

6 The Place to Be

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- 6.1 **university** (n) /ju:ni'vɜ:səti/
a place where you go to study a special subject after you've left school • *My dad never went to university because he started working when he left school at sixteen.*
- 6.2 **tower** (n) /'taʊə(r)/
a very tall, narrow, building or structure
• *Rebecca went to see the Eiffel Tower in Paris.*
- 6.3 **Georgia** (n) /'dʒɔ:dʒə/

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- 6.4 **building** (n) /'bɪldɪŋ/
a structure, e.g. a house, school, hospital, etc.
• *Our town is full of new buildings and it looks completely different from the past.* > build (v), builder (n)
- 6.5 **return** (v) /rɪ'tɜ:n/
give or bring back • *I borrowed my friend's jacket and returned it today.* > return (n)
- 6.6 **enter** (v) /'entə(r)/
go into • *The door opened slowly, and a man in white entered the room.* > entrance (n), entry (n)
- 6.7 **in progress** (phr) /ɪn 'prɒʊgres/
happening now • *Please don't enter the manager's office because there's a meeting in progress.*
- 6.8 **racket** (n) /'rækɪt/
a piece of equipment you use to hit a ball in a sport, e.g. tennis, badminton • *Clive hit the ball too hard and broke his racket.*
📖 Syn: racquet
- 6.9 **jewellery** (n) /'dʒu:əlri/
sth you wear for decoration • *Cordelia always wears her gold jewellery when she goes out to special events.*
📖 US Eng: jewelry
- 6.10 **ring** (n) /rɪŋ/
a piece of jewellery that you wear on a finger
• *Jane's new ring fell off because it was too big for her finger.*
- 6.11 **necklace** (n) /'neɪkləs/
a piece of jewellery that you wear around your neck • *Mum was wearing her new necklace with her black dress to go out for dinner.*

- 6.12 **tub** (n) /tʌb/
a bathtub • *After his long run, Kevin filled the tub with hot water and had a relaxing hot bath.*

Word Focus

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- 6.13 **tour guide** (n) /tʊə(r) gaɪd/
a person who takes tourists to interesting places and gives information about them
• *The tour guide told us some interesting facts about Ancient Sparta.*
- 6.14 **somewhere** (adv) /'sʌmweə(r)/
some place in general • *I've seen you somewhere before, but I can't remember where.*
- 6.15 **banquet hall** (n) /'bæŋkwɪt hɔ:l/
a large room where many people have a big meal together at long tables • *In the castle at the top of Ancient Mystras, there was a banquet hall where the rich people had their feasts.*
- 6.16 **locked** (adj) /lɒkt/
closed by using a key • *The killer broke the window to get into the house because the doors were locked.* > lock (v, n), locker (n)
- 6.17 **bang** (v) /bæŋ/
hit sth very hard to make a noise • *The toilet door wouldn't open, so Vincent banged on the door and shouted for help.* > bang (n)
- 6.18 **once** (adv) /wʌns/
one time • *Sally played golf once, but she didn't enjoy it much.*

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- 6.19 **crazy** (adj) /'kreɪzi/
mad • *Why is your hair green? You look crazy!*
> craziness (n)
- 6.20 **notice** (v) /'nəʊtɪs/
see or hear sth • *When did Jim go home? I didn't notice him leaving.* > notice (n), noticeable (adj)
- 6.21 **far** (adj) /fɑ:(r)/
not near • *There were two small hotels at the far side of the village.* > far (adv)
- 6.22 **report** (n) /rɪ'pɔ:t/
a description of sth that happened • *The police officer wrote a report on the crash.*
> report (v), reporter (n)

- 6.23** **violent** (adj) /'vaɪələnt/
acting in a way that can hurt sb/sth • *The bear looks cute, but don't go close because it's a violent animal.* > violence (n)
- 6.24** **kill** (v) /kɪl/
to end the life of sb/sth • *The robbers killed a lot of people on their way out of the bank.* > killer (n)
- 6.25** **spooky** (adj) /'spuːki/
scary, very strange • *Everybody was afraid to walk along the spooky dark street at night.*
- 6.26** **someone** (pron) /'sʌmwʌn/
a person in general (when you don't know exactly who it is, or it isn't important)
• *Someone sent me a text, but I don't know who it was because they didn't sign off with a name.*
☞ Syn: somebody
- 6.27** **evil** (adj) /'iːvl/
very bad to others • *The evil prince killed his brother and became king.* > evil (n)
- 6.28** **by herself** (phr) /baɪ hɜː'self/
alone without help (for a girl or woman)
• *Angela designed the new house by herself.*
- 6.29** **allow** (v) /ə'laʊ/
let sb do sth • *Young children aren't allowed to watch scary films in the cinema.*
- 6.30** **flash** (n) /flæʃ/
a device that gives a quick bright light to take a photo • *Lizzie's photos weren't very good because she didn't use the flash on her camera.* > flash (v)
- 6.31** **guided tour** (n) /'gaɪdɪd tuə(r)/
a trip around a building, town, etc. with a tour guide • *Eric's travel company takes visitors on guided tours of the Peloponnese.*
- 6.32** **caution** (n) /'kɔːʃn/
great care so sth dangerous won't happen
• *Caution! Don't swim here because of the sharks.* > cautious (adj)
- 6.33** **believe in** (phr v) /bɪ'liːv ɪn/
think that sth is true • *Do you believe in Santa Claus?*
- 6.34** **haunted** (adj) /'hɔːntɪd/
that people say has ghosts inside • *At the top of the hill is a haunted castle where the prince killed his sons.* > haunt (v)

Vocabulary

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- 6.35** **corner shop** (n) /'kɔːnə(r) ʃɒp/
a small shop that sells food and other things near your home • *Our corner shop is useful because it's always open late at night.*
- 6.36** **factory** (n) /'fæktəri/
a building where people make things • *Many people in my town have had no jobs since the car factory closed.*
- 6.37** **petrol station** (n) /'petrəl 'steɪʃn/
a place where you stop to put petrol, etc. in a car • *They were lucky to find a petrol station open in a village after driving so many miles.*
- 6.38** **pharmacy** (n) /'fɑːməsi/
a shop where you can buy medicines • *Judy bought some sunscreen from the pharmacy.*
> pharmacist (n)
☞ Syn: chemist's
- 6.39** **shopping centre** (n) /'ʃɒpɪŋ 'sentə(r)/
a group of shops with a common area for cars to park • *The shopping centre is always really busy at weekends.*
☞ Syn: mall
- 6.40** **stadium** (n) /'steɪdiəm/
a place where sports are played with rows of seats around for people to watch • *Everyone stood up excitedly when the teams entered the stadium.*
- 6.41** **theatre** (n) /'θɪətə(r)/
a place where people go to watch live performances • *I'm going to see a Shakespeare play at the theatre next week.*
theatrical (adj)
- 6.42** **tank** (n) /tæŋk/
a container for water or other liquid • *Olivia stopped at the petrol station because her petrol tank was nearly empty.*
- 6.43** **fill up** (phr v) /fɪl ʌp/
make sth full • *The walking group stopped to fill up their water bottles at the tap by the road.*
- 6.44** **take up** (phr v) /teɪk ʌp/
start doing sth new, e.g. a hobby or sport
• *Grace is never at home at weekends because she's taken up horse-riding.*
- 6.45** **run out of** (phr v) /rʌn aʊt əv/
use all that you have of sth • *We've run out of spaghetti, so can you go and buy a packet?*
- 6.46** **sell out** (phr v) /sel aʊt/
have sold everything of one kind • *I couldn't get tickets for the concert because they were already sold out.*

- 6.47 play** (n) /pleɪ/
a performance of a story that is acted in a theatre • *We're going to see a famous play by Shakespeare next week.*
- 6.48 put on** (phr v) /pʊt ɒn/
organise a performance • *Our class put on a play about helping wildlife.*
- 6.49 look for** (phr v) /lʊk fə(r)/
try to find • *Tom looked for his glasses everywhere, but he couldn't find them.*
- 6.50 worker** (n) /'wɜːkə(r)/
sb who works • *The workers in the shoe factory work for eight hours a day.*
- 6.51 break down** (phr v) /breɪk daʊn/
stop working because of a mechanical problem • *Ron can't do the laundry because the washing machine has broken down.*
➤ breakdown (n)
- 6.52 work out** (phr v) /wɜːk aʊt/
exercise your body • *Veronica works out three times a week at the gym.* ➤ workout (n)
- 6.53 come down with** (phr v) /kʌm daʊn wɪθ/
become ill because of • *I feel awful because I've come down with a cold.*
- 6.54 flu** (n) /fluː/
an illness like a bad cold with headaches, fever and pains, etc. • *All the students in my class had the flu last month.*
- 6.55 medicine** (n) /'medsn/
sth you drink or eat to make you well when you're ill • *The doctor told Tim to take his medicine every eight hours.*
- 6.56 air** (n) /eə(r)/
the gases that are all around us • *Irene opened a window to let some air in.* ➤ air (v)
- 6.57 polluted** (adj) /pə'luːtɪd/
dirty and not safe to use • *You can't drink the water from the river because it is polluted.*
➤ pollute (v), pollution (n)
- 6.58 everywhere** (adv) /'evriweə(r)/
in all places • *Maria doesn't have a car and she cycles everywhere.* ➤ everywhere (pron)
- 6.59 peaceful** (adj) /'piːsfl/
quiet with nothing to worry about • *My family moved to the island to have a peaceful life.*
➤ peace (n), peacefully (adv)
- 6.60 service** (n) /'sɜːvɪs/
sth helpful for sb to use • *The services at the sports centre include showers, toilets and a cafeteria.* ➤ serve (v), servant (n)
- 6.61 fire station** (n) /'faɪə(r) 'steɪʃn/
a building where firefighters are with their equipment and vehicles • *Our class visited a fire station and we learnt about how to put out fires.*
- 6.62 police station** (n) /pə'liːs 'steɪʃn/
a building where police officers work • *Pat went to the police station to give a report about his lost laptop bag.*
- 6.63 dangerous** (adj) /'deɪndʒərəs/
that can hurt sb or damage sth • *It's dangerous to cross the busy street here.*
➤ danger (n)
- 6.64 gain** (v) /geɪn/
get sth that you didn't have • *We gained a few new friends at the summer camp.* ➤ gain (n)
- 6.65 knowledge** (n) /'nɒlɪdʒ/
all the facts you know about everything • *Dimitris couldn't understand the tourists because he has no knowledge of foreign languages.* ➤ know (v), knowledgeable (adj)
- 6.66 item** (n) /'aɪtəm/
an object • *I made a list of items that I needed before I went shopping.*
- 6.67 stamp** (n) /stæmp/
a small piece of paper to stick on sth before you post it • *The postman returned the letter to me because I forgot to put a stamp on it.*
- 6.68 bill** (n) /bɪl/
sth that shows an amount you have to pay for things or a service • *Has Sandra paid her electricity bill yet?*
- 6.69 past** (adv) /paːst/
to a position that is further than a particular point • *The bus went past the park on the way to the museum.*

- 6.70 breathe** (v) /bri:ð/
take air into your body and let it out through your mouth or nose • *People can't breathe under the sea.* > breath (n)
- 6.71 fresh** (adj) /frefʃ/
clean and new; grown not long ago • *There aren't many fresh strawberries in the shops in winter.* > freshness (n)
- 6.72 row** (v) /rəʊ/
make a boat move across water by pulling on oars • *There was no wind for the sails, so I rowed the boat to the island.* > rowing (n)
- 6.73 continue** (v) /kən'tɪnju:/
keep doing sth • *Kate told her sister to be quiet, but she continued playing loud music.*
- 6.74 run away** (phr v) /rʌŋ ə'weɪ/
get out of a place suddenly; escape from somewhere • *Oliver ran away from the evil man who made children work for him.*
- 6.75 directions** (n pl) /də'rekʃnz/
instructions about how to go somewhere • *Tanya asked someone for directions to get to the underground station.* > direct (v, adj), directly (adv)
- 6.76 follow** (v) /'fɒləʊ/
keep going along a road • *Follow the street to the corner and you'll see the bus stop.*
- 6.77 get off** (phr v) /get ɒf/
go out of a bus, train, plane or ship • *We got off the bus outside the school.*
- 6.78 get on** (phr v) /get ɒn/
to go into a bus, train, plane or ship • *Sue got on the plane at Heathrow airport.*
- 6.79 get to** (phr v) /get tu:/
arrive at • *The train got to the station at six o'clock.*

Phrasal Verbs

get off	break down
get on	work out
get to	come down with
run away	sell out
run out of	fill up
put on	take up
look for	

- 6.80 turn** (v) /tɜ:n/
move in a different direction • *I didn't know which way to turn at the end of the road.* > turn (n)

- 6.81 right** (adv) /raɪt/
on the right side • *We turn right at the traffic lights.* > right (adj)
- 6.82 left** (adv) /left/
on the left side • *Turn left at the corner of King's Road.* > left (adj)
- 6.83 straight on** (adv) /streɪt ɒn/
in a direct line • *Walk straight on and turn right at the bank.*

Grammar

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- 6.84 contrast** (n) /'kɒntrɑ:st/
a clear difference between two things • *There is a big contrast between our quiet village and the centre of London.* > contrast (v)
- 6.85 Russia** (n) /'rʌʃə/
> Russian (adj, n)
- 6.86 lift** (n) /lɪft/
a machine that moves people and things to a higher level in a building • *You can take the lift to the sixth floor.* > lift (v)
- 6.87 roundabout** (n) /'raʊndəbaʊt/
a crossroads where you drive round a circle to enter another street • *Take the first right at the roundabout to get to the port.*
- 6.88 app** (n) /æp/
a piece of software on a smartphone • *This app is useful to see what the weather will be like.*
- 6.89 temple** (n) /'tempəl/
a building where people pray to their god(s) • *Every year, many tourists visit the temple of Apollo Epicurius in Messinia.*
- 6.90 column** (n) /'kɒləm/
a tall stone pole that holds up the roof of a building or a statue • *The temple once had fifty columns holding up its roof.*
- 6.91 sightseeing** (n) /'saɪtsi:ɪŋ/
the tourist activity of visiting interesting places to look at them • *Andy is planning to go on a sightseeing tour of Rome.* > sightseer (n)
- 6.92 vowel** (n) /'vaʊəl/
one of the letters: a, e, i, o, u • *The five English vowels are a, e, i, o and u.*
- 6.93 exist** (v) /ɪg'zɪst/
live; be • *Televisions didn't exist before the twentieth century.* > existence (n)
- 6.94 in general** (phr) /ɪn 'dʒenrəl/
usually; generally • *I don't watch football matches in general, but I enjoyed the World Cup Final.* > generally (adv)

- 6.95 the Alps** (n pl) /ðə ælps/
> alpine (adj)
- 6.96 yacht** (n) /jɒt/
a sailing boat • *The yachts sailed quickly into the nearest harbour when the storm got closer.*
- 6.97 yachtsman** (n) /'jɒtsmən/
a man who sails a yacht • *The restaurant at the harbour attracts a lot of yachtsmen when they tie up their boats for the night.*
✎ Also: yachtswoman (female form)
- 6.98 signal** (n) /'sɪgnəl/
a movement or sound sb makes to send information to sb • *We lit a fire as a signal for any passing ships or planes to find us.*
> signal (v)
- 6.99 voyage** (n) /'vɔɪdʒ/
a journey by ship (or spaceship) • *The voyage to the island of Santorini took eight hours.*
- 6.100 collect** (v) /kə'lekt/
find things of a particular kind to use them
• *Our class collected clothes and toys to give to poor children.* > collection (n)
- 6.101 bucket** (n) /'bʌkɪt/
a container for carrying liquid or other things
• *In the past, farmers carried cow's milk in buckets.*
- 6.102 Kenya** (n) /'ken.jə/
> Kenyan (adj, n)
- 6.103 Nepal** (n) /nə'pɔːl/
> Nepalese (adj, n)
- 6.104 the Mediterranean** (n) /ðə ,medɪtə'reɪniən/
> Mediterranean (adj)
- 6.105 the Himalayas** (n pl) /ðə ,hɪmə'laiəs/
> Himalayan (adj)
- 6.106 Sicily** (n) /'sɪ.səli/
> Sicilian (adj, n)
- 6.107 wildlife** (n) /'waɪldlaɪf/
animals and plants that live naturally in an area • *Water pollution in the lake is very bad for the wildlife and the plants and animals are dying.*
- 6.108 the United States** (n) /ðə ju'naitɪd steɪts/

Countries, Mountains & Sea

Denmark	Sicily
Georgia	the Alps
Kenya	the Himalayas
Nepal	the Mediterranean
Russia	the United States

Listening

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- 6.109 half** (n) /hɑːf/
one of two equal parts of sth • *Why were you half an hour late for the lesson?*
- 6.110 half past** (phr) /hɑːf pɑːst/
thirty minutes after • *The film started at half past eight.*
- 6.111 weekly** (adj) /'wiːkli/
once a week • *We do our weekly shopping on Friday afternoon when the supermarket isn't so busy.* > week (n)
- 6.112 marbles** (n pl) /'mɑːblz/
small round glass balls used to play a game
• *The children were sitting on the carpet playing marbles.*
- 6.113 tricycle** (n) /'traɪsɪkl/
a vehicle like a bike with three wheels • *My little sister has a small tricycle that she rides in the backyard.*
- 6.114 teddy** (n) /'tedi/
a toy bear • *Mum still has a very old teddy that she had when she was a baby.*
- 6.115 childhood** (n) /'tʃaɪldhʊd/
the years when sb is a child • *Amal spent her childhood in South Africa, and then moved to Germany when she grew up.*
- 6.116 explore** (v) /ɪk'splɔː(r)/
go around a place to learn things about it
• *We put up our tents and began to explore the island.* > explorer (n), exploration (n)

Shops & Buildings

banquet hall	skyscraper
corner shop	stadium
factory	temple
fire station	theatre
petrol station	underground station
pharmacy	university
police station	youth hostel
shopping centre	

Speaking

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- 6.117 underground station** (n) /,ʌndə'graʊnd 'steɪʃn/
a place where people get off and on an underground train • *Liverpool Street and Charing Cross are two of the underground stations in London.*
- 6.118 exactly** (adv) /ɪg'zæktli/
used to ask for more details • *Where exactly will I wait for you?* > exact (adj)

- 6.119 crossroads** (n pl) /'krɒsrəʊdz/
a place where two or more streets meet • *Turn right at the crossroads into Tower Street.*
- 6.120 traffic lights** (n pl) /'træfɪk laɪts/
a set of three lights, coloured red, orange and green, to control the movement of vehicles on the streets • *There was a bad crash at the traffic lights because one driver didn't stop when they were red.*

On the Road

Nouns	Verbs	Adverbs
crossroads	continue	left
guided tour	explore	past
roundabout	follow	right
route	pass	straight on
traffic lights	turn	

Writing

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- 6.121 sequence** (n) /'si:kwəns/
a logical order of things one after the other
• *This radio station plays the songs in the same sequence every day, so it's a bit boring.*
- 6.122 structure** (n) /'strʌktʃə(r)/
the way sth is put together • *We are learning to use new grammatical structures in our English class.*
- 6.123 eventually** (adv) /ɪ'ventʃuəli/
in the end, after a lot of things happened
• *Dad failed his driving test three times and eventually passed it the fourth time he tried.*
- 6.124 finally** (adv) /'faɪnəli/
in the end • *Finally, we got home after walking for hours.* > final (adj)
- 6.125 regards** (n) /rɪ'gɑ:dz/
best wishes • *Dorothy always signs off her emails with 'Best regards'.*
- 6.126 administrator** (n) /əd'mɪnɪstreɪtə(r)/
sb who organises things in a company
• *Susan is an administrator in the university office and she organises the bills that students pay.*
- 6.127 route** (n) /ru:t/
the way from one place to another • *I take the same route to school every day.*
- 6.128 youth hostel** (n) /ju:θ 'hɒstl/
a building where young people can stay cheaply for a holiday • *When the rain got too heavy, the boys packed up their tents and went to stay in a youth hostel for the rest of the week.*

- 6.129 headteacher** (n) /,hed 'ti:tʃə(r)/
the person in charge of a school • *Our headteacher is planning a special event for the whole school at the end of the school year.*
☞ Syn: principal

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One of a Kind

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- 6.130 skyscraper** (n) /'skaɪskreɪpə(r)/
a very tall building with many floors • *I couldn't believe the size of the skyscrapers in Dubai. All the modern buildings were huge.*
- 6.131 architect** (n) /'ɑ:kɪtekt/
sb who designs buildings, bridges, etc.
• *The new bridge was designed by a famous Spanish architect.*

People & Jobs

administrator	sailor
architect	tour guide
engineer	worker
headteacher	yachtsman

- 6.132 inspire** (v) /ɪn'spaɪə(r)/
to give somebody an idea to do something
• *Agatha's strange dream inspired her to write her first book.* > inspiration (n), inspiring (adj)
- 6.133 unique** (adj) /ju'ni:k/
the only one of a kind • *The old bridge across the River Forth is unique because there's no other exactly like it.*
- 6.134 edge** (n) /edʒ/
the top of the outside part of sth • *Don't sit on the edge of the yacht when we're sailing.*
- 6.135 pass** (v) /pɑ:s/
move • *Trains pass through the Channel Tunnel every day.*
- 6.136 turbine** (n) /'tɜ:bain/
a machine that liquid or wind goes through to give power • *There are three wind turbines on the hill above our village to make electricity.*
- 6.137 engineer** (n) /,endʒɪ'nɪə(r)/
sb who designs or makes engines • *Rosemary studied hard at university to become an engineer for a company that makes cars.*
> engineering (n)
- 6.138 Denmark** (n) /'denmɑ:k/
> Danish (adj, n)