



ENGLISH THRIVE – LEARN ENGLISH WITH
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75 Advanced IELTS Vocabulary Words With Examples

This PDF is designed for IELTS learners aiming for Band 7+. Use it daily
for writing and speaking practice.

Group 1: Academic IELTS Vocabulary

Word	Meaning	Synonyms	Example Sentence
Abundant	More than enough	Plentiful, ample	<i>The country has abundant natural resources to support growth.</i>
Accumulate	Gather over time	Collect, build up	<i>Dust can accumulate if a house is not cleaned regularly.</i>



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Acknowledge	Accept as true	Admit, recognize	<i>The report acknowledged the importance of technology in education.</i>
Adapt	Adjust to conditions	Modify, change	<i>Humans can adapt to different climates quickly.</i>
Advocate	Support publicly	Recommend, promote	<i>Experts advocate daily reading to improve IELTS scores.</i>
Allocate	Distribute resources	Assign, share	<i>Funds were allocated to public health programs.</i>
Ambiguous	Unclear meaning	Vague, uncertain	<i>The instructions were ambiguous and confused the students.</i>
Anticipate	Expect something	Predict, foresee	<i>Scientists anticipate more extreme weather events in the future.</i>



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Apparent	Clearly seen	Obvious, evident	<i>It became apparent that the plan was unrealistic.</i>
Appreciate	Value something	Admire, respect	<i>Students appreciate teachers who give clear feedback.</i>
Arduous	Very difficult	Tough, challenging	<i>Preparing for IELTS can be an arduous process.</i>
Assess	Evaluate something	Judge, examine	<i>The examiner assessed the candidate's fluency carefully.</i>
Assume	Suppose something	Presume, guess	<i>We can't assume success without hard work.</i>
Beneficial	Helpful, useful	Advantageous, valuable	<i>A balanced diet is beneficial for good health.</i>



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Bias	Prejudice for/against	Favoritism, partiality	<i>The article showed bias towards one political party.</i>

Group 2: IELTS Writing Vocabulary

Word	Meaning	Synonyms	Example Sentence
Brief	Short in duration	Concise, limited	<i>The introduction should be brief but effective.</i>
Capable	Having ability	Skilled, competent	<i>She is capable of achieving a high band score.</i>
Cease	Stop completely	Halt, end	<i>Factories must cease operations during emergencies.</i>
Clarify	Make clear	Explain, simplify	<i>The teacher clarified the essay requirements.</i>



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Cohesive	Connected logically	United, consistent	<i>A cohesive argument is necessary for IELTS Writing Task 2.</i>
Commence	Begin something	Start, launch	<i>The conference will commence at 9 a.m.</i>
Compile	Collect systematically	Gather, assemble	<i>The researcher compiled data from various sources.</i>
Comprehensive	Covering all areas	Complete, thorough	<i>The book offers a comprehensive guide to IELTS preparation.</i>
Concur	Agree with	Coincide, consent	<i>Experts concur that climate change is a major issue.</i>
Confine	Keep within limits	Restrict, limit	<i>The patient was confined to bed for a week.</i>



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Conspicuous	Easy to notice	Obvious, visible	<i>Her bright red dress was conspicuous in the crowd.</i>
Contribute	Give to a cause	Donate, provide	<i>Citizens should contribute to community development.</i>
Conventional	Traditional, usual	Standard, common	<i>He prefers conventional teaching methods.</i>
Convey	Communicate meaning	Express, deliver	<i>The writer conveyed his ideas clearly.</i>
Crucial	Extremely important	Vital, essential	<i>Time management is crucial in the IELTS exam.</i>

Group 3: IELTS Speaking Vocabulary



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Cumulative	Increasing in effect	Total, collective	<i>The cumulative effect of stress can harm health.</i>
Deduce	Reach a conclusion	Infer, conclude	<i>We can deduce the writer's opinion from the tone.</i>
Deficient	Lacking something	Insufficient, incomplete	<i>Her diet was deficient in vitamins.</i>
Deliberate	Done on purpose	Intentional, planned	<i>The mistake was deliberate, not accidental.</i>
Denote	Indicate clearly	Represent, signify	<i>The red flag denotes danger.</i>
Depict	Show in words/pictures	Represent, illustrate	<i>The painting depicts a peaceful landscape.</i>
Derive	Obtain from source	Gain, extract	<i>English derives many words from Latin.</i>



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Deteriorate	Become worse	Decline, worsen	<i>Air quality has deteriorated in urban areas.</i>
Devote	Give time to	Dedicate, commit	<i>She devoted years to IELTS preparation.</i>
Differentiate	Show differences	Distinguish, separate	<i>It's important to differentiate facts from opinions.</i>
Diminish	Reduce in size	Decrease, lessen	<i>The new policy may diminish pollution levels.</i>
Disclose	Make known	Reveal, expose	<i>The report disclosed the company's financial problems.</i>
Displace	Take the place of	Replace, shift	<i>Technology may displace some traditional jobs.</i>



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Distort	Twist the truth	Misrepresent, falsify	<i>The media distorted the facts of the event.</i>
Diverse	Showing variety	Varied, different	<i>The city has a diverse cultural population.</i>

Group 4: IELTS Task 1 Vocabulary

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Elaborate	Add more detail	Explain, expand	<i>She elaborated on her main points.</i>
Emphasize	Highlight importance	Stress, underline	<i>The graph emphasizes the rise in population.</i>
Encounter	Come across	Face, meet	<i>Students may encounter difficulties in reading tasks.</i>
Endorse	Approve publicly	Support, back	<i>The project was endorsed by the mayor.</i>



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Enhance	Make better	Improve, boost	<i>Vocabulary enhances both writing and speaking skills.</i>
Evaluate	Assess carefully	Judge, analyze	<i>The teacher evaluated the essay thoroughly.</i>
Evident	Clear, obvious	Apparent, visible	<i>It is evident that education improves opportunities.</i>
Exceed	Go beyond limit	Surpass, outdo	<i>Sales exceeded expectations last year.</i>
Exclude	Leave out	Omit, eliminate	<i>The data excluded rural populations.</i>
Exhibit	Show clearly	Display, demonstrate	<i>The museum exhibits ancient artifacts.</i>
Explicit	Stated clearly	Clear, definite	<i>The rules were explicit and easy to follow.</i>



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Exploit	Use unfairly	Take advantage, misuse	<i>Companies sometimes exploit cheap labor.</i>
Facilitate	Make easier	Assist, enable	<i>Good teaching facilitates learning.</i>
Feasible	Possible to do	Practical, achievable	<i>The plan is feasible within the budget.</i>
Fluctuate	Change irregularly	Vary, oscillate	<i>Prices fluctuate depending on demand.</i>

Group 5: IELTS Task 2 Vocabulary

Word	Meaning	Synonyms	Example Sentence
Fundamental	Basic, essential	Primary, vital	<i>Freedom of speech is a fundamental right.</i>
Generate	Produce or create	Yield, make	<i>The project generated new jobs.</i>



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Hypothesis	Assumed explanation	Theory, assumption	<i>The scientist tested her hypothesis.</i>
Identical	Exactly the same	Equal, alike	<i>The twins wore identical clothes.</i>
Illustrate	Explain with examples	Demonstrate, show	<i>The essay illustrated his main argument.</i>
Imply	Suggest indirectly	Indicate, hint	<i>Her tone implied dissatisfaction.</i>
Incentive	Motivation to act	Reward, encouragement	<i>Bonuses provide incentives for employees.</i>
Inhibit	Prevent or restrain	Hinder, restrict	<i>Shyness can inhibit speaking performance.</i>
Integrate	Combine into whole	Unite, merge	<i>Immigrants integrate into new cultures over time.</i>



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Intense	Very strong	Extreme, powerful	<i>He felt intense pressure before the exam.</i>
Interpret	Explain meaning	Clarify, analyze	<i>The teacher interpreted the poem in detail.</i>
Intrinsic	Naturally part of	Inherent, essential	<i>Honesty is intrinsic to good leadership.</i>
Justify	Give valid reasons	Defend, explain	<i>The student justified her opinion with evidence.</i>
Legislate	Make laws	Enact, regulate	<i>The government legislated new safety measures.</i>
Maintain	Keep in good state	Preserve, continue	<i>He maintained his fluency with daily practice.</i>



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