restaurant deducted it from the bill.</i>
asthma	/ˈæsmə/	Asthma	<i>The young Che Guevara suffered from asthma.</i>
award	/əˈwɔ:d/	Preis, Auszeichnung	<i>True heroes don't receive awards or prizes, and their achievements often go unrecognized.</i>
battlefields	/ˈbætlfi:ldz/	Schlachtfelder	<i>Many tourists that visit New Zealand following the Lord of the Rings trilogy are keen to see the site of the battlefields.</i>
belong	/bɪˈlɒŋ/	gehören	<i>Racism does not belong in sport; it doesn't have a place anywhere.</i>
bill	/bɪl/	Rechnung	<i>When my dad asked for the bill, he saw that they had charged us for the ravioli, even though it had a hair in it.</i>
compensate (for sth)	/ˈkɒmpensət (fə ...)/	entschädigen	<i>I demanded to be compensated for my wasted time.</i>
courage	/ˈkʌrɪdʒ/	Mut	<i>It takes great courage to stand up to such an oppressive regime.</i>
dead	/ded/	tot	<i>The man complained that he'd found a dead spider in his soup.</i>
delivery	/dɪˈlɪvəri/	Lieferung	<i>The company gave me the wrong delivery date, which meant I'd taken a day off work for no reason.</i>
democratic	/deməˈkræɪtɪk/	demokratisch	<i>Aung San Suu-Kyi is fighting for the democratic right to decide who should rule the country.</i>
destination	/destɪˈneɪʃn/	Ziel	<i>The island where The Beach was filmed is now a tourist destination in its own right.</i>
diagnose	/daɪəgˈnəʊz/	feststellen	<i>The actor Massimo Troisi filmed the famous Italians film Il Postino after he'd been diagnosed with cancer.</i>
disaster	/dɪˈzɑ:stə/	Katastrophe	<i>I thought my speech was going to be a disaster when I confused the dates of the Second World War.</i>
elegant	/ˈelɪgənt/	elegant	<i>I bought a very elegant dress that was a tenth of the price of a very similar designer brand.</i>

for instance	/fə 'ɪnstəns/	zum Beispiel	<i>I will give you clues to identify the people; for instance, someone with the initials B and G who founded Microsoft.</i>
foundation	/faʊn'deɪʃn/	Stiftung	<i>She is working alongside the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation to promote vaccinations for all children.</i>
guided	/'gɑːdɪd/	geführt	<i>Guided tours of the Lord of the Rings film locations are available.</i>
hero	/'hɪərəʊ/	Held	<i>Nelson Mandela is a hero to many because of his dignified resistance in the face of adversity.</i>
honour	/'ɒnə/	Ehre	<i>U2 wrote a song called Walk On to honour Aung San Suu-Kyi.</i>
icon	/'aɪkɒn/	Idol	<i>The humanity of Pope John Paul II made him an icon for millions of people.</i>
illness	/'ɪlnəs/	Krankheit	<i>As a child, Che Guevara suffered from asthma and had to learn to live with his illness.</i>
impressed	/ɪm'prest/	beeindruckt	<i>When we first saw the film at the cinema, we were so impressed we went to see it again.</i>
inspire	/ɪn'spaɪə/	inspirieren, anspornen	<i>His work in the region has inspired me to think more about how I can help people living in poverty.</i>
instructions	/ɪn'strʌkʃnz/	Anweisung	<i>When we first got a video, Dad followed the instructions but couldn't work out how to programme it!</i>
interpret	/ɪn'tɜːprɪt/	dolmetschen	<i>Having interpreted for Steven Spielberg while he was in Poland, Dagmara feels that she can do anything.</i>
keep doing	/ki:p 'duːɪŋ/	immer weiter tun	<i>Since the moment in the refugee camp, Bono has kept doing work to raise funds for Africa.</i>
law	/lɔː/	Jura	<i>It is against the law for a shop to refuse to replace a faulty item that is still under guarantee.</i>
luckily	/'lʌkəli/	glücklicherweise	<i>The taxi driver was driving very dangerously. I asked him to stop and luckily, he did.</i>
masterpiece	/'mɑːstəpiːs/	Meisterwerk	<i>The film is a masterpiece, and deserves every single Oscar it won.</i>
matter	/'mætə/	Sache, Angelegenheit	<i>The receptionist thought I was going to complain about the room again, but I wanted to raise a different matter.</i>
medicine	/'medsn/	Medizin	<i>The money raised will go partly towards ensuring that there is enough medicine available for childhood illnesses.</i>
nickname	/'nɪknem/	Spitzname	<i>'Che' was Ernesto Guevara's nickname.</i>
objective	/əb'dʒektɪv/	objektiv	<i>I find it hard to be objective about the film because I was so heavily involved in it.</i>
order	/'ɔːdə/	Bestellung	<i>When the restaurant got my order wrong I decided not to say anything.</i>
otherwise	/'ʌðəwaɪz/	sonst, ansonsten	<i>You can't let small mistakes set you back; otherwise, they'll dominate your life.</i>
outstanding	/aʊt'stændɪŋ/	hervorragend	<i>The film was outstanding, and very deserving of the Oscars it received.</i>
pack	/pæk/	packen	<i>We're going on holiday tomorrow and we still haven't packed our cases!</i>
penny	/'peni/	Rappen, Cent	<i>The photographer didn't receive a penny in royalties for the famous 1960 photo of Che Guevara.</i>
poster	/'pəʊstə/	Plakat	<i>The poster featuring Che Guevara is one of the most famous images in the world.</i>
prize	/praɪz/	Preis	<i>Médecins sans Frontières was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1999.</i>
racism	/'reɪsɪzəm/	Rassismus	<i>Thierry Henry has raised nearly \$16 million for anti-racism groups.</i>
rebuild	/'riː'bɪld/	wieder aufbauen	<i>I was told that the computer would take weeks to rebuild.</i>
receptionist	/'rɪ'sepʃənɪst/	Empfangschef, Empfangsdame	<i>When I pointed out to the hotel receptionist that our room hadn't been cleaned, she was very apologetic.</i>
replace	/'riːpleɪs/	ersetzen	<i>A shop selling faulty equipment should offer to replace it free of charge.</i>

reserve (sth)	/rɪ'zɜ:v/	reservieren	<i>I went into the shop to reserve one of the new toys for my son.</i>
retailer	/'rɪ:tɪlə/	Einzelhändler(in)	<i>The well-known computer retailer was not sympathetic, and said the laptop would cost £650 to mend.</i>
royalty	/'rɔ:lti/	königliche Familie	<i>The photographer of the Che Guevara photo that features on so many T-shirts and posters didn't receive a royalty.</i>
sack	/sæk/	Sack, Beutel	<i>He helped carry sacks of rice himself, even though he was a French government minister.</i>
satisfactory	/sætɪs'fæktəri/	zufriedenstellend	<i>I said in my letter of complaint that the standard of service was not satisfactory.</i>
scenery	/'si:nəri/	Landschaft	<i>New Zealand was chosen as the location for the Lord of the Rings films because of its dramatic scenery.</i>
service	/'sɜ:vɪs/	Kundenbetreuung, Dienst am Kunden	<i>All the evidence shows that it is worth complaining when goods or services are below standard.</i>
sign	/saɪn/	Schild	<i>When young people start rejecting designer brands it is a sign that they trust their own tastes.</i>
software	/'sɒftweə/	Software	<i>The company diagnosed the fault as a software problem and repaired the laptop immediately.</i>
speech	/spi:tʃ/	Rede	<i>I was asked to translate the speech into Polish.</i>
star	/stɑ:/	Star	<i>He became a big star after he appeared in the play.</i>
suitable	/'su:təbl/	passend, geeignet	<i>I didn't want to go to the party because I didn't have anything suitable to wear.</i>
tirelessly	/'taɪələsli/	unermüdlich	<i>After the flooding, staff worked tirelessly to return the shop to normal.</i>
translate	/træns'leɪt/	übersetzen	<i>It was Dagmara's job to translate Steven Spielberg's instructions to the Polish cast.</i>
trilogy	/'trɪlədʒi/	Trilogie	<i>The Lord of the Rings trilogy won a total of 17 Oscars, including Best Picture and Best Director.</i>
uninhabited	/ʌnɪn'hæbɪtɪd/	unbewohnt	<i>The island, formerly uninhabited, now has hotels and a sizeable tourism industry.</i>
vaccinate	/'væksɪneɪt/	impfen	<i>Queen Rania is trying to make sure that all children everywhere get vaccinated.</i>
wonder	/'wʌndə/	sich fragen	<i>According to Che Guevara's daughter, the people who wear Che T-shirts tend to be the ones who are wondering if they can be better human beings.</i>

File 7 Phrasal verbs VOCABULARY BANK

ask for	/ɑ:sk fə/	bitten um	<i>When you have bad luck, ask for advice.</i>
break up	/breɪk ʌp/	enden, in die Brüche gehen	<i>Sylvia broke up with her fiancé just two weeks before the wedding.</i>
bump into	/bʌmp 'ɪntə/	zufällig treffen	<i>You never know who you're going to bump into when you're least expecting it.</i>
call back	/kɔ:l bæk/	zurückrufen	<i>I left an urgent message, asking him to call me back.</i>
calm down	/kɑ:m daʊn/	sich beruhigen	<i>When you need to calm down, you should go to a quiet place.</i>
carry on	/'kæri ɒn/	weitermachen	<i>When things are bad I just carry on until they get better.</i>
check in	/tʃek ɪn/	einchecken	<i>As soon as we've checked into the hotel, let's go and explore.</i>
do up	/du: ʌp/	zumachen	<i>It was freezing cold when we stepped outside, so I hurriedly did up my coat.</i>
eat out	/i:t aʊt/	essen gehen	<i>They only ever eat out if it's someone's birthday.</i>
find out	/faɪnd aʊt/	herausfinden	<i>Do you think they'll ever find out who Jack the Ripper was?</i>
get back	/get bæk/	wiederbekommen	<i>Ian sat down in Amy's house and waited for her to get back.</i>
get on with	/get ɒn wɪð/	sich gut verstehen mit	<i>We're very lucky that we get on with all our neighbours.</i>
give away	/gɪv ə'weɪ/	verschenken, weggeben	<i>I bought my sister a lovely scarf for her birthday, but she gave it away to someone else.</i>
give up	/gɪv ʌp/	aufgeben	<i>Dennis decided to give up playing the lottery with his workmates.</i>
go out (with)	/gəʊ aʊt (wɪð)/	gehen mit	<i>After being just good friends for two years, Jeff and Angela have started going out with each other.</i>

grow up	/grəʊ ʌp/	aufwachsen	<i>Mrs Payne believes that not having electricity while the children were growing up may have been good for them.</i>
hang up	/hæŋ ʌp/	auflegen	<i>We had an argument, and whenever I try to call him to apologize he hangs up.</i>
look after	/lʊk 'ɑ:ftə/	sich kümmern um	<i>I asked Wendy to look after the cat while we're away.</i>
look forward to	/lʊk 'fɔ:wəd tə/	sich freuen auf	<i>We're really looking forward to our holiday. We've been counting the days.</i>
look out	/lʊk aʊt/	vorsichtig sein	<i>You're going to fall and break your ankle in those shoes if you don't look out.</i>
make into	/meɪk 'ɪntə/	machen zu	<i>It's possible to make bad luck into good luck by changing your attitude.</i>
make up	/meɪk ʌp/	sich versöhnen	<i>With no television in the house, our children would play together and used to make up games.</i>
pass away	/pɑ:s ə'weɪ/	entschlafen, sterben	<i>When the researcher was enquiring about Bob Marley, it was clear she didn't realize that he'd passed away.</i>
pick (sb) up	/pɪk ... ʌp/	(jdn.) abholen	<i>I'll pick you up at around 12.00 and we'll go somewhere nice for lunch.</i>
pick (sth) up	/pɪk ... ʌp/	(etw.) aufheben	<i>He picked up the TV set and threw it out of the window.</i>
plug in	/plʌg ɪn/	anschließen, einstöpseln	<i>There's nothing wrong with the kettle. It just wasn't plugged in.</i>
sell out	/sel aʊt/	ausverkauft sein	<i>The shop had sold out of bread, so we'll have to do without.</i>
set off	/set ɒf/	aufbrechen	<i>We set off late, so had to drive as fast as we could to the airport.</i>
set up	/set ʌp/	gründen	<i>My uncle set up the business back in 1990, and it continues to do well.</i>
slow down	/sləʊ daʊn/	langsamer werden	<i>I asked the taxi driver to slow down, but he carried on driving as quickly as before.</i>
sort out	/sɔ:t aʊt/	lösen	<i>There are a lot of problems that we need to sort out before the company can move forward.</i>
switch off	/swɪtʃ ɒf/	ausmachen, ausschalten	<i>Dinner will be ready soon. Can you switch off the TV?</i>
take back	/teɪk bæk/	zurückbringen	<i>The blouse started to fall apart after a couple of days so I took it back to the shop.</i>
take off	/teɪk ɒf/	starten, abheben	<i>He always feels nervous when the plane takes off.</i>
take out	/teɪk aʊt/	abheben	<i>Could you take out the rubbish for me, please?</i>
take up	/teɪk ʌp/	anfangen mit	<i>If you feel life is a bit dull, why not take up a new hobby?</i>
throw (sth) away	/θrəʊ ə 'weɪ/	(etw.) wegwerfen	<i>It was unbelievable that he had the winning lottery ticket but had thrown it away.</i>
turn down	/tɜ:n daʊn/	leiser stellen	<i>That music's too loud. Could you turn it down, please?</i>
turn on	/tɜ:n ɒn/	anmachen, einschalten	<i>I turned on the TV to watch the news.</i>
turn up	/tɜ:n ʌp/	lauter stellen	<i>We're having a party to celebrate the good news, but I don't know if Dennis will turn up.</i>
warm up	/wɔ:m ʌp/	sich aufwärmen	<i>It's been a long, cold winter. I hope it will warm up soon.</i>

More Words to Learn

achieve (a goal)	/ə'tʃi:v (ə gəʊl)/	erreichen	<i>Make a list of the things you want to achieve in life.</i>
bring up (children)	/brɪŋ ʌp ('tʃɪldrən)/	großziehen	<i>Mr and Mrs Payne brought up nine children in their farmhouse.</i>
bump into (sth / sb)	/bʌmp 'ɪntə/	treffen	<i>When I was in the departure lounge, I bumped into someone that I was at university with.</i>
cabin crew	/'kæbɪn kru:z/	Flugpersonal	<i>The cabin crew put out a call for any doctors on the plane to come forward.</i>
candle	/'kændl/	Kerze	<i>Without electricity, the family relied on candles to see by.</i>
electricity	/ɪlek'trɪsəti/	Strom	<i>Mrs Payne acknowledged that having electricity would make it easier to wash and iron clothes.</i>
fall asleep	/fɔ:l ə'sli:p/	einschlafen	<i>Tired after his long journey, Ian fell asleep.</i>
fear	/fiə/	Angst	<i>Panic and fear among Londoners was increased by a letter sent by the murderer to Scotland Yard.</i>

fictional	/ˈfɪkʃənl/	erfunden	<i>The American crime writer is famous for her fictional detective, Kay Scarpetta.</i>
foggy	/ˈfɒɡi/	nebelig	<i>I could hardly see as the streets were dark and foggy.</i>
freezer	/ˈfriːzə/	Gefrierschrank, -truhe	<i>If the couple had a freezer, they wouldn't have to buy fresh meat.</i>
heart attack	/hɑːt əˈtæk/	Herzinfarkt	<i>When she felt a terrible pain in her chest, she realized that she was having a heart attack.</i>
innocent	/ˈɪnəsnt/	unschuldig	<i>He must be innocent of the murder because he was out of the country at the time.</i>
instinct	/ˈɪnstɪŋkt/	Instinkt	<i>When I'm not sure what to do, I listen to myself and rely on my instinct.</i>
iron	/ˈaɪən/	Bügeleisen	<i>She agreed that using an electric iron was a lot easier than using the old-fashioned variety.</i>
light bulb	/laɪt bʌlb/	Glühbirne	<i>An elderly couple are going to swap candles for light bulbs after 37 years without electricity.</i>
live off (the land)	/lɪv ɒf (ðə lænd)/	leben von	<i>The couple mostly live off the land, and grow vegetables in the garden.</i>
miss (sb)	/mɪs/	(jdn.) vermissen	<i>Ian and Amy missed each other a lot during the six months they spent apart.</i>
murderer	/ˈmɜːdərə/	Mörder(in)	<i>In the autumn of 1888, a brutal murderer walked the streets of London. He went on to kill seven women.</i>
panic	/ˈpænik/	Panik	<i>There was panic when the pilot announced they would be making an emergency landing.</i>
press (a button, etc.)	/pres (ə ˈbʌtn)/	drücken auf	<i>When the stewardess asked if there was a doctor on board, 15 doctors pressed their call bell.</i>
prove	/pruːv/	beweisen	<i>It will be almost impossible to prove who committed the murders such a long time after the case.</i>
suspect (n)	/ˈsʌspekt/	Verdächtige(r)	<i>The list of suspects in the murder case include a doctor, an artist, and even a member of the royal family.</i>
theory	/ˈθɪəri/	Theorie	<i>There have been plenty of theories as to the identity of Jack the Ripper, but nothing has ever been proved.</i>
vacuum cleaner	/ˈvækjuəm ˈkliːnə/	Staubsauger	<i>Mrs Payne said it would have been nice to have a vacuum cleaner instead of having to sweep the floor.</i>
vary	/ˈveəri/	unterschiedlich sein	<i>I generally watch TV every night, but the length of time I spend watching varies according to what's on.</i>
victim	/ˈvɪktɪm/	Opfer	<i>The victims of the murders were all working class women.</i>

More Words in File 7

(a) cold	/ (ə) kəʊld/	Erkältung	<i>The couple said that in almost 40 years they have rarely had a cough or cold.</i>
(a) well	/ (ə) wel/	Brunnen	<i>The farmhouse had a well but no running water.</i>
admit	/ədˈmɪt/	zugeben	<i>When she saw the CCTV images, she admitted the shoplifting offence straight away.</i>
associate (n)	/əˈsəʊʃiət/	Partner, Kollege/in	<i>Did your husband have any close friends or business associates?</i>
battery	/ˈbætəri/	Batterie	<i>He tried to contact me but my mobile phone battery was dead.</i>
book (sth)	/bʊk/	buchen	<i>I decided to book a flight to somewhere hot.</i>
brutal	/ˈbruːtl/	brutal	<i>The murders were so brutal that not all the facts were reported at the time.</i>
cardiologist	/kɑːdɪˈɒlədʒɪst/	Herzspezialist(in)	<i>The cardiologists on the plane were able to save the woman's life after she had a heart attack.</i>
careful	/ˈkeəfl/	vorsichtig	<i>You need to be careful when you're crossing the road at night, as some cyclists don't have lights.</i>
careless	/ˈkeələs/	nachlässig	<i>I was careless and burned my hand on the oven.</i>
century	/ˈsentʃəri/	Jahrhundert	<i>Even after well over a century, there is still plenty of interest in the case.</i>

charge	/tʃɑ:dʒ/	aufladen	Without electricity, I wouldn't be able to charge my mobile phone battery.
chat show	/tʃæt ʃəʊ/	Talkshow	These days, chat shows are simply an opportunity for celebrities to promote their new book, film or tour.
commit	/kə'mɪt/	begehen	The murders were committed within the space of three months.
corner	/'kɔ:nə/	Ecke	I needed to take the call on my mobile, so I went over to the corner of the room.
cough	/kɒf/	Husten	You're coughing a lot. Are you getting a cold?
detective	/dɪ'tektɪv/	Detektiv(in), Kriminalkommissar(in)	The detectives were frustrated about the lack of progress they were making in trying to solve the case.
dice	/daɪs/	Würfel	Do people still play proper board games with dice , like Monopoly or Ludo?
discuss	/dɪ'skʌs/	diskutieren, besprechen	The woman said she didn't want to discuss her personal life with a stranger.
DNA	/di: en 'eɪ/	DNS	She used DNA from one of his paintings and compared it with that on the letters sent by the murderer.
effort	/'efət/	Mühe, Anstrengung	She made no effort to hide her impatience, but the detective carried on questioning her.
embarrassed	/ɪm'bærəst/	verlegen	The BBC were embarrassed when it emerged they tried to get an interview with Bob Marly, who had died in 1981.
emergency	/'ɪmɜ:dʒənsɪ/	Notfall	When he had a heart attack, several cardiologists were on hand to give him emergency treatment.
engagement	/ɪn'geɪdʒmənt/	Verlobung	The couple announced their engagement three years before they actually got married.
fascinated	/'fæsɪneɪtɪd/	fasziniert	When Sara was telling everyone about the amazing coincidence, we all sat there and listened, fascinated .
fiancé	/'fi:nsə/	Verlobter	Amy's boyfriend is now her fiancé , so congratulations to them both!
first and foremost	/fɜ:st ən 'fɔ:məʊst/	in erster Linie	We'll discuss that later, but first and foremost I need to know where you were at the time of the incident.
flexible	/'fleksəbl/	flexibel	Let's meet up next week. I can be flexible about the day.
forehead	/'fɔ:hed, 'fɒrɪd/	Stirn	Your forehead feels hot. I think you've got a temperature.
fortunate	/'fɔ:tʃənət/	glücklich	She was very fortunate that there were a team of cardiologists on the plane when she had her heart attack.
gadget	/'gædʒɪt/	Gerät	Mitch Altman invented a gadget that enables you to turn off any TV within 17 metres of where you are.
genuine	/'dʒenjuɪn/	echt	I sometimes give money to people begging in the street, but only if I think they're genuine .
go off	/gəʊ ɒf/	schlecht werden	Rosie isn't very adventurous, so when she went off to Australia, we assumed that she'd be back within a week.
godparents	/'gɒdpəreənts/	Paten	We felt very honoured when Paul and Marie asked us to be godparents to their baby.
grow (sth)	/grəʊ/	züchten, ziehen	We grew vegetables in our garden and had milk delivered every other day.
habit	/'hæbɪt/	Gewohnheit	It's a good idea to get rid of habits and routines if you're feeling that life is a bit dull.
incredible	/ɪn'kredəbl/	unglaublich	What an incredible coincidence!
inhabitant	/ɪn'hæbɪtənt/	Einwohner	The inhabitants of the flooded village were told to stay indoors until the emergency services arrived.
invent	/ɪn'vent/	erfinden	It must be great to invent a gadget or device that is a simple but popular.
ironic	/aɪ'rɒnɪk/	ironisch	It is ironic that the couple were in the same place at the same time, each intending to visit the other as a surprise.
leave behind	/li:v bɪ'hænd/	zurücklassen	The murderer left behind no clues at the crime scene, making the job of the police very difficult.
list	/lɪst/	Liste	Make a list of six new experiences you'd like to try.
luck	/lʌk/	Glück	Some people argue that luck doesn't exist.

lucky	/ˈlʌki/	glücklich	<i>Lucky</i> people tend to be those who make the most of their opportunities.
make fun of manage	/meɪk fʌn əv/ /ˈmænɪdʒ/	sich lustig machen über schaffen	The murderer made fun of the police's attempts to catch him. After all the articles that have been written about the murder case, no one has managed to prove who he was.
member	/ˈmembə/	Mitglied	The most unlikely suspect in the case was actually a member of the royal family – Prince Albert.
merchant	/ˈmɜːtʃənt/	Händler(in)	One of the suspects in the Jack the Ripper case was a cotton merchant called James Maybrick.
miss	/mɪs/	vermissen	The couple had missed each other so much they decided not to be apart ever again.
murder	/ˈmɜːdə/	Mord	The murders continued – seven women were killed in total.
mystery	/ˈmɪstri/	Rätsel	The identity of the killer remains a mystery , and it is unlikely ever to be solved.
nightmare	/ˈnaɪtmə/	Albtraum	The journey was a nightmare from start to end.
nod	/nɒd/	nicken	When the policeman asked her to confirm that the dead man was her husband, she simply nodded .
quiz show	/kwɪz ʃəʊ/	Quizsendung	The only quiz show I watch on TV is the sport one.
reality show	/rɪˈæləti ʃəʊ/	Reality-Show	There are too many reality shows on TV.
realize	/ˈriːəlaɪz/	bemerkten	Dan realized that the winning lottery numbers were the same as those on the ticket he threw away.
rise	/raɪz/	lauter werden	When the family finally get electricity installed, they'll find that their bills will rise sharply.
robbery	/ˈrɒbəri/	Raubüberfall	There was robbery at the bank recently, but as the robbers' images were caught on CCTV.
routine	/ruːˈtiːn/	Routine	Why don't you change your routine once in a while, for example by getting off the bus a stop earlier?
rub	/rʌb/	reiben	She rubbed a hand across her forehead, unsure how to answer the question.
rush	/rʌʃ/	eilen, sich beeilen	They had to rush through the departure lounge to the gate because they were very late for their plane.
sarcasm	/ˈsɑːkæzəm/	Sarkasmus	'Jack's late again. You do surprise me,' he said, voice heavy with sarcasm .
schedule	/ˈʃedjuːl/	Zeitplan, Programm	The train arrived ten minutes ahead of schedule .
scream	/skriːm/	schreien	Some people heard screams , but there were no actual witnesses to the Jack the Ripper murders.
seem	/siːm/	scheinen	What's wrong? You seem really sad.
signal	/ˈsɪgnəl/	ein Zeichen geben	She stood up as a signal that she wanted him to leave.
soap	/səʊp/	Seifenoper, Fernsehserie	It was irritating that there was no soap in the bathroom, and I made a mental note to mention it at Reception.
solution	/səˈluːʃn/	Lösung	Ask friends for advice and focus on a solution to the problem.
solve (a problem)	/sɒlv (ə ˈprɒbləm)/	lösen	Learn from your mistakes and think of new ways of solving your problems.
store	/stɔː/	speichern	My mother works at a store in town, and is able to get a discount on the products they sell.
surprise	/səˈpraɪz/	Überraschung	Ian travelled across the world to surprise his girlfriend, not realizing that she was doing exactly the same thing.
sweep the floor	/swiːp ðə flɔː/	den Boden kehren	The carpet was really dirty after the party, so the first thing I did was to sweep the floor .
technique	/tekˈniːk/	Technik	Contemporary forensic techniques would probably have uncovered the identity of Jack the Ripper.
terminal	/ˈtɜːmɪnəl/	Terminal, Abfertigungsgebäude	It was when they were racing between terminals at the airport that Mrs Fletcher began to feel unwell.
towel	/ˈtaʊəl/	Handtuch	I couldn't have a shower because the hotel had forgotten to put fresh towels in the room.
TV channel	/tiː ˈviː ˈtʃænl/	Fernsehkanaal	I tried all the TV channels but couldn't find anything I wanted to watch.

unfortunate	/ʌn'fɔ:tʃənət/	unglücklich, bedauerlich	<i>It was unfortunate that we missed the bus, as it meant we missed the train as well.</i>
unlucky	/ʌn'lʌki/	unglücklich	<i>If you feel you're an unlucky person then you won't set about creating good fortune in your life.</i>
vague	/veɪg/	vage, ungenau	<i>Your goals should be specific, not vague.</i>
wedding	/'wedɪŋ/	Hochzeit	<i>Straight after their wedding, Karen and David went off to France for their honeymoon.</i>
witness	/'wɪtnəs/	Zeuge, Zeugin	<i>There were no witnesses to the Jack the Ripper murders, which is one reason why he was never caught.</i>