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| Definition | Example sentence |
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| <p>willing to try new or difficult things, or exciting and often dangerous things</p> <p>having a strong wish to be successful, powerful or rich</p> | <p>I'm trying to be more adventurous with my cooking.</p> <p>She's an ambitious, hard-working young lawyer.</p> |
| <p>able to create or enjoy art</p> <p>describes someone who is always telling people what to do</p> | <p>His friends are all artistic - they're painters, musicians and writers.</p> |
| <p>to make someone feel worried or upset</p> | <p>Don't be so bossy!</p> <p>I'm used to the noise now and it doesn't bother me.</p> |
| <p>to learn or discuss the latest news or events</p> <p>describes someone who avoids risks</p> <p>difficult, in a way that tests your ability or determination</p> | <p>It's good to catch up on the day's events with friends.</p> <p>He's a cautious driver.</p> |
| <p>slightly rude or showing no respect, but often in a funny way</p> | <p>I'd like a more challenging and satisfying job.</p> |
| <p>(disapproving) If an adult is childish, they behave in a way that would be expected of a child.</p> | <p>She's got such a cheeky grin.</p> <p>He wasn't enjoying the occasion so he thought he'd spoil it for everyone else - it was very childish of him.</p> |
| <p>a customer or someone who receives services</p> <p>wanting very much to win or be more successful than other people</p> <p>when you run somewhere very quickly you 'make a dash for it'</p> <p>making you feel unhappy and without hope for the future</p> | <p>My work involves meeting the public and dealing with client queries.</p> <p>You're very competitive - it's meant to be a friendly match!</p> |
| <p>having and expressing strong feelings</p> | <p>There was a mad dash for the exit.</p> |
| <p>having or involving a lot of energy</p> | <p>I find this weather so depressing.</p> |
| <p>extremely tired</p> | <p>She became very emotional when I told her she was going to be a grandmother.</p> <p>She's usually very energetic and full of fun.</p> |
| <p>extremely interesting</p> <p>unwise, stupid or not showing good judgment</p> <p>to take the opportunity to get, use or enjoy something quickly</p> | <p>I'm feeling too exhausted to go out this evening.</p> |
| <p>wanting a lot more food, money, etc. than you need</p> | <p>There are such fascinating people here!</p> <p>That was a rather foolish thing to do.</p> <p>I usually just grab a quick lunch when I'm working.</p> |
| <p>wanting a lot more food, money, etc. than you need</p> | <p>Some people are so greedy and selfish!</p> |

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| to go in a particular direction | He was heading for the gym when I bumped into him. |
| making you feel annoyed | The way she speaks is very irritating. |
| to take the place of something lost or damaged or to compensate for something bad with something good | I make up for lost sleep by having a short nap during the day. |
| hopeful; believing that good things will happen in the future | She is optimistic about her chances of winning a gold medal. |
| the highest, strongest or best point, value or level of skill | We saw a victory by an athlete at the very peak of her fitness and career. |
| a question, often expressing doubt about something or looking for an answer | If you have any queries about your treatment, the doctor will answer them. |
| less hot or tired | I feel so refreshed after that cup of tea. |
| to move somewhere easily and without sudden movements; to move somewhere by turning in a circular direction, or to make something move this way | My son rolled out of bed at about midday. |
| a list of planned activities or things to be done | I have no spare time and have to keep to a very tight schedule. |
| showing the times or dates when they are intended to happen or be done | Her reply showed that she was very sensitive to criticism. |
| easily upset by the things people say or do, or causing people to be upset, embarrassed or angry; understanding what other people need, and being helpful and kind to them | He suffers from back trouble too, so he was very sympathetic about my problem. |
| describes someone who shows, especially by what they say, that they understand and care about someone's suffering | His first task at work is to answer any early-morning emails. |
| a piece of work to be done | She is always so thoughtful and willing to help. |
| kind and always thinking about how you can help other people | Oliver works at home and, unsurprisingly, is a late riser. |
| used to say that something is not unusual or unexpected | |
| relaxed | Elisa is worried and doesn't look at all at ease. |
| when you first see someone or something | When they met it was love at first sight. |
| a combination of the correct types and amounts of food | We are changing to a balanced diet of healthy, freshly cooked food. |
| something on sale at a lower price than its true value | She always knows the best times to pick up a bargain. |
| If you are attracted by or to someone, you like them | She was not really attracted to him at all. |
| to end a relationship | She decided to break off her engagement. |
| to make someone who loves you very sad, usually by telling them you have stopped loving them | He's broken a lot of girls' hearts. |
| the activities involved in preparing and providing food and drink | First I went to catering college, in the autumn of 2001. |
| to cut something into pieces with an axe, knife or other sharp instrument | He was chopping wood in the yard. |
| to eat or drink, especially a lot of something | He consumes vast quantities of chips with every meal. |

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| to annoy someone a lot | His bossy, impatient manner started getting on her nerves. |
| If food or drink goes off, it is not good to eat or drink any more because it is too old. | This cheese smells a bit funny - do you think it's gone off? |
| to make something hot or warm, or to become hot or warm | I usually just heat up a ready meal for dinner. |
| If fruit and vegetables are in season, they are being produced in the area and are available and ready to eat | Fruit is cheaper when it's in season. |
| food that is unhealthy but is quick and easy to eat | He eats nothing but junk food. |
| to stay with someone so that they are not alone | I'll keep you company till the train comes. |
| to stop speaking to or annoying someone | Leave me alone! I'm trying to work. |
| to only eat a particular type of food | Many poorer people live mainly on rice. |
| to stop communicating with someone, usually because they do not live near you now | We both went away to university and sadly we lost touch with each other. |
| the amount of a particular food that is served to one person, especially in a restaurant or a shop which sells food ready to be eaten | I ordered six portions of chicken. |
| to ask someone to marry you | I remember the night your father proposed to me. |
| (of fruit or crops) completely developed and ready to be collected or eaten | Those bananas aren't ripe yet - they're still green. |
| not to do or not to have something that you usually do or that you should do | Skipping meals is not a healthy way to lose weight. |
| to cut something into thin, flat pieces | Slice the mushrooms thinly and fry in butter. |
| your daughter's husband | We are very fond of our son-in-law. |
| very hungry | Let's get something to eat, I'm starving! |
| If you take situations or people for granted, you do not realise or show that you are grateful for how much you get from them. | She felt he was taking her for granted. |
| describes food that is difficult to cut or eat | This steak is very tough. |
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| in addition to someone or something else | California, along with Florida and Hawaii, is among the most popular US tourist destinations. |
| feeling guilty or embarrassed about something you have done | He was ashamed to admit to his mistake. |
| connected in your mind with someone or something else | For many people, holidays are associated with reading. |
| having the ability, power or qualities to be able to do something | Only the Democratic Party is capable of running the country. |
| aware that a particular thing or person exists or is present | I think she's very conscious of being the youngest in the family. |
| a journey on a large ship for pleasure, during which you visit several places | We're hoping to go on a cruise next year. |
| knowing something or someone well | I'm sorry, I'm not familiar with your poetry. |

bored, annoyed or disappointed, especially by something that you have experienced for too long to go somewhere to have a holiday, often because you need to rest

I'm fed up with my job.

to have no connection or influence with someone or something

I just need to get away for a few days. In the evening he likes to read books and articles which have/are nothing to do with his work.

on the subject of something
having to have something that you do not have

They want to talk to you in connection with an unpaid tax bill.
Are you in need of help?

instead of someone or something

You can use margarine in place of butter in some recipes.

in connection with something

She used the map to discover where she was in relation to her surroundings.

as an answer or reaction to something
used to describe which particular area of a subject you are discussing

Management have granted a 10% pay rise in response to union pressure. In terms of money, I was better off in my last job.

because of a particular thing, or considering a particular fact

In view of what you've said, I think we should reconsider our proposed course of action.

included in something

It would be difficult not to involve the child's father in the arrangements.

a way of travelling
If there is no sign of someone or something, you cannot see them.
forced to do something or feeling that you must do something
unable to stop thinking about something; too interested in or worried about something

People can choose their own means of transport such as travelling by rail.

I've searched for my hat, but there's no sign of it anywhere.

She feels obliged to be nice to Jack because he's her boss.

Why are people so obsessed with money?

willing, or happy to agree to do something

People are not really prepared to talk about these kinds of personal problems.

You are required by law to stop your car after an accident.

Her reply showed that she was very sensitive to criticism.

when it is necessary for you to do something

This sort of camera is very expensive.

easily upset by the things people say or do
one of a group of things which are of the same type or which share similar qualities
to be expected to be something; to be considered by many people to be something; intended or expected to.

These batteries are supposed to last for a year.

It's thanks to Sandy that I heard about the job.

The trouble with this carpet is that it gets dirty very easily.

because of someone or something
used to say what is wrong with someone or something
a company that makes arrangements for travel and places to stay, often selling these together as package holidays
the activity of walking long distances, usually over land such as hills, mountains or forests

She co-founded the nation's largest tour operator for foreigners visiting the USA.

They enjoy active holidays such as trekking or sailing.

He was a young sailor on his first sea voyage.

a long journey, especially by ship

to walk around slowly in a relaxed way or without any clear purpose or direction

We spent the morning wandering around the old part of the city.

in connection with

I am writing to you with regard to your letter of 15 March.

stupid or unreasonable; silly in a humorous way
very strange and unusual
to make the effort to do something

What an absurd thing to say!
a bizarre situation

extremely exciting, beautiful or surprising

I didn't bother to check the time.

The view from the top of the mountain is breathtaking.

the actors in a film, play or show

After the final performance, the director threw a party for the whole cast.

to be confident that you can depend on someone
very pleasant, attractive or enjoyable

You can always count on Michael in a crisis.

to trust someone or something and know that they will help you or do what you want or expect them to do

Our new neighbours are delightful.

very bad, of very low quality, or shocking and very sad

I'm depending on you to keep your promise.

funny and enjoyable

The food was bad and the service was dreadful.

much greater than usual, especially in skill, intelligence, quality, etc.

It's a really entertaining play.

excellent or much better than average

She has an exceptional talent for singing.
This is a very fine painting.

to give a lot of attention to one particular person, subject or thing

Tonight's programme focuses on the way that homelessness affects the young.

to continue

We really can't go on living like this - we'll have to find a bigger house.

If an object or achievement is impressive, you admire or respect it, usually because it is special, important or very large.

There are some very impressive buildings in the town.

to connect a computer to a computer system by typing your name, so that you can start working

Log on using your name and password.

the words of a song, especially a pop song
causing strong feelings of sadness or sympathy

Paul Simon writes the lyrics for most of his songs.

strange, not known or not understood

That was a very moving story.

excellent; clearly very much better than what is usual

There's something very mysterious about her.

the story of a book, film, play, etc.

What an outstanding performance!

not good, being of a very low quality, quantity or standard

The plot was so complicated that none of us could follow it.

The quality of writing was very poor.

to feel sorry about a situation, especially something sad or wrong or a mistake that you have made
to need a particular thing or the help and support of someone or something in order to continue, to work correctly, or to succeed

I regret saying that I didn't trust her.

unusual or special and therefore surprising and worth mentioning

I rely on you for good advice.

a part of a play or film in which the action stays in one place

Nelson Mandela is a truly remarkable man.

What is your favourite scene in the film?

If a story, film, etc. is set in a particular time or place, the action in it happens in that time or place.
a short piece in a film in which there is a single action or a short series of actions
a musical performance done by one person alone, or a musical performance in which one person is given special attention
the sounds, especially the music, of a film, or a separate recording of this
of excellent quality; very great

to be likely to behave in a particular way or have a particular characteristic
If a situation is tense, it causes feelings of worry or nervousness.

the main subject of a talk, book, film, etc.
very great in amount or level, or extremely good

something created as a result of effort, especially a painting, book or piece of music

relating to schools, colleges and universities, or connected with studying and thinking, not with practical skills
to get something

the activities involved in buying and selling things
someone who advises people on a particular subject

of the present time

needing a lot of time, attention or energy
to become twice as much or as many, or to make something twice as much or many
something that you have to do because it is part of your job, or something that you feel is the right thing to do
the amount of money that someone is paid for the work they do

to increase in weight, speed, height or amount
a person who has a first degree from a university or college

very, to a large degree, or at a high level

a large and important organisation, such as a university or bank
someone who has invented something or whose job is to invent things

someone who teaches at a college or university

'West Side Story' is set in New York in the late 1950s.

The film begins with a long tracking shot.

She plans to sing a solo at the end of the concert.

The best thing about the film is its soundtrack.

He is a superb dancer.

We tend to get cold winters and warm, dry summers in this part of the country.

I enjoy reading tense thrillers.

The theme of loss runs through most of his novels.

You won? That's tremendous!

The museum has many works by Picasso as well as other modern painters.

She has lots of impressive academic qualifications.

I'd like to acquire some new skills.

She 's hoping to get a job in commerce.

I work as a financial consultant.

My current post is a job in local government.

The work is demanding but very rewarding.

I will double my income if I get this new job.

The duty of the agency is to act in the best interests of the child.

Average earnings for skilled workers are rising.

Holiday work is a good way to gain experience.

Nearly one in five graduates are still looking for their first job.

It's highly unlikely I'll ever go to the moon.
Oxford and Cambridge are two of the best known academic institutions in the UK.

He's famous inventor.

She is a senior lecturer at the university.

the group of people responsible for controlling and organising a company; the control and organisation of something

Management has/have offered staff a 3% pay increase.

the business of producing goods in large numbers

Jobs in manufacturing will be affected by the new laws.

wanting to do something well

You'll need to be highly motivated to succeed.

a person who writes novels

She is now a famous novelist.

someone whose job is to use and control a

You'll need to contact a computer

machine or vehicle

operator.

(time spent working) after the usual time needed or expected in a job

They're working overtime to get the job finished on time.

a job

She applied for a position in the firm that I work for.

the process of making or growing goods to be sold to successfully finish a training course so that you are able to do a job; to have or achieve the necessary skills, etc.

This new type of electric car will go into production next year.

approximately

She hopes to qualify as a lawyer at the end of the year.

an occasion when a teacher or expert and a group of people meet to study and discuss something soon

I know roughly how much money it costs.

a company, person, etc. that provides things that people want or need, especially over a long period of time

Students are required to attend the weekly seminar.

Shortly after midnight I heard a noise.

to accept a particular job or responsibility; to employ to borrow a sum of money, often from a bank, which has to be paid back, usually together with an extra amount of money that you have to pay as a charge for borrowing

They used to be a leading supplier of military equipment.

The new job means taking on a lot of new responsibilities.

to get control of a company by buying most of its shares

We had to take out a large loan to buy our house.

to start doing a particular job or activity

There are rumours that a major corporation is considering taking over the firm.

a long piece of writing on a particular subject, especially one that is done for a higher college or university degree

He's taken up the post of supervisor.

a teacher who works with one student or a small group, either at a British college or university or in the home of a child

I'm planning to write a thesis on Shakespeare's tragedies.

different from someone or something

I'm meeting my personal tutor on Wednesday.

Unlike you, I'm not a great dancer.

involving competition

He likes taking part in competitive sports.

the sport of jumping into water or swimming under water

I enjoy diving and swimming.

to eat all the food that you have been given

Be a good boy and eat up your vegetables.

a place, especially including buildings, where a particular activity happens

We have facilities for a wide range of indoor and outdoor sports.

a strong hard hat that covers and protects the head

It is essential to wear helmets for certain sports.

a disease of the body or mind
a disease in a part of your body that is caused by bacteria or a virus
physical harm or damage to someone's body caused by an accident or an attack
a small metal disc, with words or a picture on it, which is given as a reward for winning a sports competition
an area painted with lines for playing particular sports, especially football
a surface or piece of land that is high at one end and low at the other
the ability to notice or discover that a substance is present by using your nose
to speak in a louder voice so that people can hear you
a person who watches an activity, especially a sports event, without taking part
to describe or express the important facts or characteristics about something or someone
the flavour of something, or the ability of a person or animal to recognise different flavours
a device used for measuring temperature, especially of the air or in a person's body
the ability to know what something is like by feeling it with the fingers
the use of drugs, exercises, etc. to cure a person of an illness or injury

to finish a supply of something
a damaged area of the body, such as a cut or hole in the skin or flesh made by a weapon

rain which contains large amounts of harmful chemicals as a result of burning substances such as coal and oil
something that is different from something else, especially from what is usual, and offering the possibility of choice
to remember a piece of information when you are making a decision or thinking about a matter
any basic substance which is used in or produced by a reaction involving changes to atoms or molecules

the way the world's weather is changing
the protection of plants and animals, natural areas, and interesting and important structures and buildings, especially from the damaging effects of human activity
to do less of something or use something in smaller amounts

an object or machine which has been invented for a particular purpose

She died after a long illness.
Certain insect bites can lead to serious infections.
Do you have any health problems or injuries at the moment?

Laura won her first medal when she was 14.

A supporter ran onto the football pitch. Snow had settled on some of the higher slopes.

Dogs have a very good sense of smell. Could you speak up? We can't hear at the back.

The spectators began to cheer loudly. To sum up, it's been a pleasure working with you.

I love the taste of garlic.

Always use a reliable thermometer. Our sense of touch develops at a very young age. Perhaps it's time to try a new course of treatment. Don't use up all the milk, we need some for breakfast.

He had a gunshot wound in his leg.

Acid rain has harmful effects on plants and animals.

They want to find an alternative to burning coal. When we decide what to do, we'll need to bear in mind the cost. Each year, factories release millions of tonnes of toxic chemicals into the atmosphere. Scientists are trying to establish how human activity affects climate change.

She's very interested in wildlife conservation.

I'm trying to cut down on coffee. Rescuers used a special device for finding people trapped in collapsed buildings.

when you get rid of something, especially by throwing it away

very severe or bad

extremely cold

a period of time in which air temperature is below the freezing point of water, or the white, powdery layer of ice which forms in these conditions, especially outside at night

to cause something to exist

a gradual increase in world temperatures caused by polluting gases such as carbon dioxide which are collecting in the air around the Earth and preventing heat escaping into space
using the most advanced and developed machines and methods

with everything added together to make a total

If the future or success of someone or something is in doubt, it is unlikely to continue or to be successful.

at a suitable time in the future

in reality rather than what is meant to happen

happening or being done now

for a long period of time in the future

until something expected happens, or while something else is happening

unwanted matter or material caused by the process of producing things in a factory

describes weather that is not very cold or not as cold as usual

thin fog produced by very small drops of water collecting in the air just above an area of ground or water

to help to achieve something

very harmful and able to cause illness or death

to prepare, change or treat food or raw materials as a part of an industrial operation

an official rule that controls how something is done causing very great pain, difficulty, worry, damage, etc; very serious

(a building designed to give) protection from bad weather, danger or attack

Manufacturers of electronic goods need to ensure their safe disposal.

They have special clothing to protect them against extreme weather conditions.

Amelia wasn't wearing a coat, despite the freezing weather.

There was a frost last night.

The new development will generate 1500 new jobs.

Global warming is destroying the Earth's beautiful rainforests.

This weapons system is an affordable, hi-tech solution.

In all, there were 20 volunteers working on the project.

Spending cuts mean that the future of the tree-planting scheme is now in doubt.

The results of the enquiry will be made known in due course.

In practice, the new regulations have done little to reduce waste.

Work is in progress on a series of new wind power schemes.

Rising sea levels will do terrible damage in the long term.

It's 9.15 and my appointment isn't until 10. In the meantime, I'll text my friends.

It is forbidden to dump industrial waste in the river.

We've had a mild winter this year.

The mountain villages seem to be permanently shrouded in mist.

Everyone should play a part in helping to conserve areas of natural beauty.

Can you tell the difference between poisonous mushrooms and edible varieties?

They live near a waste processing plant.

The new regulations have done little to reduce waste.

He is suffering from a severe chest infection.

It was fortunate that I found a place to take shelter.

electricity produced by using the energy from the sun

material with particular physical characteristics
a thing or person that is used instead of another thing or person

poisonous
an extreme weather condition with very strong winds and heavy rain that forms over tropical oceans

to take something in, especially gradually
produced and used to protect the main memory of a computer against infection by a virus
a computer program that is designed for a particular purpose
the smallest unit of any chemical element, consisting of a positive nucleus surrounded by negative electrons. Atoms can combine to form a molecule.

a record of the address of an internet document on your computer so that you can find it again easily
an important discovery or event that helps to improve a situation or provide an answer to a problem
a system that makes it possible for many messages or large amounts of information to be sent at the same time and very quickly between computers or other electronic devices

to look at information on the Internet

a mistake or problem in a computer program
the gas formed when carbon is burned, or when people or animals breathe out

the poisonous gas formed by the burning of carbon, especially in the form of car fuel
in a way that shows you do not find something difficult or important

the smallest basic unit of a plant or animal
to put electricity into an electrical device such as a battery
If a computer or system crashes, it suddenly stops operating.
information, especially facts or numbers, collected to be examined and considered and used to help decision-making, or information in an electronic form that can be stored and processed by a computer
a large amount of information stored in a computer system in such a way that it can be easily looked at or changed

We now produce much of their energy from wind and solar power.
Most of these substances are completely harmless.
Tofu can be used as a meat substitute in vegetarian recipes.
We need to find better ways of disposing of toxic waste.

The news report warned that a tropical storm was on its way.

Plants absorb carbon dioxide.
I'm going to run the anti-virus software on the computer.
Do you use spreadsheet applications for your work?

A molecule of carbon dioxide (CO₂) has one carbon atom and two oxygen atoms.

Keep this site as a bookmark.

Scientists are hoping for a breakthrough in the search for a cure for cancer.

Internet connection via broadband offers many advantages.
I decided to spend some time browsing some websites.
A bug caused the company's computer system to crash.
It is important to have laws restricting carbon dioxide emissions.

There is an alarm which warns if there is too much carbon monoxide in the air.
We write emails as casually as we make a phone call these days.
We took turns to study a cell through a microscope.
She drove the car round the block to charge (up) its batteries.

My laptop's crashed again.

The data was/were collected by various researchers.

We're linked to the on-line database at our head office.

a type of computer that is small enough to fit on the top of a desk

to show on a computer screen

a simple substance which cannot be reduced to smaller chemical parts, e.g. hydrogen

not strong or clear; slight

a type of service available on the Internet that allows you to exchange written messages with someone else who is using the service at the same time

to communicate with or react to

to send something out, such as a new ship to sea or a rocket into space

to show that something is true

If you run a computer program, you use it on your computer.

a device sent up into space to travel round the Earth, used for collecting information or communicating by radio, television, etc.

the activity of sharing information and communicating with groups of people using the Internet, especially through websites that are specially designed for this purpose

a computer program, used especially in business, which allows you to do financial calculations and plans

a small glass tube, with one closed and rounded end, which is used in scientific experiments

a formal statement of the rules on which a subject of study is based or of ideas which are suggested to explain a fact or event or, more generally, an opinion or explanation

multiplied by

a quality in the voice which expresses the speaker's feelings or thoughts, often towards the person being spoken to

to remove the good or bad effects of an action or several actions

new information

the pattern in which some types of energy, such as sound, light and heat, are spread or carried

when you admire someone or something

when programmes are sent out on television or radio

an advertisement which is broadcast on television or radio

I've got a new desktop at work.

You can display several documents on the screen at the same time.

Aluminium is an element.

I heard a faint sound coming from outside.

Do you have instant messaging on your phone?

Social networking sites have transformed the way we interact with our friends.

A spokesman for the dockyard said they hoped to launch the first submarine within two years.

They suspected that she'd killed him but they could never actually prove that it was her.

We've run the computer program, but nothing happens.

They have satellite television in their house.

Do you use any of the social networking sites?

It's a good idea to put all your data into a spreadsheet.

Rows of test tubes stood against the wall.

Darwin's theory of evolution had a huge effect when it was published.

Two times two equals four ($2 \times 2 = 4$).

Remember to use a calm tone of voice.

It is now impossible to undo any of the harm the internet has caused.

Jo's just doing an update on the mailing list.

Your microwave dinner is heated by radio waves.

My admiration for that woman grows daily.

Huge amounts of money are spent on broadcasting.

There are just too many commercials on TV these days.

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| political news about events happening now | They enjoy listening to radio programmes about current affairs. |
| a person who corrects or changes pieces of text or films before they are printed or shown, or a person who is in charge of a newspaper or magazine | She's a senior editor in the reference department of a publishing company. |
| when someone talks or behaves in a way that gives you confidence to do something | Children need lots of encouragement from their parents. |
| one of the single parts into which a story is divided, especially when it is broadcast on the television or radio | I can't wait to watch the next episode! |
| the part of a newspaper in which you find stories about the social and private lives of famous people | She writes a gossip column for a daily newspaper. |
| the lines of words printed in large letters as the title of a story in a newspaper, or the main points of the news that are broadcast on television or radio | He hit the country's headlines when he sailed solo across the Pacific. He's made a name for himself as a talented journalist. |
| to become famous or respected by a lot of people | |
| a piece of equipment that you speak into to make your voice louder, or to record your voice or other sounds | The reporter was carrying a microphone. |
| a large system consisting of many similar parts that are connected together to allow movement or communication between or along the parts or between the parts and a control centre | She works for a well-known television network. |
| someone who introduces a television or radio show | I've always wanted to be a TV presenter. |
| newspapers and magazines, and those parts of television and radio which broadcast news, or reporters and photographers who work for them | The press was/were out in force at the awards ceremony. |
| someone's right to keep their personal matters and relationships secret | Everyone is entitled to some privacy. |
| a person who makes the practical and financial arrangements needed to make a film, play, television or radio programme | I'll talk to my producer about doing a news report on this. |
| the activity of organising the practical and financial matters connected with the preparation of a film, play or television or radio programme | I'd like to get into television production. Obviously as sales manager he'll be very involved in the promotion and marketing of the product. |
| activities to advertise something | The brochure will be ready for publication in September. |
| the act of making information or stories available to people in a printed form | |
| the activity of making certain that someone or something attracts a lot of interest or attention from many people, or the attention received as a result of this activity | I'm not the sort of person who's comfortable with publicity. |
| a TV or radio programme based on a game or competition in which you answer questions | We produce programmes ranging from sports and soaps to quiz shows. |
| a television programme about ordinary people who are filmed in real situations, rather than actors | Do you watch many reality TV shows? |
| a person who someone admires and whose behaviour they try to copy | Sports stars are role models for thousands of youngsters. |

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| a person who writes the words for films or radio or television broadcasts | She's a successful Hollywood scriptwriter. |
| a person who decides which pictures, furniture, etc. will be used when a film or play is performed or recorded | As the set designer I decide how the stage or studio will look. |
| a type of popular newspaper with small pages which has many pictures and short simple reports | The tabloid press love this sort of story. |
| something on sale at a lower price than its true value | If it's a bargain I'll buy it. We'll be out of petrol if we don't stop at a garage soon. |
| to have no more of something | There are cool brands of clothing that we'd like to sell. |
| a type of product made by a particular company describes clothes that are not formal or not suitable for special occasions | He usually wears casual clothes. |
| a book with a list of all the goods that you can buy from a shop | My mother buys everything from mail-order catalogues. |
| a person who buys goods or services for their own use | Consumers need to be careful if they buy from dealers in second-hand goods. |
| a small plastic card which can be used as a method of payment, the money being taken from your bank account automatically | I paid with my debit card. |
| something made by a famous company that makes expensive clothes, bags, etc. | How important are designer labels to you? |
| to take something back to the shop where you bought it, and change it for something else | I'd like to exchange this item please. French cheeses are exported to many different countries. |
| to send goods to another country for sale | Is she wearing false eyelashes? |
| not real, but made to look or seem real | They claimed the chair was made from genuine leather. |
| If something is genuine, it is real and exactly what it appears to be. | |
| a promise that something will be done or will happen, especially a written promise by a company | The video recorder comes with/has a two-year guarantee. |
| to repair or change a product that develops a fault within a particular period of time | She's the ideal person for the job. |
| without fault; perfect, or the best possible | We import a large number of cars from Japan. |
| to buy or bring in products from another country | The new edition is in stock in major bookshops. |
| available to buy | Wear comfortable, loose clothing to your exercise class. |
| (of clothes) not fitting closely to the body | She died after taking a massive overdose of drugs. |
| very large in size, amount or number | They usually buy food that is on offer . |
| If goods in a shop are on (special) offer, they are being sold at a lower price than usual. | I'm afraid your size is currently out of stock. |
| not available to buy | How do you wish to pay for your purchases? |
| something that you buy | How far do think people's clothes reflect their personalities? |
| to show, express or be a sign of something | |

to finish, use or sell all of something so that there is none left
an occasion when goods are sold at a lower price than usual

the number of products sold

If a supply of something sells out, there is no more of that thing to buy.

a person who owns and manages a small shop

having a good knowledge of culture and fashion extremely beautiful or attractive (usually of a colour or style of clothes) to make someone look more attractive

to get rid of something that you do not want any more

Clothes or shoes that are tight fit the body too closely and are uncomfortable.

a small vehicle with two or four wheels that you push or pull to transport large or heavy objects on to use something to discover if it works or if you like it

to happen in a particular way or to have a particular result, especially an unexpected one

very brightly coloured

Those scarves are very popular with customers and we've run out of them completely.

I bought this in the January sales.
The store must increase sales if it is to survive.

A week after their new style of shirt was launched, it was completely sold out.
The new line in jeans was so popular that shopkeepers soon ran out.

She was slim, svelte and sophisticated.
Gosh, what a stunning dress!
What styles and colours of clothes suit you best?

Those old socks have got holes in! When are you going to throw them out?
That jacket's too tight - you want a bigger size.

Oh no! I left my purse in the shopping trolley.
My brother's just bought a new computer and I want to try it out.

How did the recipe turn out?
She was wearing a vivid pink shirt.

