Glossary

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Show time!

* 1. **stage** (n) /steɪdʒ/

a raised area in a theatre where people give performances ● *The singers came onto the stage and began the performance.*

* + - palco

Reading **Pages 114–115**

* 1. **revise** (v) /rɪˈvaɪz/

study facts again, usually before an exam

* *Dave revised for the test all evening and managed to get a B+.* ➣ revision (n)
  + - ripassare
  1. **orchestra** (n) /ˈɔːkɪstrə/

a large group of people who play musical instruments together ● *She plays the clarinet in the school orchestra.* ➣ orchestral (adj)

* + - orchestra
  1. **musical** (n) /ˈmjuːzɪkl/

a performance with singing and dancing

* *We’re performing the musical of the Harry Potter story in our school theatre.* ➣ music, musician (n), musical (adj) ❖ musical
  1. **conductor** (n) /kənˈdʌktə(r)/

a person who leads the performance of an orchestra ● *The musicians in the orchestra waited for the conductor’s signal to begin playing.* ➣ conduct (v) ❖ conduttore

* 1. **baton** (n) /ˈbætɒn/

a stick which a conductor uses to control an orchestra ● *The conductor raised the baton and waved it for the musician to start playing.*

* + - bacchetta
  1. **audience** (n) /ˈɔːdɪəns/

people watching a performance ● *At the end of the play, the audience stood up and clapped loudly.* ❖ pubblico

* 1. **symphony** (n) /ˈsɪmfəni/

a long piece of music in three or four main parts ● *One of my favourite symphonies is the Symphonie Fantastique by Berlioz.*

* + - sinfonia
  1. **landfill site** (n) /ˈlændfɪl saɪt/

an area where rubbish is buried under the ground ● *There is a landfill site near here and it often smells terrible because of the rubbish.*

* + - discarica
  1. **sort** (v) /sɔːt/

to put things into order or separate them into matching types ● *Kate sorted the list of words into alphabetical order.* ❖ ordinare

* 1. **musician** (n) /mjuˈzɪʃn/

sb who plays a musical instrument or writes music, especially as a job ● *My uncle was a professional musician and used to play*

*the accordion on a cruise ship.* ➣ music (n), musical (adj, n) ❖ musicista

* 1. **proper** (adj) /ˈprɒpə(r)/

appropriate, correct ● *I don’t want to eat a sandwich*. *I want a proper meal – some fish and roast potatoes, perhaps.* ➣ properly (adv)

* + - vero e proprio
  1. **carpenter** (n) /ˈkɑːpɪntə(r)/

sb who makes things out of wood ● *The carpenter made a wooden table and four chairs.* ❖ falegname

* 1. **violin** (n) /ˌvaɪəˈlɪn/

a stringed musical instrument that you hold on your shoulder to play ● *Marinos placed his violin on his shoulder and began to play a beautiful tune.* ➣ violinist (n) ❖ violino

* 1. **cello** (n) /ˈtʃeləʊ/

a large stringed musical instrument like a big violin that you hold between your knees to play

* *She sat down and played a sad tune on the cello.* ➣ cellist (n) ❖ violoncello
  1. **oil can** (n) /ɔɪl kæn/

a large round container for oil ● *The petrol was stored in oil cans.* ❖ latta di benzina

* 1. **clarinet** (n) /ˌklærəˈnet/

a long thin wind instrument that you blow into to play ● *He played a traditional folk song on the clarinet.* ❖ clarinetto

* 1. **saxophone** (n) /ˈsæksəfəʊn/

a large metal wind instrument ● *I like the sound of the saxophone in this jazz piece.*

➣ saxophonist (n) ❖ sassofono

* 1. **waterpipe** (n) /ˈwɔːtəpaɪp/

a long tube for carrying water ● *There was water coming through the ceiling from a burst waterpipe upstairs.* ❖ tubatura

* 1. **go viral** (phr) /ɡəʊ ˈvaɪrəl/

become known around the world by being spread quickly through the internet ● *He filmed the accident on his smartphone and the video soon went viral.* ❖ diventare virale

* 1. **hit** (n) /hɪt/

a success ● Shape of You *was a big hit for Ed Sheeran in 2017.* ❖ successo

* 1. **album** (n) /ˈælbəm/

a collection of pieces of music ● *His latest album has some great songs.* ❖ album

* 1. **sell out** (phr v) /sel aʊt/

sell all of sth and have no more ● *We couldn’t get any tickets for the concert as they had all sold out.* ❖ esaurire

* 1. **collect** (v) /kəˈlekt/

go somewhere to take sb/sth away to another place ● *Mrs Brown is going to collect the children from school.* ➣ collection (n)

* + - andare a prendere ✎ Syn: pick up
  1. **enquiry** (n) /ɪnˈkwaɪəri/

asking for information ● *I’d like to make an enquiry about courses at this college.*

➣ enquire (v) ❖ domanda

* 1. **series** (n) /ˈsɪərɪz/

a set of TV programmes ● *The series* Game of Thrones *was from the books written by George*

*R.R. Martin.* ❖ serie

* 1. **interview** (n) /ˈɪntəvjuː/

a meeting where sb is asked questions to see if they are suitable for sth, e.g. a job, a place on a course ● *Martin is nervous about going for his job interview tomorrow.* ❖ colloquio

* 1. **application form** (n) /ˌæplɪˈkeɪʃn fɔːm/

a piece of paper that you complete to apply for sth ● *You can get an application form from our office.* ❖ modulo di richiesta

* 1. **appointment** (n) /əˈpɔɪntmənt/

an arrangement to see sb at a particular time for a reason connected with work or health

* *I have an appointment at the dentist’s this afternoon at three.* ❖ appuntamento ✎ make an appointment
  1. **for sale** (phr) /fə seɪl/

available to be bought ● *I’m sorry, Madam. That chair is not for sale.* ❖ in vendita

* 1. **acoustic guitar** (n) /əˈkuːstɪk ɡɪˈtɑː(r)/

a guitar that does not have its sound made louder electronically ● *He doesn’t play the electric guitar. He plays the acoustic guitar.*

* + - chitarra acustica
  1. **scratch** (n) /skrætʃ/

a mark or an injury made on sb/sth by pulling sth sharp across it ● *Who made that scratch on the table?* ➣ scratch (v) ❖ graffio

* 1. **mark** (n) /mɑːk/

a small cut or other damage ● *There’s a small black mark on the wall.* ➣ mark (v)

* + - segno
  1. **exchange** (v) /ɪksˈʧeɪnʤ/

to replace one thing with another ❖ *You can exchange these items within ten days of buying them.* ➣ exchange (n) ❖ cambiare

* 1. **drum kit** (n) /drʌm kɪt/

a set of drums ● *Of course she has a drum kit! She plays the drums in a band.* ❖ batteria

**Musical instruments**

acoustic guitar clarinet cello drum kit

saxophone violin

Vocabulary **Page 116**

* 1. **chat show** (n) /ˈtʃæt ʃəʊ/

a TV or radio show in which famous people are interviewed informally ● *Did you see Kylie Minogue on that British chat show? She was so funny!* ❖ talk show

* 1. **documentary** (n) /dɒkjʊˈmentri/

a programme which gives information about real things ● *Did you watch the documentary about the Greek Revolution of 1821?*

* + - documentario
  1. **soap opera** (n) /səʊp ˈɒprə/

a popular TV drama about the lives of everyday people ● *Grandma watches soap operas every day, but her favourite is* The Bold and The Beautiful*.* ❖ soap opera

* 1. **talent show** (n) /ˈtælənt ʃəʊ/

an event or TV show which is a competition between amateur performers ● *Ilias told his jokes on stage in that talent show on TV, but he didn’t get first prize.* ❖ talent show

* 1. **thriller** (n) /ˈθrɪlə(r)/

an exciting film or book, especially about a crime ● *We watched an exciting thriller and nobody could guess who the killer was before the end.* ➣ thrill (n, v), thrilling, thrilled (adj)

* + - thriller
  1. **guest** (n) /ɡest/

a person you have invited to your home or to an event ● *There were over 200 guests at their wedding.* ❖ ospite

* 1. **murder** (n) /ˈmɜːdə(r)/

the crime of killing sb ● *Murder is a terrible crime.*

➣ murder (v), murderer (n) ❖ omicidio

* 1. **piece** (n) /piːs/

sth made by an artist, author or musician

* *The orchestra played a famous piece by Mozart.* ❖ pezzo
  1. **ghost** (n) /ɡəʊst/

the spirit of a dead person that some people believe they can see or hear ● *What’s wrong? You look as if you’ve seen a ghost!*

* + - fantasma
  1. **volcano** (n) /vɒlˈkeɪnəʊ/

a mountain from which lava and gases come out ● *The volcano erupted and lava came down the side of the mountain.* ➣ volcanic (adj)

* + - vulcano
  1. **celebrity** (n) /səˈlebrəti/

a famous person ● *After the success of the film, the young actor became a popular celebrity.* ➣ celebrate (v), celebration (n), celebratory (adj) ❖ celebrità

* 1. **scene** (n) /siːn/

a part of a film or play ● *The best scene in the film was when Harry beat Voldemort!*

* + - scena
  1. **binge watching** (n) /ˈbɪndʒ wɒtʃɪŋ/

watching a whole series in a very short amount of time ● *My sister tried binge watching a whole season of* Star Trek *in one weekend.*

* + - overdose di televisione
  1. **embarrassing** (adj) /ɪmˈbærəsɪŋ/

making you feel shy or ashamed ● *This video of us in the school musical is embarrassing!*

➣ embarrass (v), embarrassment (n), embarrassed (adj) ❖ imbarazzante

* 1. **review** (n) /rɪˈvjuː/

a report in the media giving an opinion of a book, film, etc. ● *The reviews in the*

*newspaper for your cook book are very good*.

➣ review (v), reviewer (n) ❖ recensione

**Types of shows or programmes**

chat show documentary musical

series soap opera talent show

thriller

Grammar **Page 117**

* 1. **lines** (n pl) /laɪns/

the words an actor must learn for a role ● *He was nervous and when he went on stage he forgot his lines and couldn’t remember what to say.* ❖ battute

Listening **Page 118**

* 1. **classical** (adj) /ˈklæsɪkl/

a style of music written in Europe between 1750 and 1830 ● *Daniel plays Brahms and other relaxing classical music on his piano.*

* + - classico
  1. **folk music** (n) /ˈfəʊk mjuːzɪk/

a traditional style of music from a particular country ● *The New Year celebrations included dancing to lively Scottish folk music.*

* + - musica folk
  1. **studio** (n) /ˈstjuːdiəʊ/

a room where music is recorded or radio or TV programmes are made ● *The band sounded better in the recording studio than they did on stage.* ❖ studio

* 1. **judge** (n) /dʒʌdʒ/

sb who decides who has won a competition

* *The judges decided to give the prize to me!*

➣ judge (v), judgement (n) ❖ giudice

* 1. **contemporary** (adj) /kənˈtemprəri/ modern ● *I prefer contemporary dance to classical ballet.* ❖ contemporaneo
  2. **rapper** (n) /ˈræpə(r)/

sb who performs a rap song ● ‘*Who is your favourite rapper?’ ‘I don’t like rap. I prefer rock.’*

➣ rap (n, v) ❖ rapper

Vocabulary **Page 120**

* 1. **turn into** (phr v) /tɜːn ˈɪntə/

to change into sb/sth different ● *The Blacks turned their garage into a music studio.*

* + - trasformare
  1. **turn on** (phr v) /tɜːn ɒn/

to start something by moving a switch or button ● *I turned on the TV to watch my favourite series.* ❖ accendere

* 1. **turn out** (phr v) /tɜːn aʊt/

to end in a particular way ● *The film surprised me because it didn’t turn out as I had expected.* ❖ andare a finire

* 1. **turn up** (phr v) /tɜːn ʌp/

to come, to appear ● *A large crowd turned up to watch the musicians performing.*

* + - presentarsi
  1. **be into sb/sth** (phr) /biː ɪntʊ ˈsʌmbədi/

ˈsʌmθɪŋ/

to like sb/sth ● *I’m into clothes and I want to study fashion and design.* ❖ essere appassionati

* 1. **end up** (phr v) /end ʌp/

to find yourself somewhere you didn’t expect to be ● *We couldn’t find a seat in a restaurant, so we ended up getting a takeaway.* ❖ finire

* 1. **put off** (phr v) /pʊt ɒf/

to move an activity or event to a later time or date ● *She keeps putting off studying for tests, and then does everything in a hurry.* ❖ postporre

* 1. **get on with sth** (phr v) /ɡet ɒn wɪð ˈsʌmθɪŋ/ to continue doing sth that you’ve started ● *After*

*dinner, he turned the TV off to get on with writing his book.* ❖ andare avanti con (qualcosa)

* 1. **over** (adv) /ˈəʊvə(r)/

ended ● *When the concert was over, we took a taxi home.* ❖ finito

* 1. **millionaire** (n) /ˌmɪljəˈneə(r)/

sb who is very rich ● *That huge house is owned by an actor who’s a millionaire.* ❖ milionario

* 1. **literature** (n) /ˈlɪtrəʧə/

novels, plays and poetry ● *He enjoys reading literature to relax in the evening.* ❖ letteratura

* 1. **disappear** (v) /ˌdɪsəˈpɪə(r)

**People**

audience carpenter celebrity choir

conductor guest judge millionaire

musician rapper

to stop existing; to be lost ● *Many types of plants and animals are disappearing because of pollution around the world.* ➣ disappearance (n), disappearing (adj) ❖ sparire

* 1. **turn** (n) /tɜːn/

a time when it is one person’s chance to do sth ● *The competitors in the talent show waited nervously for their turn to go on stage.*

**Phrasal verbs**

be into end up

get on with

put off turn into turn on

turn out turn up

* + - turno

**Performing/Music words**

album cheer clap classical

concert hall conductor’s baton

contemporary curtain

folk music hit orchestra piece review

scene stage studio

Grammar **Page 121**

* 1. **choir** (n) /ˈkwaɪə(r)/

a group of people who sing together ● *The choir sang their last song and then left the stage.* ❖ coro

* 1. **concert hall** (n) /ˈkɒnsət hɔːl/

a large room in which concerts are held

* *The Vienna Symphony Orchestra is giving a performance at the concert hall tonight.*
  + - sala da concerti

Writing **Pages 122–123**

* 1. **first of all** (adv) /fɜːst əv ɔːl/

firstly; the first point (is) ● *I don’t like jazz for two reasons. First of all, I think it’s so boring.*

* + - prima di tutto ✎ Syn: firstly
  1. **poem** (n) /ˈpəʊɪm/

a piece of writing arranged in separate lines, which usually end with rhyming words ● *You can almost hear the waves when you read this poem about the ocean.* ➣ poet, poetry (n)

* + - poesia
  1. **curtain** (n) /ˈkɜːtn/

a piece of cloth that covers the stage in a theatre ● *The actors came back onto the front of the stage after the final curtain came down at the end of the play.* ❖ tenda

* 1. **cheer** (v) /tʃɪə(r)/

to shout, to praise or show support for sb ● *When she finished her speech, everyone cheered enthusiastically.* ➣ cheer (n) ❖ esultare, acclamare

* 1. **clap** (v) /klæp/

to hit your hands together to show you like sth ● *The audience clapped for so long after the play that their hands got tired.* ❖ battere le mani

* 1. **coin** (n) /kɔɪn/

a piece of metal which is money ● *I bought a ticket with a two-euro coin.* ❖ moneta

Video **Page 124**

* 1. **hummingbird** (n) /ˈhʌmɪŋbɜːd/

a very small bird that makes a sound when its wings move very fast ● *She photographed the tiny hummingbird as it flew beside the flower.*

* colibrì
  1. **slow motion** (n) /ˌsləʊ ˈməʊʃn/

the way of filming that shows things moving more slowly than they actually do ● *The movement of the frog catching insects was filmed in slow motion.* ❖ slow motion

* 1. **capture** (v) /ˈkæpʧə(r)/

to record ● *The photographer managed to capture the moment when the frog caught the insect.* ❖ catturare, cogliere

* 1. **shot** (n) /ʃɒt/

a photograph ● *This is a great shot that shows the bird in its nest.* ➣ shoot (v) ❖ scatto

* 1. **high-speed** (adj) /ˌhaɪ ˈspiːd/

that moves or happens very fast ● *They took the high-speed ferry to reach the island quickly.* ❖ ad alta velocità

* 1. **forked** (adj) /fɔːkt/

divided into two parts at one end ● *A flash of forked lightning lit up the sky.* ➣ fork (n, v)

* + - biforcuto
  1. **tongue** (n) /tʌŋ/

the soft part inside your mouth that you move to taste, speak, etc. ● *Cats use their tongue to drink water and clean themselves.* ❖ lingua

* 1. **experiment** (n) /ɪksˈperɪmənt/

a scientific test ● *The experiment we did in chemistry at school didn’t work.*

➣ experiment (v), experimental (adj)

* + - esperimento
  1. **hand-made** (adj) /hændˈmeɪd/

made by hand, not machines ● *Hand-made clothing costs a lot because of the work involved in making it.* ❖ fatto a mano

* 1. **collaboration** (n) /kəˌlæbəˈreɪʃn/

the process of working together with others to do sth ● *The school concert was a success due to the collaboration between students and teachers.* ➣ collaborate (v), collaborator (n)

* + - collaborazione
  1. **discovery** (n) /dɪsˈkʌvəri/

finding sth that was not known before ● *The discovery of America changed people’s ideas about the world.* ➣ discover (v) ❖ scoperta

* 1. **droplet** (n) /ˈdrɒplət/

a small drop of liquid ● *Droplets of water*

*fell from the trees after the rain had stopped.*

➣ drop (n, v) ❖ gocciolina

* 1. **sense** (n) /sens/

a feeling ● *The photo showed a sense of movement.* ➣ sense (v), sensitive (adj)

* + - senso
  1. **custom-built** (adj) /ˌkʌstəm ˈbɪlt/

specially made to suit one person or purpose

* *I'd like a custom-built studio, so all my musical instruments fit.* ❖ costruito su misura
  1. **cage** (n) /keɪdʒ/

sth made of metal bars to keep sb/sth inside

* *I hate seeing animals that have to live in a cage.* ➣ cage (v), caged (adj) ❖ gabbia
  1. **wonder** (n) /ˈwʌndə(r)/

sth that makes you feel surprise and admiration ● *The Statue of Zeus at Olympia was one of the Seven Wonders of the World.*

➣ wonderful (adj) ❖ meraviglia