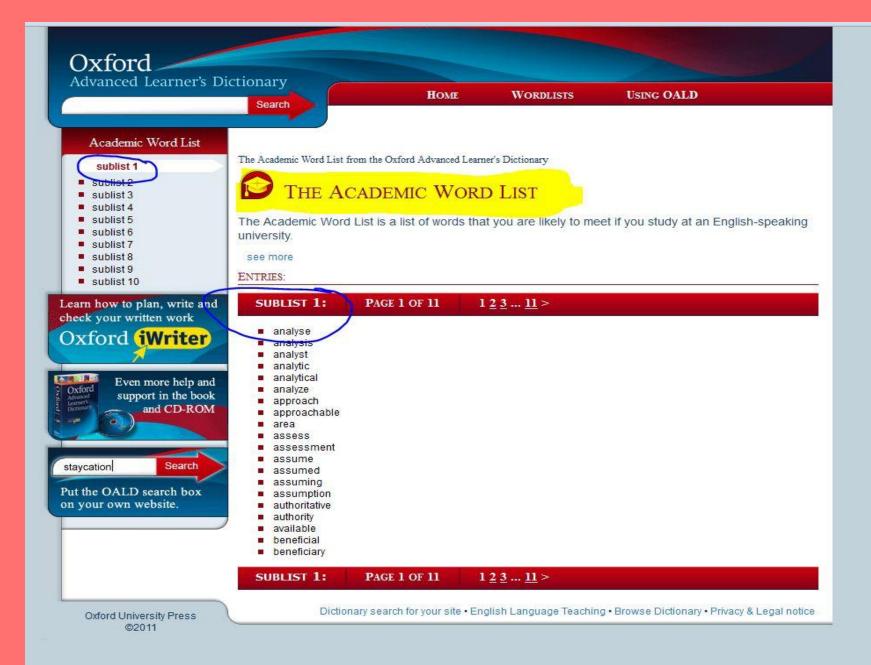
# Vocabulary Teaching and Assessment



#### Selecting vocabulary: Academic word list

Academic Word List Coxhead (2000). The most frequent word in each family is in italics. There are 570 headwords and about 3000 words altogether. For more information see Lexical Tutor.

If you have an iPhone and want to practise these words, you could try: Flashcards Deluxe. Install the application, then search in the shared library for "Academic Word List". Or yo

\*Definitions linked to: Cambridge Advanced Learner's Dictionary (Used with permission)

Headwords	Other words in the family.
abandon	abandoned, abandoning, abandonment, abandons, e.g.
abstract	abstraction, abstractions, abstractly, abstracts, e.g.
academy	academia, academic, academically, academics, academies, e.g.
access	accessed, accesses, accessibility, accessible, accessing, inaccessible
accommodate	accommodated, accommodates, accommodating, accommodation
accompany	accompanied, accompanies, accompaniment, accompanying, unaccompanied
accumulate	accumulated, accumulating, accumulation, accumulates
accurate	accuracy, accurately, inaccuracy, inaccuracies, inaccurate
achieve	achievable, achieved, achievement, achievements, achieves, achieving
acknowledge	acknowledged, acknowledges, acknowledging, acknowledgement, acknowledgements
acquire	acquired, acquires, acquiring, acquisition, acquisitions
adapt	adaptability, adaptable, adaptation, adaptations, adapted, adapting, adaptive, adapts
adequate	adequacy, adequately, inadequacies, inadequacy, inadequate, inadequately
adjacent	
adjust	adjusted, adjusting, adjustment, adjustments, adjusts, readjust, readjusted, readjusting, readjustment, readjustments, readjusts
administrate	administrates, administration, administrations, administrative, administratively, administrator, administrators
adult	adulthood, adults
advocate	advocacy, advocated, advocates, advocating
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## Sources of Vocabulary

Urban Life housing city problems (pp. 8-13) (pp. 16-20)

Vocabulary: bright, comfortable, convenient, cramped, dangerous, dark, expensive, huge,

#### "Hooked on Crime" (pp. 221-231)

Vocabulary:

 clean-cut, cons, contentious, created, dependency, dra extortion, homelessness, imposed, making amends, m modest, principles, robberies, trend, trafficking

#### or "Eye Witness" (pp. 231-244)

Vocabulary:

 abruptly, accessory, carefully, fear, nervously, person quickly, suspiciously, taxpayer, warily, wearily

Vocabulary from their readings, newspapers summaries, and

## Vocabulary Development

- Select vocabulary
- Preview the vocabulary in the text
- Show the word, object, diagram
- Circulate a list
- Recycle through varied activities
- Guide students in collecting words

#### II. Assessment

- 1) Vocabulary notebooks, blogs, flashcards
- 2) Matching words and definitions
- 3) Modified cloze
- 4) True/false tests of words in sentences
- 5) Vocabulary Depth tests
- 6) Definition completions
- 7) Sensitive multiple choice
- 8) Translation test
- 9) Self-evaluation checklist

New Word\s	Definition	Example Sentence		
hard to come by	not readily available	Good cheese is hard	to come by in Tokyo	
looked into	studied, examined, researched	I've been neglecting		
Double space your vocabulary notebook. Make it as clear and easy to read as possible	Use colour to make the new word leap off the page	Always write an English definition, but also add a Japanese definition when you think you need it	Always write your own sentence. It's easier to remember	
	Keep updating your vocabulary note remember this is not just a list of v vocabulary, so keep looking back thr the words. Try and use your new discussions, in presentations, in your essays for w	words. The aim is to increa ough your notebook and tr words as often as possible rjournal, your book reports	se your y to learn in your	

## 2. Matching words and definitions

I. Mat	ching (14 marks). C	Choose one correct letter for matching.
1.	simplify	a) make something easier
		b) repair something
2	administer	c) organize or control something
		d) thinking or understanding
3	cognition	e) give a suggestion to someone
	3	f) someone with recognized ability or status
4.	advise	g) someone who has written a book
		h) find a direction
5	outhority	i) a type of dream

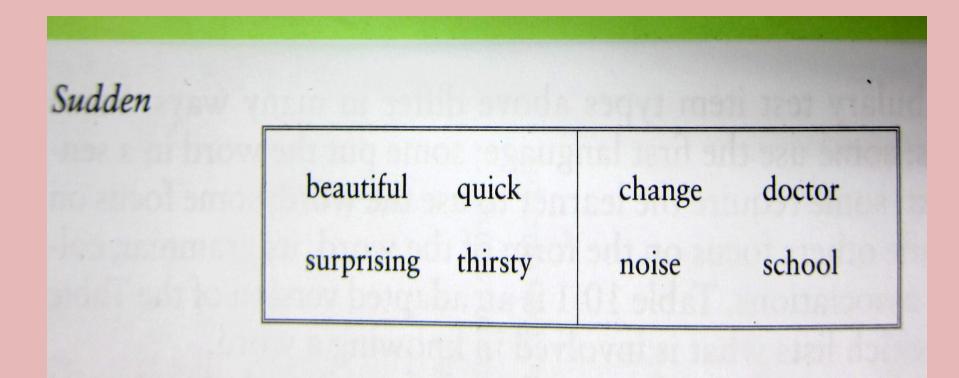
#### 3. Modified Cloze

trade	Newfoundland	Vikings	ice age	
Columbus	descendents	wood	ivory	
After the las	st 1. some gro	oups of homo sa	apiens (i.e., humans) moved	to Eurasia
			the 'native peoples' of the No oples met in modern-day 3.	
			n continent were called 4 was not the first white man t	
the New Wo	orld. The Vikings ca	me to Canada b	efore him, by way of Green with the Inuits, the nati	land. They
			use they used it as 'money' in	

# 4. True/false sentences

A 1,00	00 word level true/false test (Nation, 199.
	if a sentence is true. Write N if it is not true. Vunderstand the sentence.
2. 3.	We cut time into minutes, hours and days.  Some children call their mother Mama.  All the world is under water.  When you keep asking, you ask once.

# 5. Vocabulary Depth test



# 6. Definition Completion

A definition completion test (Read, 1995)

Choose one word from the list on the right to complete the sentence. Do not use the same word twice.

	faint
1. A journey straight to a place is	acute
2. An illness that is very serious is	common
3. A river that is very wide is	bare
4. Part of your body that is not covered by any clothes is	alien
5. Something that happens often is	broad
	direct

#### 7. A Sensitive Multiple Choice Test

A sensitive multiple-choice test (Joe, 1994)

Circle the choice that best gives the meaning of the underlined word.

chronic means

- a. lasting for a long time
- b. dissatisfied
- c. to greatly decrease
- d. effective and harmless
- e. don't know

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#### 8. A Translation Test

A translation test	(Nurweni	and	Read,	1999)
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Translate the underlined words into your first language.

- 1. You can see how the town has <u>developed</u>.
- 2. I cannot say much about his character.
- 3. Her idea is a very good one.
- 4. I want to hear only the facts.

#### 9. Self-evaluation Checklist

adviser ghastly	_	moisten _ patiful _
contord		profess _
implore		stourge _
morlorn	10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 -	discard _