

Wordlist

UNIT 1

GROWING UP

Nouns

adolescence /,ædəl'esənts/
adulthood /'ædəlθud/
bond /bɒnd/
brotherhood /'brʌðəhʊd/
character /'kærəktə/
childhood /'tʃaɪldhʊd/
conflict /'kɒnflɪkt/
connection /kə'nekʃən/
fatherhood /'fɑːðəhʊd/
friendship /'frendʃɪp/
instinct /'ɪnstɪŋkt/
interaction /,ɪntə'rækʃən/
motherhood /'mʌðəhʊd/
nature /'neɪtʃə/
parent /'peərənt/
relation /rɪ'reɪʃən/
relationship (between/with) /rɪ'reɪʃənʃɪp/
relative /'relatɪv/
resemblance /rɪ'zembləns/
rivalry /'raɪvəlri/
sibling /'sɪblɪŋ/
teenager /'tiːn,eɪdʒə/
temperament /'tempərəmənt/
ties /taɪz/
upbringing /'ʌpbɪŋɪŋ/

Compound nouns

active role
extended family
family gathering
immediate family
maternal instinct
sibling rivalry
stable upbringing
striking resemblance

Adjectives

close /kləʊs/
close-knit /,kləʊs'nɪt/
maternal /mə'tɜːnəl/
parental /pə'rentəl/
rewarding /rɪ'wɔːdɪŋ/
stable /'steɪbl/

Verbs

accommodate /ə'kɒmədeɪt/
adopt /ə'dɒpt/
break down /breɪk daʊn/
develop /drɪ'veləp/
endure /ɪn'dʒʊə/
establish /ɪ'stæblɪʃ/

have sth in common
inherit /ɪn'herɪt/
interact /,ɪntə'rækt/
nurture /'nɜːtʃə/
play a role
relate (to) /rɪ'reɪt/

UNIT 2

MENTAL AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Nouns

ability /ə'bɪləti/
adolescent /,ædəl'esənt/
behaviour /brɪ'heɪvjə/
childhood /'tʃaɪldhʊd/
concept /'kɒnsept/
consequence /'kɒnsɪkwəns/
gesture /'dʒestʃə/
growth /grəʊθ/
height /haɪt/
imagination /ɪ,mædʒɪ'neɪʃən/
infancy /'ɪnfənsi/
infant /'ɪnfənt/
knowledge /'nɒlɪdʒ/
maturity /mə'tʃʊərəti/
memory /'meməri/
milestone /'maɪlstəʊn/
mind /maɪnd/
peers /pɪəz/
period /'pɪəriəd/
phase /feɪz/
rate /reɪt/
reminder /rɪ'maɪndə/
social skills
skill /skɪl/
stage /steɪdʒ/
toddler /'tɒdlə/
transition /træn'zɪʃən/

Adjectives

abstract /'æbstrækt/
cognitive /'kɒgnətɪv/
clumsy /'klʌmzi/
fond /fɒnd/
fully-grown /'fʊli grəʊn/
immature /,ɪmə'tʃʊə/
independent /,ɪndɪ'pendənt/
irresponsible /,ɪrɪ'spɒnsəbl/
mature /mə'tʃʊə/
patient /'peɪʃənt/
rebellious /rɪ'beliəs/
significant /sɪg'nɪfɪkənt/
tolerant /'tɒlərənt/

Verbs

acquire /ə'kwɪə/
develop /drɪ'veləp/
gesture /'dʒestʃə/
grow /grəʊ/
imitate /'ɪmɪteɪt/
look back
master /'mɑːstə/
mature /mə'tʃʊə/
remember /rɪ'membə/
remind /rɪ'maɪnd/
reminisce /,remɪ'nɪs/
throw a tantrum
visualise /'vɪʒʊəlaɪz/

Adverbs

typically /'tɪpɪkli/

Phrases with mind

bear in mind
broaden the mind
have something in mind /
have something on your mind
it slipped my mind
keep an open mind
my mind went blank
put your mind at ease

UNIT 3

KEEPING FIT

Nouns

allergy /'ælədʒi/
anxiety /æŋ'zaɪəti/
appetite /'æpɪtaɪt/
artery /'ɑːtəri/
asset /'æset/
benefit /'benɪfɪt/
cravings /'kreɪvɪŋz/
depression /dɪ'preʃən/
diagnosis /,daɪəg'nəʊsɪs/
diet /daɪət/
dietician /,daɪə'tɪʃən/
disease /dɪ'ziːz/
(eating) disorder /dɪ'sɔːdə/
exercise /'eksəsaɪz/
factor /'fæktə/
fast food /fɑːst fuːd/
fat /fæt/
harm /hɑːm/
health /helθ/
heart attack /hɑːt ə'tæk/
infection /ɪn'fekʃən/
ingredients /ɪn'grɪdiənts/
insomnia /ɪn'sɒmniə/

intake /'ɪnteɪk/
junk food /dʒʌŋk fuːd/
muscle /'mʌsəl/
nutrient /'njuːtriənt/
nutrition /njuː'trɪʃən/
obesity /əʊ'biːsəti/
onset /'ɒnset/
portion /'pɔːʃən/
risk /rɪsk/
serving /'sɜːvɪŋ/
stress /stres/
stroke /strəʊk/
treatment /'triːtmənt/
therapy /'θerəpi/
variety /və'reəri/
weight /weɪt/

Adjectives

acute /ə'kjʊt/
allergic /ə'lɜːdʒɪk/
alternate /ɒl'tɜːnət/
brisk /'brɪsk/
chronic /'krɒnɪk/
harmful /'hɑːmfəl/
healthy /'helθi/
infectious /ɪn'fekʃəs/
moderate /'mɒdərət/
obese /əʊ'biːs/
overweight /'əʊvəweɪt/
persistent /pə'sɪstənt/
regular /'regjʊlə/
vital /'vaɪtəl/

Verbs

avoid /ə'vɔɪd/
counteract /,kaʊntər'ækt/
curb /kɜːb/
cure /kjʊə/
diminish /dɪ'mɪnɪʃ/
disrupt /dɪs'rʌpt/
eliminate /ɪ'lɪmɪneɪt/
maintain /meɪn'teɪn/
overdo /əʊvə'duː/
overeat /,əʊvər'iːt/
prevent /prɪ'vent/
recommend /,rekə'mend/
recover /rɪ'kʌvə/
reduce /rɪ'dʒuːs/
skip /skɪp/
stimulate /'stɪmjəleɪt/
trigger /'trɪgə/

UNIT 4

LIFESTYLES

Nouns

activity /æk'tɪvəti/
 aspect /'æspekt/
 attitude /'ætɪtju:d/
 (achieve a) balance /'bæləns/
 competition /,kɒmpə'tɪʃən/
 creativity /kri'eɪtɪvəti/
 daily routine
 desire /dɪ'zaɪə/
 disappointment
 /,dɪsə'pɔɪntmənt/
 experience /ɪk'spɪəriəns/
 fulfillment /ful'fɪlmənt/
 goal /gəʊl/
 hobby /'hɒbi/
 insight /'ɪnsaɪt/
 leisure /'leɪzə/
 lifestyle /'laɪfstɑ:l/
 optimist /'ɒptɪmɪst/
 outlook /'aʊtlʊk/
 opportunity /,ɒpə'tju:nəti/
 personality /,pɜ:sən'æləti/
 pessimist /'pesɪmɪst/
 priority /praɪ'ɒrəti/
 pressure /'preʃə/
 realist /'riəlɪst/
 risk-taker /rɪsk 'teɪkə/
 self-expression /self ɪk'spreʃən/
 sense /sens/

Adjectives

active /'æktɪv/
 bored /bɔ:d/
 confused /kən'fju:zd/
 dissatisfied /dɪs'sætɪsfɑɪd/
 intense /ɪn'tens/
 materialistic /mə'tɪəriə'lɪstɪk/
 negative /'negətɪv/
 outdoor /,aʊt'dɔ:/
 positive /'pɒzətɪv/
 recreational /,rekri'eɪʃənəl/
 successful /sək'sesfəl/

Verbs

achieve (a goal) /ə'tʃi:v/
 appeal /ə'pi:l/
 attract /ə'trækt/
 choose /tʃu:z/
 express /ɪk'spres/
 enjoy /ɪn'dʒɔɪ/
 fulfil /ful'fɪl/
 improve /ɪm'pru:v/
 motivate /'məʊtɪveɪt/
 participate /pɑ:'tɪsɪpeɪt/
 regret /rɪ'gret/
 relax /rɪ'læks/
 satisfy /'sætɪsfaɪ/

Verb phrases

lead a happy life
 live life on the edge
 live life to the full

make a choice
 make a decision
 make a living
 meet a need
 miss (an opportunity)
 play a role
 put pressure on
 set (a goal)
 take part (in)
 work hard for a living

Phrases with life or living

all walks of life
 cost of living
 lifelong ambition
 living expenses
 once in a lifetime opportunity
 standard of living
 way of life

UNIT 5

STUDENT LIFE

Nouns

assignment /ə'saɪnmənt/
 college /'kɒlɪdʒ/
 controversy /'kɒntrəvɜ:sɪ/
 curriculum /kə'rɪkjələm/
 dissertation /,dɪsə'teɪʃən/
 education /,edʒu'keɪʃən/
 exam /ɪg'zæm/
 field (of study) /'fi:ld/
 findings /'faɪndɪŋz/
 funding /'fʌndɪŋ/
 grade /greɪd/
 graduation /,grædʒu'eɪʃən/
 grant /grɑ:nt/
 high school /haɪ sku:l/
 homework /'həʊmwɜ:k/
 junior school /'dʒu:nɪə sku:l/
 kindergarten /'kɪndə,gɑ:tən/
 learning disorder
 lecturer /'lektʃərə/
 library /'laɪbrəri/
 limits /'lɪmɪts/
 Masters /'mɑ:stəz/
 nursery /'nɜ:səri/
 PhD /,pi:ertʃ'di:
 primary school /'praɪməri sku:l/
 program /'prəʊgræm/
 project /'prɒdʒekt/
 research /rɪ'sɜ:tʃ/
 resources /rɪ'zɔ:sɪz/
 results /rɪ'zʌltz/
 scholarship /'skɒləʃɪp/
 scope /skəʊp/
 secondary school /'sekəndri sku:l/
 sources /'sɔ:sɪz/
 syllabus /'sɪləbəs/
 task /tɑ:sk/
 theory /'θɪəri/
 thesis /'θi:sɪs/

tutor /'tju:tə/
 topic /'tɒpɪk/
 university /,ju:nɪ'vɜ:səti/

Adjectives

academic /,ækə'demɪk/
 eligible /'elɪdʒəbl/
 mixed /'mɪkst/
 postgraduate /,pəʊs'grædʒuət/
 relevant /'reləvənt/
 senior /'si:nɪə/
 single-sex /sɪŋgl'seks/
 studious /'stju:diəs/
 work-related /wɜ:k rɪ'leɪtɪd/

Verbs

adopt (an approach) /ə'dɒpt/
 analyse /'ænləaɪz/
 conduct /'kɒndʌkt/
 concentrate /'kɒnsəntreɪt/
 consider /kən'sɪdə/
 find out /faɪnd aʊt/
 graduate /'grædʒuət/
 learn (about) /lɜ:n/
 organise /'ɔ:ɡənəɪz/
 overcome /,əʊvə'kʌm/
 review /rɪ'vju:
 revise /rɪ'vaɪz/
 struggle /'strʌɡəl/
 take (a course) /teɪk/

Adverbs

relatively /'relətɪvli/

UNIT 6

EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION

Nouns

accuracy /'ækjərəsi/
 communication
 /kə,mju:nɪ'keɪʃən/
 concept /'kɒnsept/
 conjecture /kən'dʒektʃə/
 dialect /'daɪəlekt/
 fluency /'flu:ənsɪ/
 gesture /'dʒestʃə/
 hesitation /,hezɪ'teɪʃən/
 language /'læŋgwɪdʒ/
 language barrier
 linguist /'lɪŋgwɪst/
 linguistics /lɪŋ'gwɪstɪks/
 means of communication
 mother tongue
 native speaker
 pronunciation /prə'nʌnsi'eɪʃən/
 sign language /saɪn 'læŋgwɪdʒ/
 vocabulary /və'kæbjələri/

Adjectives

incoherent /,ɪnkəʊ'hɪərənt/
 inherent /ɪn'herənt/
 sophisticated /sə'fɪstɪkətɪd/
 spontaneous /spɒn'teɪniəs/

Verbs

clarify /'klærɪfaɪ/
 communicate /kə'mju:nɪkeɪt/
 comprehend /,kɒmpri'hend/
 conclude /kən'klu:d/
 confirm /kən'fɜ:m/
 converse /'kɒnvɜ:s/
 define /dɪ'faɪn/
 demonstrate /'demənstreɪt/
 distinguish /dɪ'stɪŋɡwɪʃ/
 emerge /ɪ'mɜ:dʒ/
 evolve /ɪ'vɒlv/
 explain /ɪk'spleɪn/
 express /ɪk'spres/
 gesture /'dʒestʃə/
 illustrate /'ɪləstreɪt/
 imply /ɪm'plaɪ/
 indicate /ɪ'ndɪkeɪt/
 pronounce /prə'naʊns/
 recall /rɪ'kɔ:l/
 refer (to) /rɪ'fɜ:/
 signify /'sɪgnɪfaɪ/
 state /steɪt/
 stutter /'stʌtə/
 suggest /sə'dʒest/
 translate /trænz'leɪt/

Idioms

there is something to be said for
 needless to say
 have a say
 when all is said and done
 having said that
 to say the least
 You can say that again!
 that is to say

UNIT 7

ON THE MOVE

Nouns

accommodation /ə,kɒmə'deɪʃən/
 attraction /ə'trækʃən/
 community /kə'mju:nəti/
 countryside /'kʌntrɪsaɪd/
 destination /,destɪ'neɪʃən/
 eco-tourism /'i:kəʊ,tʊərɪzəm/
 effect /ɪ'fekt/
 facilities /fə'sɪlətɪz/
 identification
 /aɪ,dentɪfɪ'keɪʃən/
 inhabitant /ɪn'hæbɪtənt/
 itinerary /aɪ'tɪnəri/
 journey /'dʒɜ:ni/
 landscape /'lænskeɪp/
 luggage /'lʌɡɪdʒ/
 peak /pi:k/
 tourism /'tʊərɪzəm/
 tourist /'tuərɪst/
 transport /'trænspɔ:t/
 travel /'trævəl/
 travelling /'trævəlɪŋ/
 trend /trend/

trip /trɪp/
village /vɪlɪdʒ/

Adjectives

adventurous /əd'ventʃərəs/
budget /'bʌdʒɪt/
breath-taking /'breθ,tetkɪŋ/
coastal /'kəʊstəl/
cosmopolitan /,kɒzmə'pɒlɪtən/
diverse /daɪ'vɜ:s/
flexible /'fleksɪbl/
foreign /'fɔ:riŋ/
local /'ləʊkəl/
luxurious /lʌg'ʒʊəriəs/
mountainous /'maʊntɪnəs/
peaceful /'pi:sfəl/
picturesque /,pɪktʃər'esk/
polluted /pə'lju:tɪd/
quaint /kweɪnt/
remote /rɪ'məʊt/
rough /rʌf/
rural /'rʊərəl/
scenic /'si:nɪk/
stunning /'stʌnɪŋ/
tough /tʌf/
traditional /trə'dɪʃənəl/
unspoilt /ʌn'spɔɪlt/
urban /'ɜ:bən/

Verbs

affect /ə'fekt/
fluctuate /'flʌktʃueɪt/

UNIT 8

THROUGH THE AGES

Nouns

age /eɪdʒ/
archaeologist /,ɑ:kɪ'blɒdʒɪst/
century /'sentʃəri/
decade /'dekeɪd/
era /'ɪərə/
evidence /'eɪvɪdəns/
excavation /,ɛkskə'veɪʃən/
generation /,dʒenə'reɪʃən/
the Middle Ages
millennia /mɪ'leniə/
period /'pɪəriəd/
phase /feɪz/
pioneer /,paɪə'nɪə/
timeline /'taɪmlaɪn/

Adjectives

ancient /'eɪnʃənt/
chronological /,krɒnə'lɒdʒɪkəl/
consecutive /kən'sekjʊtɪv/
historical /hɪ'stɔ:rɪkəl/
imminent /'ɪmɪnənt/
middle-aged /,mɪdəl'eɪdʒd/
nostalgic /nɒs'tældʒɪk/
prehistoric /,pri:hɪ'stɔ:rɪk/
prior (to) /praɪə/
punctual /'pʌŋktʃuəl/
time-consuming
/'taɪmkən,sju:mɪŋ/

Verbs

erode /ɪ'rəʊd/
infer /ɪn'fɜ:/
predate /,pri:'deɪt/
span /spæn/

Phrases with time

in time
lose track of time
on time
save time
spend time
take so long
the right time

Adverbs

chronologically
/,krɒnə'lɒdʒɪkəli/
formerly /'fɔ:məli/
previously /'pri:vɪəsli/
subsequently /'sʌbsɪkwəntli/

UNIT 9

THE NATURAL WORLD

Nouns

agriculture /'ægrɪkʌltʃə/
animal kingdom
burrow /'bʌrəʊ/
climate /'klaɪmət/
crop(s) /krɒp/
decline /drɪ'klaɪn/
den /den/
disaster /dɪ'zɑ:stə/
ecological balance
ecology /i:'kɒlədʒi/
evolution /,i:və'lju:ʃən/
extinction /ɪk'stɪŋkʃən/
fauna /'fəʊnə/
flora /'flɔ:rə/
genetics /dʒə'netɪks/
habitat /'hæbɪtæt/
human nature
insect /'ɪnsekt/
Mother Nature
pesticides /'pestɪsaɪdz/
predator /'predətə/
prey /preɪ/
repercussions /,rɪ:pə'kʌʃənz/
scent /sent/
species /'spi:ʃi:z/
soil /sɔɪl/
vegetation /,vedʒɪ'teɪʃən/
vermin /'vɜ:mɪn/
weed /wi:d/

Adjectives

arid /'æɪrɪd/
catastrophic /,kætə'strɒfɪk/
disastrous /dɪ'zɑ:stɹəs/
domesticated /də'mestɪkeɪtɪd/
endangered /ɪn'deɪndʒəd/
extinct /ɪk'stɪŋkt/
genetically-modified

introduced /,ɪntrə'dʒu:st/
native /'neɪtɪv/
natural /'nætʃərəl/
resistant /rɪ'zɪstənt/
semi-arid /'semi'æɪrɪd/
tropical /trɒpɪkəl/
vulnerable /'vʌlnərəbəl/
wild /waɪld/

Verbs

adapt /ə'dæpt/
combat /'kɒmbæt/
cultivate /'kʌltɪveɪt/
eradicate /ɪ'rædɪkeɪt/
evolve /ɪ'vɒlv/
hibernate /'haɪbənert/
tolerate /'tɒləreɪt/

UNIT 10

REACHING FOR THE SKIES

Nouns

asteroid /'æstəroɪd/
astronaut /'æstrənɔ:t/
atmosphere /'ætməsfɪə/
crater /'kreɪtə/
debris /'deɪbrɪz/
Earth /ɜ:θ/
exploration /,ɛksplə'reɪʃən/
explorer /ɪk'splɔ:ə/
galaxy /'gæləksi/
gas /gæs/
gravity /'grævəti/
horizon /hə'raɪzən/
launch /lɔ:ŋʃ/
meteor /'mi:tiə/
moon /mu:n/
ocean /'əʊʃən/
orbit /'ɔ:bɪt/
outer space /'aʊtə speɪs/
planet /'plænɪt/
radiation /,reɪdɪ'eɪʃən/
rocket /'rɒkɪt/
satellite /'sætələɪt/
simulator /'sɪmjəleɪtə/
solar system /'səʊlə'sɪstəm/
space /speɪs/
spacecraft /'speɪskrɑ:ft/
space shuttle /speɪs 'ʃʌtəl/
space station /speɪs 'steɪʃən/
surface /'sɜ:fɪs/
universe /'ju:nɪvɜ:s/
weightlessness /'weɪtləsənəs/

Adjectives

commercial /kə'mɜ:ʃəl/
cosmic /'kɒzmɪk/
extreme /ɪk'stri:m/
gravitational /,grævɪ'teɪʃənəl/
horizontal /,hɒrɪ'zɒntəl/
inevitable /ɪ'nevɪtəbl/
lunar /'lu:nə/

meteoric /,mi:ti'ɒrɪk/
outer /'aʊtə/
solar /'səʊlə/
terrestrial /tə'restriəl/
toxic /'tɒksɪk/
uninhabitable /,ʌnɪn'hæbɪtəbl/
universal /,ju:nɪ'vɜ:səl/
unmanned /ʌn'mænd/

Verbs

acclimatise /ə'klaɪmətaɪz/
colonise /'kɒlənaɪz/
explore /ɪk'splɔ:ə/
float /fləʊt/
orbit /'ɔ:bɪt/
propel /prə'pel/
rotate /rə'teɪt/
sustain /sə'steɪn/
simulate /'sɪmjəleɪt/
undergo /,ʌndə'gəʊ/

UNIT 11

DESIGN AND INNOVATION

Nouns

balcony /'bælkəni/
brick /brɪk/
building /'bɪldɪŋ/
ceiling /'si:lɪŋ/
concrete /'kɒŋkri:t/
construction /kən'strʌkʃən/
cottage /'kɒtɪdʒ/
design /drɪ'zaɪn/
device /drɪ'vaɪs/
elevator /'elɪveɪtə/
engineering /,endʒɪ'nɪəriŋ/
frame /freɪm/
gadget /'gædʒɪt/
housing /'haʊzɪŋ/
innovation /,ɪnə'veɪʃən/
invention /ɪn'venʃən/
landmark /'lændmɑ:k/
lift shaft /lɪft ʃɑ:ft/
occupant /'ɒkjʊpənt/
platform /'plætʃfɔ:m/
quarry /'kwɔ:ri/
residence /'rezɪdəns/
skyscraper /'skaɪ,skreɪpə/
staircase /'steəkeɪs/
steel /sti:l/
storage /'stɔ:ɪdʒ/
structure /'strʌktʃə/
tension /'tenʃən/
timber /'tɪmbə/

Adjectives

airy /'eəri/
conventional /kən'venʃənəl/
cosy /'kəʊzi/
cramped /kræmpt/
curved /kɜ:vɪd/
disposable /drɪ'spəʊzəbl/
domestic /də'mestɪk/

exterior /ɪk'stɪəriəl/
 functional /'fʌŋkʃənəl/
 futuristic /,fju:tʃə'rɪstɪk/
 high-rise /,haɪ'reɪz/
 innovative /'ɪnəvətɪv/
 internal /ɪn'tɜ:nəl/
 mass-produced /,mæsprə'dju:st/
 modern /'mɒdən/
 multi-storey /,mʌlti'stɔ:ri/
 old-fashioned /,əʊl'fæʃənd/
 ornate /ɔ:'neɪt/
 prefabricated /,pri:'fæbrɪkətɪd/
 single-storey /'sɪŋɡəl'stɔ:ri/
 spacious /'speɪʃəs/
 state-of-the-art
 traditional /trə'dɪʃənəl/
 two-storey /tu:'stɔ:ri/
 typical /'tɪpɪkəl/
 ultra-modern /'ʌltrə'mɒdən/

Verbs

activate /'æktɪveɪt/
 automate /'ɔ:təmeɪt/
 build /bɪld/
 condemn /kən'dem/
 construct /'kɒnstrʌkt/
 decorate /'dekəreɪt/
 demolish /dɪ'mɒlɪʃ/
 design /dɪ'zaɪn/
 develop /dɪ'veləp/
 devise /dɪ'vaɪz/
 haul /hɔ:l/
 hoist /hɔɪst/
 invent /ɪn'vent/
 maintain /meɪn'teɪn/
 occupy /'ɒkjəpaɪ/
 reconstruct /,ri:kən'strʌkt/
 renovate /'renəveɪt/
 support /sə'pɔ:t/
 trigger /'trɪɡə/

prototype /'prəʊtətaɪp/
 remote control /rɪ'məʊt
 kən'trəʊl/
 silicon chip /'sɪlɪkən tʃɪp/
 technology /tek'nɒlədʒi/
 telecommunications
 /,telɪkə,mju:nɪ'keɪʃənz/
 vision /'vɪʒən/
 wireless connection

Adjectives

compact /'kɒmpækt/
 computerised
 /kəm'pjʊ:təraɪzɪd/
 cutting-edge /'kʌtɪŋedʒ/
 cyber /'saɪbə/
 dated /'deɪtɪd/
 digital /'dɪdʒɪtəl/
 labour-saving /'leɪbə,seɪvɪŋ/
 portable /'pɔ:təbl/
 state-of-the-art
 up-to-date /,ʌptə'deɪt/
 user-friendly /,ju:zə'frendli/
 virtual /'vɜ:tʃuəl/
 wireless connection

Verbs

access /'ækses/
 connect /kə'nekt/
 download /,daʊn'ləʊd/
 display /dɪ'spleɪ/
 envisage /ɪn'vɪzɪdʒ/
 operate /'ɒpəreɪt/
 revolutionise /,revə'lu:fənəɪz/
 scroll /skrəʊl/
 speculate /'spekjʊleɪt/
 store /stɔ:/
 surpass /sə'pɑ:s/

Adverbs

automatically /ɔ:tə'mætɪkəli/

(have a) monopoly /mə'nɒpəli/
 market /'mɑ:kɪt/
 modernisation
 /,mɒdənaɪ'zeɪʃən/
 multiculturalism
 /,mʌlti'kʌltʃərəlɪzəm/
 percentage /pə'sentɪdʒ/
 population /,pɒpjʊ'leɪʃən/
 prediction /prɪ'dɪkʃən/
 projection /prə'dʒekʃən/
 proportion /prə'pɔ:ʃən/
 rate /reɪt/
 statistics /stə'tɪstɪks/
 trend /trend/

Adjectives

ageing /'eɪdʒɪŋ/
 current /'kʌrənt/
 demographic /,demə'græfɪk/
 elderly /'eldəli/
 ethnic /'eθnɪk/
 exotic /ɪg'zɒtɪk/
 global /'ɡləʊbəl/
 local /'ləʊkəl/
 long-term /,lɒŋ'tɜ:m/
 mid-term /,mɪd'tɜ:m/
 multicultural /,mʌlti'kʌltʃərəl/
 productive /prə'dʌktɪv/
 sceptical /'skeptɪkəl/
 short-term /,ʃɔ:t'tɜ:m/
 subsequent /'sʌbsɪkwənt/
 wealthy /'welθi/
 worldwide /,wɜ:ld'waɪd/

Verbs

compound /'kɒmpaʊnd/
 contribute /kən'trɪbjʊt/
 decline /dɪ'klaɪn/
 diminish /dɪ'mɪnɪʃ/
 dominate /'dɒmɪneɪt/
 dwindle /'dwɪndəl/
 factor /'fæktə/
 indicate /ɪn'dɪkeɪt/
 merge /mɜ:dʒ/
 migrate /maɪ'greɪt/

population /,pɒpjʊ'leɪʃən/
 poverty /'pɒvəti/
 resolution /,rezə'lu:ʃən/
 setback /'setbæk/
 slum /slʌm/
 solution /sə'lu:ʃən/
 tolerance /'tɒlərəns/
 traffic /'træfɪk/
 urbanisation /z:ˈbænəɪ'zeɪʃən/

Adjectives

adequate /'ædɪkwət/
 basic /'beɪsɪk/
 booming /'bu:mɪŋ/
 catastrophic /,kætsə'strɒfɪk/
 crowded /'kraʊdɪd/
 decent /'di:sənt/
 developing /dɪ'veləpɪŋ/
 double-edged /dʌbl'edʒd/
 isolated /'aɪsəleɪtɪd/
 one-sided /wʌn'saɪdɪd/
 long-sighted /lɒŋ'saɪtɪd/
 long-term /,lɒŋ'tɜ:m/
 overpriced /,əʊvə'praɪst/
 overworked /,əʊvə'wɜ:kt/
 pressing /'presɪŋ/
 rural /'rʊərəl/
 short-sighted /ʃɔ:t'saɪtɪd/
 short-term /,ʃɔ:t'tɜ:m/
 staggering /'stægərɪŋ/
 tolerant /'tɒlərənt/

Verbs

address /ə'dres/
 adjust /ə'dʒʌst/
 aggravate /'ægrəveɪt/
 cause /kɔ:z/
 compete /kəm'pi:t/
 compound /'kɒmpaʊnd/
 deal with
 deteriorate /dɪ'tɪəriəreɪt/
 enhance /ɪn'hɑ:ns/
 exacerbate /ɪg'zæsəbeɪt/
 exclude /ɪks'klu:d/
 face /feɪs/
 flourish /'flaʊrɪʃ/
 identify /aɪ'dentɪfaɪ/
 improve /ɪm'pru:v/
 include /ɪn'klu:d/
 linger /'lɪŋgə/
 modify /'mɒdɪfaɪ/
 overcome /,əʊvə'kʌm/
 present /prez'ent/
 raise /reɪz/
 reform /rɪ'fɔ:m/
 regulate /'regjʊleɪt/
 remedy /'remədi/
 resolve /rɪ'zɒlv/
 tackle /'tækəl/
 tolerate /'tɒləreɪt/
 transform /træns'fɔ:m/
 worsen /'wɜ:sən/

Verb phrases

find a solution
 overcome a difficulty

UNIT 12

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Nouns

automatic pilot
 computerisation
 /kəm'pjʊ:təraɪ'zeɪʃən/
 connection /kə'nekʃən/
 data /'deɪtə/
 device /dɪ'vaɪs/
 function /'fʌŋkʃən/
 gadget /'gædʒɪt/
 the Internet
 keyboard /'ki:bɔ:rd/
 keypad /'ki:pæd/
 laptop (computer) /'læptɒp/
 the latest
 memory /'meməri/
 monitor /'mɒnɪtə/
 patent /'peɪtənt/
 program /'prəʊgræm/

UNIT 13

THE MODERN WORLD

Nouns

attitude /'ætɪtju:d/
 brand /brænd/
 culture /'kʌltʃə/
 cycle /'saɪkl/
 demographics
 /,deməʊ'græfɪks/
 development /dɪ'veləpmənt/
 diversity /daɪ'vɜ:səti/
 globalisation /,ɡləʊbəlaɪ'zeɪʃən/
 hindsight /'haɪndsəɪt/
 icon /'aɪkɒn/
 identity /aɪ'dentəti/
 implication /,ɪmplɪ'keɪʃən/
 impact /'ɪmpækt/
 increase /'ɪnkrɪ:s/
 influence /'ɪnfluəns/
 industry /'ɪndəstri/
 isolation /,aɪsə'leɪʃən/
 joint venture

UNIT 14

URBANISATION

Nouns

benefit /'benɪfɪt/
 challenge /'tʃælɪndʒ/
 compromise /'kɒmprəmaɪz/
 difficulty /'dɪfɪkəlti/
 dilemma /dɪ'lemə/
 inhabitant /ɪn'hæbɪtənt/
 infrastructure /'ɪnfə'strʌktʃə/
 isolation /,aɪsə'leɪʃən/
 issue /'ɪʃu:
 megacity /'megəsɪti/
 migrant /'maɪgrənt/
 obstacle /'ɒbstəkəl/
 overpopulation
 /,əʊvə,pɒpjʊ'leɪʃən/

reach/find a compromise
remedy a situation
resolve an issue

UNIT 15

THE GREEN REVOLUTION

Nouns

acid rain /'æsid reɪn/
biodiversity /,baɪəʊdaɪ'vɜːsəti/
climate change
contamination
/kən,tæmɪ'neɪʃən/
deforestation /diːfɒrɪ'steɪʃən/
disposal /dɪ'spəʊzəl/
drought /draʊt/
ecosystem /'iːkəʊsɪstəm/
emission /ɪ'mɪʃən/
the environment
erosion /ɪ'rəʊʒən/
exhaust (fumes) /ɪg'zɔːst/
fertilizer /'fɜːtɪlaɪzə/
flood /flʌd/
food chain /fuːd tʃeɪn/
fumes /fjuːmz/
greenhouse gases
impact /'ɪmpækt/
pollutant /pə'ljuːtənt/
pollution /pə'ljuːʃən/
process /'prəʊses/
refuse /'refjuːs/
strain /streɪn/
threat /θret/
waste /weɪst/

Adjectives

achievable /ə'tʃiːvəbl/
advantageous /,ædvən'teɪdʒəs/
at risk /æt rɪsk/
beneficial /,benɪ'fɪʃəl/
chronic /'krɒnɪk/
conceivable /kən'siːvəbl/
contaminated /kən'tæmɪnətɪd/
devastating /'devəsteɪtɪŋ/
doubtful /'daʊtfəl/
environmental
/ɪn,vəɪrən'mentəl/
environmentally friendly
feasible /'fiːzəbl/
fruitless /'fruːtləs/
futile /'fjuːtaɪl/
immune /ɪ'mjuːn/
impracticable /ɪm'præktɪkəbl/
improbable /ɪm'prɒbəbl/
in danger (of)
insoluble /ɪn'sɒljəbl/
irreparable /ɪ'reprəbl/
irreplaceable /,ɪrɪ'pleɪsəbl/
irreversible /,ɪrɪ'vɜːsəbl/
liable /'laɪəbl/
life-threatening /'laɪf,θretənɪŋ/
pervasive /pə'veɪsɪv/
pointless /'pɔɪntləs/

pristine /'prɪstɪn/
questionable /'kwɛstʃənəbl/
recyclable /,rɪ:'saɪkləbl/
sustainable /sə'steɪnəbl/
taxing /'tæksɪŋ/
unattainable /,ʌnə'teɪnəbl/
unlikely /ʌn'laɪkli/
unprecedented /ʌn'presɪdɪntɪd/
useless /juːsləs/
viable /'vaɪəbl/
vital /'vɪtəl/
worthwhile /,wɜːθ'waɪl/

Verbs

confront /kən'frʌnt/
contaminate /kən'tæmɪneɪt/
dispose of
dump /dʌmp/
threaten /'θretən/

Adverbs

inexorably /ɪ'neksərəbli/
inevitably /ɪ'nevɪəbli/

UNIT 16

THE ENERGY CRISIS

Nouns

atmosphere /'ætməsfɪə/
balance /'bæləns/
biofuel /baɪəʊfjuəl/
carbon /'kɑːbən/
carbon dioxide /'kɑːbən daɪ'ɒksaɪd/
crisis /'krɪsɪs/
electricity /,ɪlek'trɪsɪti/
emissions /ɪ'mɪʃənz/
exhaust /ɪg'zɔːst/
fossil fuel /'fɒsəl 'fjuːəl/
fuel /fjuːəl/
fumes /fjuːmz/
gas /gæs/
greenhouse gas /'ɡriːnhaʊs gæs/
hybrid /'haɪbrɪd/
hydrogen /'haɪdrədʒən/
petrol /'petrəl/
resources /rɪ'zɔːsɪz/
turbine /'tɜːbaɪn/
vehicle /'viːkəl/

Adjectives

alternative /ɒl'tɜːnətɪv/
critical /'krɪtɪkəl/
disposable /dɪ'spəʊzəbl/
drastic /'dræstɪk/
eco-friendly /'iːkəʊ,frendli/
efficient /ɪ'fɪʃənt/
effective /ɪ'fektɪv/
environmentally friendly
nuclear /'njuːkliə/
rechargeable /rɪ:'tʃɑːdʒəbl/
renewable /rɪ'njuːəbl/
solar /'səʊlə/
unleaded (petrol) /ʌn'ledɪd/

Verbs

absorb /əb'zɔːb/
conserve /kən'sɜːv/
consume /kən'sjuːm/
convert /'kɒnvɜːt/
counter /'kaʊntə/
deplete /dɪ'pliːt/
diminish /dɪ'mɪnɪʃ/
discharge /'dɪʃtʃɑːdʒ/
dwindle /'dwɪndəl/
emit /ɪ'mɪt/
expend /ɪk'spend/
limit /'lɪmɪt/
maintain /meɪn'teɪn/
outweigh /,aʊt'wei/
preserve /prɪ'zɜːv/
retain /rɪ'teɪn/
waste /weɪst/

UNIT 17

TALKING BUSINESS

Nouns

advertisement /əd'vɜːtɪsmənt/
advertising /'ædvətaɪzɪŋ/
boss /bɒs/
campaign /kæm'peɪn/
candidate /'kændɪdət/
career /kə'ɪrɪə/
clerk /klɜːk/
client /klaɪənt/
colleague /'kɒliːg/
company /'kʌmpəni/
consumer /kən'sjuːmə/
credibility /,kredə'bɪləti/
customer /'kʌstəmə/
earnings /'ɜːnɪŋz/
employee /ɪm'plɔɪi/
employer /ɪm'plɔɪə/
employment /ɪm'plɔɪmənt/
experience /ɪk'spɪəriəns/
goods /ɡʊdz/
income /'ɪnkʌm/
industry /'ɪndəstri/
interview /'ɪntəvjʊ/
job /dʒɒb/
job satisfaction
labourer /'leɪbərə/
management /'mænɪdʒmənt/
manual work /'mænjuəl wɜːk/
market /'mɑːkɪt/
marketing /'mɑːkɪtɪŋ/
meeting /'miːtɪŋ/
money /'mʌni/
niche /niːʃ/
occupation /,ɒkjə'peɪʃən/
office /'ɒfɪs/
overtime /'əʊvətəɪm/
packaging /'pækɪdʒɪŋ/
pay /peɪ/
perk /pɜːk/
product /'prɒdʌkt/
profession /prə'feʃən/

prospects /'prɒspekts/
qualifications /,kwɒlɪfɪ'keɪʃənz/
retirement /rɪ'taɪəmənt/
salary /'sæləri/
shares /ʃeəz/
shift work /ʃɪft wɜːk/
skills /skɪlz/
staff /stɑːf/
supervisor /'suːpəvaɪzə/
takeover /'teɪk,əʊvə/
target /'tɑːɡɪt/
trade /treɪd/
trend /trend/
unemployment /,ʌnɪm'plɔɪmənt/
wages /'weɪdʒɪz/
workforce /'wɜːkfoːs/
workplace /'wɜːkpleɪs/

Adjectives

casual /'kæʒʒjuəl/
demanding /dɪ'mɑːndɪŋ/
economic /,ɪkə'nɒmɪk/
economical /,ɪkə'nɒmɪkəl/
exhausting /ɪg'zɔːstɪŋ/
hospitality /,hɒspɪ'tæləti/
monotonous /mə'nɒtənəs/
part-time /,pɑːt'taɪm/
retail /rɪ'teɪl/
redundant /rɪ'dʌndənt/
rewarding /rɪ'wɔːdɪŋ/
unemployed /,ʌnɪm'plɔɪd/
unskilled /ʌn'skɪld/

Verbs

apply /ə'plai/
compete /kəm'piːt/
earn /ɜːn/
endorse /ɪn'dɔːs/
invest (in) /ɪn'vest/
persuade /pə'sweɪd/
to be promoted
request /rɪ'kwest/
retire /rɪ'taɪə/

UNIT 18

THE LAW

Nouns

actions /'æksənz/
arson /'ɑːsən/
authority /ɔː'thɒrəti/
burglary /'bɜːgləri/
consequences /'kɒnseqwənsɪz/
convict /'kɒnvɪkt/
crime /kraɪm/
crime rate /kraɪm reɪt/
criminal /'krɪmɪnəl/
deterrent /dɪ'terənt/
evidence /'eɪvɪdəns/
fine /faɪn/
fraud /frou:d/
imprisonment /ɪm'prɪzənmənt/
inequality /,ɪnɪ'kwɒləti/
intent /ɪn'tent/

intrusion /ɪn'tru:ʒən/
 judge /dʒʌdʒ/
 jury /'dʒʊəri/
 kidnapping /'kɪdnæpɪŋ/
 lawyer /'lɔɪə/
 motive /'məʊtɪv/
 murder /'mɜ:də/
 offence /ə'fens/
 pickpocketing /'pɪkpɒkɪtɪŋ/
 prevention /prɪ'venʃən/
 prison /'prɪzən/
 prisoner /'prɪzənə/
 property crime /'prɒpəti kraɪm/
 prosecutor /'prɒsɪkjʊtə/
 protection /prə'tekʃən/
 punishment /'pʌnɪʃmənt/
 recklessness /'rekləsənəs/
 smuggling /'smʌɡlɪŋ/
 social system /'səʊʃəl 'sɪstəm/
 swearing /'swɛərɪŋ/
 the accused
 toxic waste /'tɒksɪk weɪst/
 vandalism /'vændəlɪzəm/
 victim /'vɪktɪm/
 violation /,vaɪə'leɪʃən/

Adjectives

criminal /'krɪmɪnəl/
 drug-related /drʌɡ rɪ'leɪtɪd/
 evil /'i:vl/
 guilty /'ɡɪlti/
 harsh /hɑ:ʃ/
 innocent /'ɪnəsənt/
 intentional /ɪn'tenʃənəl/
 law-abiding /'lɔ:ə,bɑɪdɪŋ/
 non-violent /,nɒn'vaɪələnt/
 offensive /ə'fensɪv/
 on trial /ɒn traɪəl/
 petty (crime) /'peti/
 punishable /'pʌnɪʃəbl/
 random /'rændəm/
 strict /strikt/
 unintentional /,ʌnɪn'tenʃənəl/
 victimless /'vɪktɪmləs/

Verbs

abide (by) /ə'baɪd/
 abolish /ə'bɒlɪʃ/
 combat /'kɒmbæt/
 deter /dɪ'tɜ:z/
 enforce /ɪn'fɔ:s/
 imprison /ɪm'prɪzən/
 monitor /'mɒnɪtə/
 obey /ə'beɪ/
 offend /ə'fend/
 perpetrate /'pɜ:pɪtreɪt/
 prevent /prɪ'vent/
 protect /prə'tekt/
 prove /pru:v/
 punish /'pʌnɪʃ/
 resent /rɪ'zent/
 respect /rɪ'spekt/
 violate /'vaɪəleɪt/

Verb phrases

accept the consequences
 commit a crime
 convict a criminal
 impose a fine
 pass a law
 solve a crime

UNIT 19

THE MEDIA

Nouns

access /'ækses/
 attitude /'ætɪtju:d/
 author /'ɔ:θə/
 bias /'baɪəs/
 censorship /'sensəʃɪp/
 challenge /'tʃælɪndʒ/
 credibility /,kredə'bɪləti/
 current affairs /'kʌrənt ə'feəz/
 editor /'edɪtə/
 exposé /ek'spəuzeɪ/
 exposure /ɪk'spəʊzə/
 fame /feɪm/
 free press /fri: pres/
 ideology /,aɪdɪə'lɒdʒi/
 influence /'ɪnfluəns/
 the Internet
 investigation /ɪn'vestɪ'geɪʃən/
 issue /'ɪʃu:/
 journal /'dʒɜ:nəl/
 journalism /'dʒɜ:nəlɪzəm/
 mass media /mæs 'mi:diə/
 media /'mi:diə/
 network /'netwɜ:k/
 the news
 newspaper /'nju:z,peɪpə/
 newsstand /'nju:zstænd/
 opinion /ə'pɪnjən/
 paparazzi /,pæpə'rætsi/
 press /pres/
 privacy /'prɪvəsi/
 publication /,pʌblɪ'keɪʃən/
 publicity /pʌ'bɪlɪsəti/
 publisher /'pʌblɪʃə/
 relevance /'reləvəns/
 safeguard /'seɪfɡɑ:d/
 source /sɔ:s/
 speculation /,spekjə'leɪʃən/
 tabloid /'tæbloɪd/
 the Web

Adjectives

alternative /ɒl'tɜ:nətɪv/
 artificial /,ɑ:tɪ'fɪʃəl/
 attention-grabbing /ə'tenʃən
 'græbɪŋ/
 biased /'baɪəst/
 celebrity /sə'lebrəti/
 controversial /,kɒntrə'vɜ:ʃəl/
 distorted /dɪ'stɔ:tɪd/
 entertaining /,entə'teɪnɪŋ/
 factual /'fæktʃuəl/

informative /ɪn'fɔ:mətɪv/
 intrusive /ɪn'tru:sɪv/
 investigative /ɪn'vestɪgətɪv/
 mainstream /'meɪnstri:m/
 pervasive /pə'veɪsɪv/
 realistic /,rɪə'lɪstɪk/
 sensationalist /sen'seɪʃənəlɪst/
 superficial /,su:pə'fɪʃəl/
 unbiased /ʌn'baɪəst/
 well-informed /,welɪn'fɔ:md/

Verbs

affect /ə'fekt/
 broadcast /'brɔ:dkɑ:st/
 censor /'sensə/
 control /kən'trəʊl/
 exploit /'eksplɔɪt/
 expose /ɪk'spəʊz/
 inform /ɪn'fɔ:m/
 intrude /ɪn'tru:d/
 invade /ɪn'veɪd/
 investigate /ɪn'vestɪgeɪt/
 publicize /'pʌblɪsaɪz/
 publish /'pʌblɪʃ/
 report /rɪ'pɔ:t/
 review /rɪ'vju:/
 verify /'verɪfaɪ/

UNIT 20

THE ARTS

Nouns

actor /'æktə/
 actress /'æktres/
 aesthetics /i:z'θetɪks/
 appreciation /ə,prɪ:ʃi'eɪʃən/
 artefact /'ɑ:tɪfækt/
 artist /'ɑ:tɪst/
 atmosphere /'ætməsfɪə/
 audience /'ɔ:diəns/
 ballerina /,bælə'ri:nə/
 ballet /'bæleɪ/
 carving /'kɑ:vɪŋ/
 conception /kən'sepʃən/
 concert /'kɒnsət/
 crafts /kra:fts/
 creation /kri'eɪʃən/
 culture /'kʌltʃə/
 emotion /ɪ'məʊʃən/
 exhibition /,eksɪ'bɪʃən/
 expression /ɪk'spreʃən/
 festival /'festɪvəl/
 gallery /'gæləri/
 image /'ɪmɪdʒ/
 imagination /ɪ,mædʒɪ'neɪʃən/
 influence /'ɪnfluəns/
 inspiration /,ɪnspɪ'reɪʃən/
 intimacy /'ɪntɪməsi/
 literature /'lɪtrətʃə/
 mood /mu:d/
 musician /mju:'zɪʃən/
 opera /'ɒpərə/
 orchestra /'ɔ:kɪstrə/

painting /'peɪntɪŋ/
 performance /pə'fɔ:məns/
 the performing arts
 play /pleɪ/
 portrait /'pɔ:trɪt/
 proportion /prə'pɔ:ʃən/
 reflection /rɪ'flekʃən/
 response /rɪ'spɒns/
 sculptor /'skʌlptə/
 sculpture /'skʌlptʃə/
 stimulus /'stɪmjələs/
 style /stɑɪl/
 taste /teɪst/
 theatre /'θiətə/
 theme /θi:m/
 venue /'venju:/
 works /wɜ:ks/
 writer /'raɪtə/

Adjectives

abstract /'æbstrækt/
 accomplished /ə'kʌmplɪʃt/
 aesthetic /i:z'θetɪk/
 burgeoning /'bɜ:ɟɟənɪŋ/
 classical /'klæsɪkəl/
 creative /kri'eɪtɪv/
 cultural /'kʌltʃərəl/
 distracting /dɪ'stræktɪŋ/
 eclectic /ek'lektɪk/
 electric /ɪ'lektɪk/
 emotional /ɪ'məʊʃənəl/
 fundamental /,fʌndə'mentəl/
 imaginative /ɪ'mædʒɪnətɪv/
 influential /ɪnflu'enʃəl/
 inspirational /,ɪnspɪ'reɪʃənəl/
 interactive /,ɪntə'æktɪv/
 literary /'lɪtərəri/
 live /laɪv/
 magical /'mædʒɪkəl/
 monotonous /mə'nɒtənəs/
 mundane /mʌn'deɪn/
 passionate /'pæʃənət/
 popular /'pɒpjələ/
 prominent /'prɒmɪnənt/
 relaxing /rɪ'læksɪŋ/
 stimulating /'stɪmjəleɪtɪŋ/
 visual /'vɪʒuəl/
 vivid /'vɪvɪd/

Verbs

choreograph /'kɔəriəgrɑ:f/
 create /kri'eɪt/
 depict /dɪ'pɪkt/
 enrich /ɪn'rɪtʃ/
 escape /ɪ'skeɪp/
 imagine /ɪ'mædʒɪn/
 influence /'ɪnfluəns/
 inspire /ɪn'spaɪə/
 participate /pɑ:'tɪsɪpeɪt/
 perform /pə'fɔ:m/
 provoke /prə'vəʊk/
 transcend /træn'send/