Take it easy

Glossary

Reading Pages 66-67

- exploit (v) /ɪk/splɔɪt/
 treat sb badly or use sth unfairly for your
 own benefit He became rich by exploiting
 all the people who worked for him.

 > exploitation (n) ❖ ausbeuten
- 6.2 impress (v) /ɪm'pres/
 do things that make others admire you
 He impressed me with his detailed knowledge of Greek history. ➤ impression (n), impressive (adi) ❖ beeindrucken
- welfare (n) /ˈwelfeə(r)/
 health and happiness Parents are
 responsible for the welfare of their children.
 das Wohl
- fuggle (v) /ˈdʒʌgl/
 throw and catch objects in the air to entertain
 people You can start learning to juggle by
 throwing a small ball from one hand to the
 other. ➤ juggler (n) ❖ jonglieren
- unicycle (n) /ˈjuːnɪˌsaɪkl/
 a bicycle with only one wheel It isn't very easy to keep your balance on a unicycle.
 das Einrad
- 6.6 belong (v) /bɪˈloŋ/
 be in the right place, where you feel
 comfortable It had been months since I
 moved to the new school, but I still didn't feel
 I belonged there. ❖ (an einen Ort/zu etw.)
 gehören
- 6.7 cage (n) /keɪdʒ/
 a structure made of metal or wooden bars in
 which an animal or bird is kept Some birds
 refuse to sing if you keep them in a cage.
 ◆ der Käfig
- target audience (n) /ˈtɑːgɪt ˈɔːdiəns/
 the group of people that sth is intended for

 The target audience for the new TV show is young people who enjoy sports.
 das Zielpublikum
- act (n) /ækt/
 a short performance that is part of a show
 They performed a very funny comedy act.
 ⇒ act (v) ❖ die Aufführung
- big top (n) /ˌbɪg 'top/
 the main tent in a circus The acrobats
 performed at a great height under the big top.
 das Zirkuszelt, die Zeltkuppel

- 6.11 weightless (adj) /ˈweɪtləs/ having no weight ◆ Astronauts work in a weightless environment when they are in space. ➤ weightlessness (n) ❖ schwereloser/e/es
- 6.12 hologram (n) /'holəgræm/
 a special type of image that appears to be solid, as if it was a real person or object The singer looked so real nobody could believe it was just a hologram. ❖ das Hologramm
- 6.14 combination (n) /ˌkombɪˈneɪʃn/
 two or more things mixed together to make up
 a single unit The teacher used a combination
 of methods to help us understand the
 vocabulary. ➤ combine (v) ❖ die Verbindung
- 6.15 nostalgia (n) /nos'tældʒə/
 the mixed feelings of pleasure and sadness you
 get when you think about happy times in the past
 He remembers his time as a student with great
 nostalgia. ➤ nostalgic (adj) ❖ die Sehnsucht
 nach Vergangenem, die Nostalgie
- 6.16 actual (adj) /ˈæktʃuəl/
 real, not imaginary The film is based on actual people and events. ❖ wahrer/e/es
- 6.17 instruction (n) /ɪnˈstrʌkʃn/ teaching ● The course provides instruction in basic computer skills. ➤ instruct (v), instructive (adj), instructor (n) ❖ die Anweisung, die Einweisung
- 6.18 intensive (adj) /ɪn'tensɪv/
 involving a lot of work in a short period of time
 It's an intensive course, with six hours of lessons every day. ❖ intensiver/e/es
- put (sth) on (phr v) /pot ('sʌmθɪŋ) 'pn/
 present sth that others can watch, such as a
 performance or a show Our school drama
 club is putting on Romeo and Juliet.
 ❖ aufführen
- **show (sth) off** (phr v) /ʃəʊ ('sʌmθɪŋ) pf/ show people sth that you are proud of so that they can admire it • She danced salsa to show off the skills she had acquired in her dancing class. ❖ (mit etw.) prahlen

- 6.21 tightrope (n) /'taɪtrəʊp/
 a rope stretched high above the ground that
 performers can walk on to entertain people

 I held my breath when the acrobat lost his
 balance on the tightrope. ❖ das Drahtseil
- take (sb/sth) seriously (expr) /teɪk ('sʌmbədi/ 'sʌmθɪŋ) 'sɪəriəsli/ consider sb/sth important and pay attention to them / it You need to take training seriously if you want to play professionally.
 (jdn./etw.) ernst nehmen
- 6.23 priority (n) /prar'brəti/
 sth that you consider more important than
 everything else and that you think you should
 deal with first Our first priority is the safety of
 the people who work here. ❖ die Priorität
- 6.24 curtain (n) /ˈkɜːtən/
 the heavy cloth that hangs in front of the stage
 in a theatre The audience went silent as the
 curtain rose. ❖ der Vorhang
- backstage (adv) /bæk'steɪdʒ/
 the area behind the stage in a theatre, circus,
 etc. Going backstage to meet the actors was
 the best part of the evening for me.
 ♦ hinter den Kulissen
- 6.26 document (v) /'dokjument/ record the details of sth on paper, film, etc. ● The film documented all the events that led to the disaster. ➤ document (n), documentation (n) ❖ dokumentieren, belegen
- 6.27 gain access (expr) /geɪn 'ækses/ succeed in going somewhere or using sth
 The police managed to gain access through the bathroom window. ❖ sich Zugang verschaffen
- abandon (v) /əˈbændən/
 leave sb/sth forever The thieves abandoned the stolen car and escaped. ➤ abandonment (n)
 ❖ verlassen, liegen lassen, stehen lassen
- 6.29 ban (v) /bæn/
 decide that sth is not allowed The new law
 has banned smoking in all public places.
 ban (n) ❖ verbieten ⑤ Syn: forbid
- 6.30 practice (n) /'præktɪs/
 something that is usually done The practice
 of keeping animals in cages should be banned.
 ❖ die Praxis

- apart from (prep) /ə'paːt frəm/
 except for I love everything about my job,
 apart from the early start in the morning.
 ❖ bis auf, außer
- 6.32 cruelty (n) /ˈkruːəlti/
 behaviour that causes pain and makes others
 suffer Nothing can excuse cruelty to animals.
 >> cruel (adj) ❖ die Quälerei
- typical (adj) /'tɪpɪkl/
 having the usual characteristics of a particular type of person or thing The church is a typical example of 12th century architecture.
 typischer/e/es Syn: characteristic
- 6.34 strict (adj) /strɪkt/
 insisting that you should follow the rules and
 threatening to punish you if you don't Our
 teacher is very strict about homework: it must
 always be done on time. ➤ strictness (n)
 strenger/e/es
- debate (n) /dr'beɪt/
 a serious discussion or disagreement that a
 lot of people take part in There has been a
 lot of debate on the government's new plan.
 ⇒ debate (v) ❖ die Debatte
- 6.36 reassure (v) /ˌriːəˈʃɔːr/
 say or do sth that makes sb less worried
 and/or less afraid I tried to reassure him
 that the problem could easily be solved.

 ➤ reassurance (n) ❖ beruhigen
- 6.37 make-up artist (n) /'meɪkʌp 'ɑːtɪst)/
 a person whose job is to apply cosmetics
 (such as lipstick or powder) to make sb like an
 actor or model look better or different The
 make-up artist completely changed the actor's
 look for the show. ❖ der/die Visagist/-in

Circus

acrobat juggler
audience make-up artist
backstage stage
big top tightrope
curtain unicycle

LOOK!

Some words can be used with a positive or a negative meaning. The verb *exploit* usually has a negative meaning that somebody does something wrong for their own benefit.

→ He achieved his own aim by **exploiting** the hard work of others.

However, it can also be used to mean that somebody takes advantage or makes the most of something in the right way.

- → The film director **exploited** her actors' talents fully.
- → I love the way the architect has exploited the original brick walls in the building.

The phrasal verb *show off* can also be used with a positive and a negative meaning.

→ He's always **showing off** his expensive clothes.

The positive meaning is about showing off something that is necessary or beneficial.

- → He used the opportunity to **show off** his skills to his employers.
- → He showed off the house to the prospective buyers.

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- 6.38 defender (n) /dɪˈfendə(r)/ sb in a sports team that tries to prevent the other team from scoring points ● Our best defender was injured and we had to play without him today. ➤ defend (v), defence (n) ◆ der/die Abwehrspieler/-in
- 6.39 on target (phr) /on 'ta:gɪt/
 in the right way or direction that will help you
 achieve what you want to do In spite of the
 delay, we are still on target to finish the job by
 next week. ❖ auf Kurs
- 6.40 penalty (n) /'penəlti/
 an advantage that you or your team gets in sport when the other team has broken a rule
 A penalty in the last minute of the game gave Arsenal a win over Chelsea. ❖ der Elfmeter, der Strafstoß
- pitch (n) /prtʃ/
 an area painted with lines where you can play football, cricket, hockey or other sports
 He ran across the pitch and scored.

- 6.42 referee (n) /ˌrefəˈriː/
 the person responsible for making sure that
 the rules are followed in a game A referee
 must have excellent knowledge of all the rules
 of the game. ❖ der/die Schiedsrichter/-in
- save (v) /seɪv/
 stop the ball from going into the goal when a player on the other team has kicked it
 The goalkeeper managed to save at the last minute. ➤ save (n) ❖ halten
- 6.44 shot (n) /ʃot/
 the act of hitting or kicking the ball in sports in order to score Ronaldo only took two shots in the whole game. ❖ der Schuss
- 6.45 opponent (n) /əˈpəʊnənt/ a person you are competing against in a sports event ● The boxer knocked his opponent down in the first five minutes. ❖ der/die Gegner/-in
- 6.46 in the lead (phr) /In ðə li:d/ ahead of others in a competition or race ● The young runner was half a mile in the lead for almost the whole race. ❖ in Führung
- 6.47 lap (n) /læp/
 a complete trip around the race track that you repeat more than once during a competition
 She has completed six laps and has two more to go. ❖ die Runde
- face track (n) /'reis træk/
 the area where runners run in a stadium

 It's much more dangerous to run in the
 streets than on a race track. ❖ die Rennbahn
- **6.49 victory** (n) /'vɪktəri/ an occasion when you win a game or competition • *She had a comfortable victory against her opponent.* ❖ der Sieg
- 6.50 marathon (n) /'mærəθən/ a race in which you run approximately 42 kilometres ● *I ran my first marathon in just* under four hours. ❖ der Marathon
- 6.51 find the strength to (expr) /faɪnd ðə streŋθ tə/ manage to be strong enough so that you can do sth I knew I had to keep running, but I couldn't find the strength to go any further.
 ❖ die Kraft finden (etw. zu tun)
- a part of a competition She won the first round, but there are two more to go.

 ❖ die Runde
- 6.53 semifinal (n) /ˌsemiˈfaɪnəl/
 a game whose winner will play in the final
 game of a competition He reached the
 semifinal but lost and so was eliminated from
 the competition. ❖ das Halbfinale

❖ das Spielfeld

6.54 trophy (n) /'trəʊfi/

a prize given to the winner of an important competition • The captain of the winning team held the trophy in the air while the crowds cheered. • der Pokal

- be through to (phr v) /bi: θruː tə/ succeed in one stage and progress to the next stage of a competition We won the semifinal and we're now through to the final.
 aufsteigen, weitergehen
- 6.56 on behalf of (phr) /on br'harf əv/ instead of sb, representing sb l'd like to thank you on behalf of the whole team.
 ❖ im Namen von

Football

defenderpitchscoregoalrefereeshotpenaltysavetrophy

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- 6.57 as long as (conj) /əz 'loŋ əz/
 only if ◆ You can go to the party as long as you promise to be back by midnight.
 ❖ wenn, solange
- apparently (adv) /əˈpærəntli/
 according to what you have heard or read
 I thought he was single, but apparently he's
 married with two children. ❖ offenbar
- **6.59** regret (doing sth) (v) /rɪˈgret (du:iŋ ˈsʌmθɪŋ)/ feel sorry about sth that you did *I regret speaking to her that way. I shouldn't have been rude.* ❖ bereuen (etw. getan zu haben)
- mean (doing sth) (v) /mi:n (du:iŋ 'sʌmθɪŋ)/
 have a particular result I want to be there at
 six and that means leaving the house at five.
 bedeuten (etw. zu tun)
- go on (doing sth) (phr v) /gəʊ ɒn (du:iŋ 'sʌmθɪŋ)/
 continue I can't go on working 12
 hours a day. I need to find a better job.
 so weitermachen, (mit etw.) wie bisher weitermachen
- 6.62 go on (to do sth) (phr v) /gəʊ ɒn (tə du: 'sʌmθɪŋ)/ continue and do sth else After her first book was published, she went on to write another two novels. ❖ sich (an etw.) machen

LOOK!

The verbs *go on, mean* and *regret* have a different meaning depending on whether they are followed by the infinitive with *to* or the *-ing* form.

- go on to do sth means to finish or stop doing something and then do something different:
- → They won the semifinal and went on to win the final as well.
- go on doing sth means to carry on doing the same thing:
- → I thought he had finished but he went on talking for another hour.
- *mean to do sth* means to intend to do something, to have the intention of doing something:
- → I meant to explain it later, but thank you for asking.
- mean doing sth means that there are conditions to something or something results in something else:
- → You want to be a teacher? That **means working** really hard.
- regret to do sth means to feel sorry about doing something bad or unpleasant that you are about to do:
- → I regret to say you didn't pass the test.
- regret doing sth means that you are sorry about something you have already done:
- → I regret leaving school when I was 15.
- ankle (n) /'æŋkl/
 the part of your leg just above your foot
 He broke his ankle at football practice.
 der Fußknöchel
- grab hold of (expr) /græb həʊld əv/
 quickly take sth in your hand The thief
 grabbed hold of my bag and ran off.
 sich greifen, ergreifen
- cliff (n) /klɪf/
 a high area of rock, usually above the sea
 The house was built on a cliff overlooking the ocean. ❖ die Klippe
- 6.66 gorge (n) /gɔːdʒ/
 a deep narrow valley with rock on both sides
 The Samaria Gorge on the island of Crete is the longest in Europe. ❖ die Schlucht, die Klamm
- 6.67 accidentally (adv) /ˌæksrˈdentəli/
 by chance or by mistake I accidentally
 locked myself out of the house. ➤ accident (n),
 accidental (adj) ❖ versehentlich, aus Versehen
- 6.68 slip (v) /slɪp/ slide out of place accidentally • I slipped and fell to the ground. ❖ ausrutschen
- put (sb/sth) at risk (expr) /put ('sʌmbədi/ 'sʌmθɪŋ) ət rɪsk/
 put sb/sth in a situation that can be dangerous
 They put their children at risk by letting them wait inside the car. ❖ (jdn./etw.) gefährden

6.70 **bolt** (n) /bəʊlt/ a small metal object that you use to fasten things together • *We've lost one of the bolts* and now the door won't close. ❖ der Bolzen, die Schraube

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- 6.71 unlike (prep) /ʌn'laɪk/
 in a way that is different from Unlike my
 sister, I actually hate football. ❖ im Gegensatz
 zu ை Opp: like
- **9.72 youth** (n) /ju:θ/ young people, considered as a group • *The* programme aims to educate our youth on the safe use of social media. ❖ die Jugend
- 6.73 slightly (adv) /'slartli/
 a little He was slightly upset that they lost the game. ❖ etwas
- **6.74** altogether (adv) /ˌɔːltəˈgeðə(r)/ in total • Altogether, they paid 97 pounds for that meal. ❖ zusammen
- 6.75 sale (n) /seɪl/
 the act of selling sth This house is no longer
 on sale. We've decided to keep it.
 ❖ der Verkauf
- 6.76 region (n) /ˈriːdʒən/
 a particular area or part of a country Pollution
 is still a major problem in the Greater London
 region. ➤ regional (adj) ❖ die Region
- 6.77 bounce (v) /baʊns/
 hit a ball so that it hits the ground or sth else
 and then moves back ◆ She quickly bounced
 the ball against the wall. ❖ aufprallen

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- amusement park (n) /əˈmjuːzmənt ˌpɑːk/
 a large park where people can go to enjoy
 games, rides and other activities Eurodisney
 is a big amusement park just outside Paris.
 der Freizeitpark Syn: theme park
- 6.79 justify (v) /'dʒʌstɪfaɪ/ give good reasons for sth ● He tried to justify his decision but couldn't think of any good reasons. ➤ justification (n), justified (adj) * rechtfertigen
- attraction (n) /ə'træk∫n/
 an interesting place that people want to go to
 There is a range of tourist attractions in the area, which is why it's so popular. ➤ attract (v), attractive (adj) ❖ die Attraktion
- 6.81 challenge (n) /'t∫ælɪndʒ/
 sth that you need to try hard to do successfully

 It'll be quite a challenge to finish the
 report by tomorrow, but I think I can do it.

 > challenge (v), challenging (adj)

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- kick-off (n) /'kɪkɒf/
 the time when a football game starts
 The match will take place on Sunday, with a
 7 pm kick-off. ❖ der Anstoß
- go hiking (v) /gəʊ 'haɪkɪŋ/ go for a long walk in the countryside • Wear strong boots if you want to go hiking in the forest. ➤ hike (n) ❖ wandern gehen
- confusion (n) /kənˈfjuːʒn/
 a situation in which you don't know what is
 happening or what to do There was some
 confusion about what we should do next.

 > confuse (v), confusing (adj)

 die Verwirrung
- escape room (n) /ɪˈskeɪp ˌruːm/
 a game where people are locked into a room and have to find clues to help them escape
 On my birthday, I did an escape room with my friends. It took us two hours to get out!
 ❖ der Escape Room
- 6.86 weird (adj) /wɪəd/ strange and unexpected ● That's weird – I was sure I left my phone on my desk, but it isn't there. ❖ seltsamer/e/es

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- burst out laughing (phr v) /b3:st aʊt lɑ:fɪŋ/
 suddenly start laughing Before I'd even
 finished the joke, everyone burst out laughing.
 in Gelächter ausbrechen
 Opp: burst out
 crying, burst into tears
- 6.88 keep up with (phr v) /ki:p ∧p wið/ move as quickly as sb else ● Please slow down – there's no way I can keep up with you if you walk so fast! ❖ mit jdm./etw. Schritt halten
- knock (sb/sth) over (phr v) /npk ('sʌmbədi/ 'sʌmθɪŋ) 'əʊvər/ hit and make sb/sth fall to the ground
 Be careful! You've just knocked over the lamp! ❖ (jdn./etw.) umschmeißen
- show off (phr v) /ʃəʊ ɒf/
 try to impress other people by constantly
 talking about or showing them your
 achievements, abilities, possessions, etc.

 He doesn't really need a car at all. He just
 bought this expensive sports car to show off to
 the neighbours. ❖ angeben, prahlen
- take off (phr v) /teɪk ɒf/
 start to be successful or popular After her
 appearance on TV, the young singer's career
 really took off. ❖ durchstarten

- fall over (phr v) /fɔːl 'əʊvə(r)/
 fall to the ground The girl fell over and cut
 her knee badly. ❖ stürzen
- 6.93 be onto sth (expr) /bi: 'bntə 'sʌmθɪŋ/
 have discovered something Let's have
 another look at your data. I think you're onto
 something. ❖ etw. auf der Spur sein, etw.
 entdeckt haben
- appeal (v) /əˈpiːl/
 be interesting or attractive to sb The show will appeal mostly to younger audiences.
 ⇒ appeal (n) ❖ ansprechen
- 6.95 come close to (expr) /kʌm kləʊs tə/
 almost reach or almost manage to do sth I'm
 definitely not as good as you. In fact, I don't
 even come close to your level. ❖ annähernd
 (so gut sein) wie
- 6.96 make a (big) difference (expr) /meɪk ə (bɪg)
 'dɪfərəns/
 improve a situation a lot Taking regular
 exercise will make a big difference to your
 health. ❖ (viel) bewirken, (viel) ausmachen
- 6.97 not know the first thing about (expr) /not nəʊ ðə fɜ:st θɪŋ əbaʊt/ know nothing at all about sth My dad doesn't know the first thing about computers.
 ❖ von etw. überhaupt keine Ahnung haben
- 6.98 hold an important place (expr) /həʊld ən ɪmˈpɔ:tənt pleɪs/ play an important role Liszt holds an important place in the history of the piano.
 ❖ eine wichtige Stellung einnehmen
- 6.99 force (v) /fɔːs/
 make sb do sth that they don't want to do
 The economic situation forced us to sell our house. ❖ zwingen
- 6.100 treasure hunt (n) /'treʒə ˌhʌnt/
 a game in which the players solve clues to find
 sth and win a prize They sent the children
 on a treasure hunt and the winner got a big
 chocolate egg. ❖ die Schatzsuche
- 6.101 tempt (v) /tempt/
 make sb want to do sth, especially if it's
 unnecessary or they didn't want to do it

 They tried to tempt her to accept the job by
 offering her a huge salary. > temptation (n)
 ❖ verlocken, jdm. etw. schmackhaft machen

Phrasal verbs

be through to knock over fall over put on go on show off keep up with take off

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- 6.102 alternatively (adv) /ol't3:nətɪvli/ as a second choice/possibility ● You could use your tablet or, alternatively, your phone.
 ❖ ersatzweise
- 6.103 input data (n) /'ɪnpʊt 'deɪtə/
 facts that you are given to help you make a
 decision Consider the input data carefully
 before you start working on the task.
 ❖ die Eingabedaten
- discount (n) /'dɪskaʊnt/
 a reduction in the price of sth If you buy
 three shirts, you'll get a 15% discount.

 ❖ der Rabatt
- 6.105 screening (n) /'skri:nɪŋ/
 a showing of a film Shall we go to the early
 screening at seven or the late one at nine?

 die Vorstellung
- 6.106 season ticket (n) /'sizən ˌtɪkɪt/
 a ticket that can be used many times within
 a period and is cheaper than buying many
 tickets I have a season ticket for all my
 team's games this year. ❖ die Dauerkarte
- 6.107 vast (adj) /vα:st/ very large • A vast audience watched the awards ceremony on TV. ❖ riesiger/e/es
- 6.108 interviewee (n) /ˌɪntəvju'iː/
 the person that answers the questions in an interview The questions were very open, so the interviewee was able to express herself quite freely. ➤ interview (v, n), interviewer (n) ❖ der/die Befragte
- significant (adj) /sig'nifikənt/
 important or great A significant number of employees are unhappy. ➤ significance (n)
 rheblicher/e/es
 Opp: insignificant
- 6.110 respondent (n) /rr'sppndənt/
 sb who responds to questions in a survey
 Many respondents refused to answer the last question. ➤ respond (v), response (n), responsive (adj) ❖ der/die Teilnehmer/-in
- 6.111 invest (v) /ɪnˈvest/ put money and/or time into sth so as to make a profit • I don't really want to invest any money in this company – I don't trust them. ➤ investment (n), investor (n) ❖ anlegen, investieren
- 6.112 campaign (n) /kæm'peɪn/
 a group of planned activities that have a
 specific purpose Their new advertising
 campaign is very successful everyone is
 talking about their products. ❖ die Kampagne
- 6.113 statistics (n) /stəˈtɪstɪks/
 a collection of information presented as numbers The statistics show that the majority of people are not interested in TV.
 ❖ die Statistik (singular)

- 6.114 heading (n) /'hedɪŋ/
 title of a section of a text Use a heading at
 the top of each section to tell the reader what it
 is about. ❖ die Überschrift
- 6.115 authority (n) /ɔː'θɒrəti/
 the power to make decisions that affect other
 people The police have the authority to
 arrest people that break the law.
 ❖ die Befugnis
- 6.116 neutral (adj) /'nju:trəl/
 without expressing any strong feeling Her
 expression remained neutral so we had no
 idea what she was thinking. ❖ neutraler/e/es,
 gleichgültiger/e/es
- 6.117 leader (n) /'li:də(r)/
 the person in control of a group They asked
 her to stay on as leader of the hockey team
 for another year. ➤ leadership (n) ❖ der/die
 Anführer/-in
- 6.118 by far (phr) /baɪ fɑ:r/
 by a great amount You are by far the most
 intelligent person I have met. ❖ mit Abstand
- 6.119 therefore (adv) /'ðeəfɔ:(r)/
 for that reason She was busy with other
 commitments and therefore could not attend
 the event. ❖ daher

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- 6.120 Al (n) /eɪ aɪ/
 (artificial intelligence) the study and
 development of technology that can copy
 how the human mind works Scientists
 have developed Al systems that will enable
 machines to understand and use human
 language. ❖ KI (künstliche Intelligenz)
- take over (phr v) /teɪk 'əʊvə(r)/
 replace sb/sth and take control She took
 over as manager of the company last year.

 ⇒ übernehmen
- 6.122 conference (n) /ˈkɒnfərəns/
 a large meeting in which people make
 presentations and discuss topics related to
 their work or a common interest I attended
 an international conference on language
 teaching. ❖ die Konferenz, die Tagung
- 6.123 robotics (n) /rəʊˈbɒtɪks/
 the science of making robots Robotics is
 becoming a popular science in the 21st century.
 ❖ die Robotertechnik

- 6.124 currently (adv) /'kʌrəntli/
 at the present time She is currently writing a new book. ❖ derzeit
- 6.125 menial (adj) /ˈmiːniəl/ that does not require special skills and is not important ● Menial work is not very well paid. ❖ niederer/e/es
- 6.126 parkour (n) /pαː'kʊə(r)/
 the sport of moving through a city by running, climbing and jumping A lot of warming up is necessary before you practise parkour.

 ❖ der Parkour
- **6.127** rebel (against sb) (v) /rɪˈbel (əˈgenst ˈsʌmbədi)/ fight and refuse to obey *The people rebelled against the government when more economic scandals were uncovered. ❖ sich (gegen jdn.) auflehnen*
- 6.128 deadly (adj) /'dedli/ likely to cause death • The cobra is a deadly snake. ❖ giftiger/e/es
- android (n) /'ændrɔɪd/
 a robot that looks like a human being
 The android looked like a 20-year-old man.
 der Androide
- 6.130 maid (n) /meid/
 a woman who works in a house or hotel
 and does cleaning and other household jobs
 In the past, it wasn't unusual to see maids
 working in people's houses.
 das Dienstmädchen
- 6.131 butler (n) /'b∧tlə(r)/
 a man who works in a house and organises
 the rest of the staff working there The butler
 announced that dinner was served.

 ❖ der/die Butler/-in
- 6.132 creativity (n) /ˌkri:er'trvəti/
 the ability to produce original ideas or art
 The art teacher tried to encourage the children's creativity. ➤ create (v), creation (n), creative (adj) ❖ die Kreativität
- evil (adj) /'iːvəl/
 bad and cruel The police described the killer
 as an evil man. ➤ evil (n) ❖ böser/e/es
- 6.134 industry (n) /¹ɪndəstri/
 the people and activities involved in a
 particular business Illegal downloading is
 killing the music industry. ❖ die Branche, die
 Industrie