

## 1000 Basic English Words (Book 4)

### Unit 1 Word List

| Number | Word        | Part of Speech | Meaning  | Example   |
|--------|-------------|----------------|--|---|
| 721    | awful       | adj.           | very bad   | Sam was not proud of the awful smell coming from his shoes.       |
| 722    | crazy       | adj.           | very strange   | Susan's hair looks really crazy, and she has an interview today!  |
| 723    | huge        | adj.           | very large   | I will give you a million dollars if you eat this huge hamburger. |
| 724    | moment      | n.             | a short period of time                                   | I mixed the vegetables and then fried them for a few moments.     |
| 725    | odd         | adj.           | strange or different                                     | Lewis's choice of hair color is quite odd.                        |
| 726    | pour        | v.             | to fill a container with something to drink              | Please pour some water for me. I do not want any ice.             |
| 727    | regret      | v.             | to feel sorry about something that you did or did not do | She regrets missing the last bus home. It was a big mistake.      |
| 728    | steal       | v.             | to take something without someone saying you can         | We do not share our food with our cat, but she tries to steal it. |
| 729    | thief       | n.             | someone who steals                                       | Lucy saw a thief trying to climb into her neighbor's window.      |
| 730    | tough       | adj.           | strong   | Max was the toughest man in our village.                          |
| 731    | chance      | n.             | an opportunity to do something                           | Mia and Phil got the chance to go on a European adventure.        |
| 732    | extra       | adj.           | more than is usual                                       | I have added extra cheese to make the pasta taste better.         |
| 733    | hall        | n.             | a large open space in a building                         | It was possible to have a large party in the grand hall.          |
| 734    | immediately | adv.           | right away   | The workers came immediately after the accident.                  |
| 735    | intend      | v.             | to want or plan to do                                    | For good health, she intends to eat several carrots every day.    |

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| 736 | mention  | v.   | to talk or write about something, often quickly       | Jude forgot to mention that he had to leave class early.          |
| 737 | reaction | n.   | the way someone acts or feels after something happens | It was a mistake to tell Jim the news. His reaction was very bad. |
| 738 | score    | v.   | to win a point in a game                              | Jose scored the winning goal at last night's game.                |
| 739 | search   | v.   | to look for   | Alex searched the sky for the cause of the noise.                 |
| 740 | worse    | adj. | more terrible than other things                       | There is nothing worse than cleaning the floor.                   |

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### Unit 2 Word List

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|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| 741    | bit      | n.             | a small piece or amount                            | I broke the chocolate into bits so I could share it with my friends. |
| 742    | common   | adj.           | usual; happening or seen often                     | Colds are quite common in the winter.                                |
| 743    | diet     | n.             | the food that someone usually eats                 | I intend to have a healthier diet by eating more fruit.              |
| 744    | evidence | n.             | something that shows something else is true        | The police found evidence that Chris was the thief.                  |
| 745    | fit      | adj.           | strong and healthy                                 | They stay fit by running whenever possible.                          |
| 746    | limit    | v.             | to keep at a low level or keep from getting larger | She has little money and must limit how much she spends.             |
| 747    | physical | adj.           | of the body  | Playing sports is a good way to get physical exercise.               |
| 748    | poison   | n.             | something that can make you sick if eaten or drunk | The symbol on the bottle says that it is poison.                     |
| 749    | sale     | n.             | the act of selling something for money             | There is a nice house for sale in my neighborhood.                   |
| 750    | type     | n.             | a kind or variety                                  | Bakeries usually sell several different types of bread.              |
| 751    | amount   | n.             | how much there is of something                     | Make sure to use the right amount of oil to fry the food.            |
| 752    | cure     | n.             | something that makes sick people better            | The new cure made John feel better almost immediately.               |
| 753    | disease  | n.             | a sickness   | A disease made the tree's leaves turn brown.                         |

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| 754 | medical   | adj. | of medicine; treating people who are sick or hurt     | If you often have awful headaches, you should get medical help. |
| 755 | necessary | adj. | needed  | When getting ready for a trip, take only what is necessary.     |
| 756 | produce   | v.   | to make or cause                                      | Cars produce a lot of problems for the environment.             |
| 757 | reduce    | v.   | to make smaller in size, number, or amount            | The store has reduced its prices on everything.                 |
| 758 | serious   | adj. | having important or dangerous possible results        | We saw a serious car accident this afternoon.                   |
| 759 | source    | n.   | a person or thing that gives what is wanted or needed | This river is the main source of water for many animals.        |
| 760 | supply    | v.   | to give someone something so they can use it          | My father supplies carrots to a restaurant in our town.         |

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### Unit 3 Word List

| Number | Word       | Part of Speech | Meaning   | Example   |
|--------|------------|----------------|---|---|
| 761    | castle     | n.             | a large home where a king or queen usually lives        | Jim learned that it was common to find huge castles in the past.  |
| 762    | decision   | n.             | a choice  | Tim made the decision to eat the carrots to be healthier.         |
| 763    | empire     | n.             | a kingdom   | The Roman Empire included several hundred towns and cities.       |
| 764    | explore    | v.             | to look at something in a careful way to learn about it | The woman, who is alone, loves to explore nature.                 |
| 765    | flight     | n.             | a trip on an airplane                                   | Max and Shelly shared a flight to Mexico City last summer.        |
| 766    | guard      | v.             | to watch in order to protect                            | Our dog Rover is guarding the house at the moment.                |
| 767    | incredible | adj.           | very good   | This book mentions how incredible the beaches are in Hawaii.      |
| 768    | serve      | v.             | to give someone food in a restaurant or at home         | They serve many types of food at this restaurant.                 |
| 769    | skin       | n.             | the outer part that covers humans and animals           | For beautiful skin, a healthy diet and good habits are necessary. |
| 770    | southern   | adj.           | being in or toward the south                            | The man regretted not visiting southern California last summer.   |
| 771    | admire     | v.             | to like and think good things about others              | I admire my mother more than anyone else.                         |
| 772    | ancient    | adj.           | very old  | This city in Peru is evidence of an ancient culture.              |
| 773    | attractive | adj.           | looking or sounding nice                                | Jess is looking for an attractive dress for her party.            |
| 774    | giant      | adj.           | very large  | They had the chance to ride on a giant elephant at the zoo.       |
| 775    | pack       | v.             | to put items into a bag or suitcase to take somewhere   | She needs to limit the items she is packing in her suitcase.      |

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| 776 | prefer  | v. | to like something more than something else               | Gabby prefers to eat fresh fruit instead of junk food.              |
| 777 | rent    | v. | to pay money to use a thing that belongs to someone else | They rent a nice house for a small amount of money.                 |
| 778 | respect | v. | to think someone is special and important                | It is necessary to respect your teachers by listening during class. |
| 779 | view    | v. | to look at or watch something                            | Ron viewed the odd artwork in the museum.                           |
| 780 | wave    | v. | to move your hand to say hello or goodbye                | He waved goodbye to his parents before going back to college.       |

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### Unit 4 Word List

| Number | Word      | Part of Speech | Meaning   | Example   |
|--------|-----------|----------------|---|---|
| 781    | base      | v.             | to use as the starting point for something          | This incredible show was based on a story by a famous writer.   |
| 782    | character | n.             | a person in a book or movie                         | The main character in my favorite TV show is a very small girl. |
| 783    | clever    | adj.           | very smart  | Sasha's cat is very clever. It can use the computer!            |
| 784    | enemy     | n.             | someone who hates you                               | Helen and I used to be friends, but she is my enemy now.        |
| 785    | length    | n.             | how long something is from one end to the other     | She wants to know the length of the piece of wood.              |
| 786    | promise   | v.             | to tell someone that you will do something for sure | Rodney promised not to tell Connie's secret.                    |
| 787    | quality   | n.             | how good or bad something is                        | Sam makes attractive clothes of good quality.                   |
| 788    | regularly | adv.           | often   | He regularly helps his dad put away the clean towels.           |
| 789    | survive   | v.             | to stay alive                                       | Lost in the forest, Bob survived by living like ancient humans. |
| 790    | title     | n.             | a name of something like a book or movie            | The title of her book is "The Ancient Castle."                  |
| 791    | adult     | n.             | someone who is fully grown                          | The adult I respect the most is my mother.                      |

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| 792 | classic  | adj. | of good quality and popular for a long time | Jason enjoys driving classic cars. He owns several of them.        |
| 793 | desert   | v.   | to leave a place so it is empty             | They deserted the building after the terrible fire.                |
| 794 | discover | v.   | to find                                     | She is trying to discover a cure for a serious disease.            |
| 795 | female   | adj. | being a girl or woman                       | Mrs. Jennings prefers to visit a female doctor.                    |
| 796 | flow     | v.   | to move like water                          | This river flows from east to west.                                |
| 797 | mystery  | n.   | something strange and not understood        | That strange light in the forest is a mystery.                     |
| 798 | opinion  | n.   | a belief about something                    | It is just my opinion, but this store is the best one in the mall. |
| 799 | pleasure | n.   | a feeling of happiness                      | She finds pleasure in lying in the field and looking at the sky.   |
| 800 | publish  | v.   | to make books or magazines for sale         | The group worked together to publish the story.                    |

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### Unit 5 Word List

| Number | Word      | Part of Speech | Meaning   | Example  |
|--------|-----------|----------------|---|--|
| 801    | cough     | v.             | to force air out through your throat, often when sick | Christine usually coughs a lot when she is sick.               |
| 802    | crowd     | n.             | a large group of people                               | The crowd found pleasure in watching a really great game.      |
| 803    | curious   | adj.           | wanting to know about something                       | Tim was curious to see what was inside the attractive red box. |
| 804    | disappear | v.             | not to be seen or found                               | Jacob's picture will disappear when it starts to rain.         |
| 805    | edge      | n.             | the part of something where it ends or starts         | Susan stood at the edge of the cliff and looked down.          |
| 806    | guide     | n.             | someone who directs others on a trip                  | Our guide in Paris showed us many incredible places.           |
| 807    | local     | adj.           | from the place where you live                         | We prefer to buy our food from the local market.               |
| 808    | machine   | n.             | something that does work using moving parts           | She put a small amount of clothes into the washing machine.    |
| 809    | native    | n.             | a person who was born or grew up in a certain place   | Maya is a native of a city in southern Michigan.               |
| 810    | smoke     | n.             | the cloud of gases that is made by fire               | Thick black smoke rose from the burning truck.                 |
| 811    | avenue    | n.             | a wide street   | We will go down this avenue for a few blocks before turning.   |

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| 812 | expect   | v.   | to think something is likely to happen                    | It is cloudy, so Tim expects it to rain.                    |
| 813 | explain  | v.   | to make something easy to understand                      | They explained their opinions about the plan to their boss. |
| 814 | rub      | v.   | to press with the fingers and move them from side to side | Kate rubbed lotion onto her baby's skin.                    |
| 815 | shine    | v.   | to produce bright light                                   | The sun shines through the trees every morning.             |
| 816 | strength | n.   | great physical power                                      | Rocco trains hard to build his strength and stay healthy.   |
| 817 | suggest  | v.   | to say that something is good or a good idea              | She asked him to suggest a medicine for her cough.          |
| 818 | tour     | n.   | a journey to see several places                           | We went on a tour of England and saw many famous places.    |
| 819 | western  | adj. | of or from the west                                       | It is a mystery why this western town is deserted.          |
| 820 | wheel    | n.   | something round which moves by turning                    | The wheels on our car needed a bit more air.                |

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### Unit 6 Word List

| Number | Word       | Part of Speech | Meaning   | Example   |
|--------|------------|----------------|---|---|
| 821    | cloth      | n.             | something used to make clothes                    | This store has a lot of good-quality cloth for sale.            |
| 822    | equal      | adj.           | of the same size or number                        | We cut the cake into equal pieces.                              |
| 823    | fail       | v.             | not to succeed                                    | Simon regretted not working hard when he failed the test.       |
| 824    | false      | adj.           | not true  | He thought the story was based on fact, but it was false.       |
| 825    | goods      | n.             | things which are made and sold                    | She found many goods at the local market.                       |
| 826    | increase   | v.             | to make bigger or more                            | As time passed, the tree increased in size.                     |
| 827    | penny      | n.             | a coin equal to one cent in the US                | She has saved a lot of pennies to buy a new toy.                |
| 828    | separate   | v.             | not to be joined                                  | Kelly separated the bottles into different types for recycling. |
| 829    | total      | n.             | the number of everything counted                  | There is a total of three fruits: two oranges and one apple.    |
| 830    | wrap       | v.             | to cover with something                           | Marisa promised to wrap Katy's gift before the party.           |
| 831    | appreciate | v.             | to understand the importance of a person or thing | Everyone appreciates Ted's hard work on the project.            |
| 832    | avoid      | v.             | to stay away from                                 | Sarah avoided Sam so she did not have to talk to him.           |
| 833    | convenient | adj.           | easy to do and time-saving                        | The local stores stay open all night, which is very convenient. |

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| 834 | customer     | n.   | someone who buys goods or services from a store    | Mark explains the difference between the items to his customer.       |
| 835 | destroy      | v.   | to cause something to end or not be of use anymore | We did not expect the road to be destroyed in the storm.              |
| 836 | disappointed | adj. | unhappy because something is not as you expected   | Her father was disappointed that she had failed her exams.            |
| 837 | medium       | adj. | of a size between big and small                    | Most customers prefer the medium-sized cakes at Kara's bakery.        |
| 838 | pattern      | n.   | colors or shapes which are repeated on something   | They prefer paper with a simple pattern to cover their bedroom walls. |
| 839 | trick        | v.   | to make someone believe something that is not true | Jenny tricked me when she put salt in my coffee.                      |
| 840 | value        | n.   | how much something costs                           | The value of houses has increased by ten percent this year.           |

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### Unit 7 Word List

| Number | Word      | Part of Speech | Meaning  | Example  |
|--------|-----------|----------------|--|--|
| 841    | beat      | v.             | to win a game or contest over someone else       | Michelle regularly beat her husband at the video game.               |
| 842    | conduct   | v.             | to organize and do an event or activity          | The experiment John conducted produced unexpected results.           |
| 843    | confident | adj.           | believing that you are able to do something well | We are confident that we can increase our test scores.               |
| 844    | lead      | v.             | to show people the way to go                     | The tour guide is leading the people to the castle.                  |
| 845    | lift      | v.             | to move to a higher place                        | To develop his strength, Ralph lifted weights every day.             |
| 846    | male      | adj.           | being a man or boy                               | Mr. Garcia was the first male teacher I had ever had.                |
| 847    | muscle    | n.             | a body part that works to move arms and legs     | Matt exercises his muscles for a total of three hours a day.         |
| 848    | speed     | n.             | how fast something moves                         | He was disappointed that his speed was too slow for him to win.      |
| 849    | stretch   | v.             | to pull or move until tight                      | Heather stretches her legs before her dance class begins.            |
| 850    | trouble   | n.             | a problem or difficulty                          | Drivers had trouble seeing the other cars on the avenue.             |
| 851    | captain   | n.             | a person who is the leader of a team             | Anton is the captain of our soccer team this year.                   |
| 852    | challenge | n.             | something that is difficult to do                | It is a challenge for Shelly to wake up early, so she is often late. |
| 853    | complete  | v.             | to finish something                              | Sally completed her work carefully to avoid any mistakes.            |

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| 854 | encourage | v. | to help someone feel confident                          | The teacher encouraged her student to continue writing her story.        |
| 855 | noon      | n. | 12 o'clock in the daytime                               | The next class starts at noon and ends at 2:00 p.m.                      |
| 856 | position  | n. | the place where a person or thing is                    | Jen's position near the front of the room allows her to hear well.       |
| 857 | race      | n. | a contest to decide who is the fastest                  | It is necessary for everyone to begin the race together.                 |
| 858 | record    | n. | the highest or best result ever in an activity          | He held the record as the first person to climb this mountain.           |
| 859 | skill     | n. | the ability to do something well                        | It takes a bit of skill to wrap a gift well. Jenny is really good at it. |
| 860 | wing      | n. | one of the body parts that birds and insects use to fly | The bird could not fly because it had a broken wing.                     |

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### Unit 8 Word List

| Number | Word       | Part of Speech | Meaning   | Example  |
|--------|------------|----------------|---|--|
| 861    | certain    | adj.           | believing something strongly                            | Sally is certain her customers will enjoy her food.              |
| 862    | discuss    | v.             | to talk with someone about something                    | The students discussed their troubles with their teacher.        |
| 863    | edit       | v.             | to look at something carefully and correct any mistakes | Pamela had not expected that she would need to edit her story.   |
| 864    | gather     | v.             | to bring things or people together                      | My family usually gathers on my grandfather's birthday.          |
| 865    | image      | n.             | a picture   | Gail is confident that she can draw realistic images of clothes. |
| 866    | material   | n.             | something needed to do an activity                      | It was a challenge to gather all the materials for my art class. |
| 867    | positive   | adj.           | thinking good things                                    | Positive students can complete work quickly and easily.          |
| 868    | role       | n.             | a part or job someone has in an activity or event       | Laura was respected for her role as team captain.                |
| 869    | screen     | n.             | the part of a computer that shows images and words      | The man touched the screen to check his email.                   |
| 870    | technology | n.             | any type of useful machine invented by science          | Mrs. Jensen encouraged her students to use technology.           |

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| 871 | attack     | v.   | to try to hurt physically or say hurtful things | When the computer stopped working, Sheryl wanted to attack it!     |
| 872 | available  | adj. | able to be used                                 | There are seats available in the back for people who are late.     |
| 873 | career     | n.   | what a person does for his or her job           | You can choose any career you want. There are so many!             |
| 874 | connect    | v.   | to join something with something else           | Marvin connects a big screen to his dad's computer.                |
| 875 | dictionary | n.   | a book that gives definitions of words          | Dictionaries are helpful for finding the spelling of words.        |
| 876 | handle     | v.   | to deal with a person or thing                  | Lisa is good at leading people. She knows how to handle them.      |
| 877 | major      | adj. | very important; very serious                    | Losing the key to our car was a major problem.                     |
| 878 | provide    | v.   | to offer or give                                | Ms. Clark provides extra help to weaker students after school.     |
| 879 | section    | n.   | a part of something                             | We can eat in this section of the park. Do you see the tables?     |
| 880 | site       | n.   | a spot or place, usually on the Internet        | There are several million sites on the Internet which sell things. |

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### Unit 9 Word List

| Number | Word      | Part of Speech | Meaning   | Example  |
|--------|-----------|----------------|---|--|
| 881    | accept    | v.             | to take or receive                                    | Polly and Steven gladly accepted the key to their new home.        |
| 882    | consider  | v.             | to think about carefully                              | Christine has to consider what career she wants very carefully.    |
| 883    | exist     | v.             | to be   | These animals existed a long time ago. They are not alive now.     |
| 884    | familiar  | adj.           | commonly known or seen                                | The man looked familiar to the women gathered at the other table.  |
| 885    | joy       | n.             | great happiness                                       | The role of mother brings Molly great joy.                         |
| 886    | married   | adj.           | being a husband or wife                               | They got married last Saturday. It was a beautiful event.          |
| 887    | rather    | adv.           | used to say what you prefer to do or have             | Gloria would rather paint her nails than do her homework.          |
| 888    | represent | v.             | to be a symbol for something                          | The sign represents which toilet is for women.                     |
| 889    | root      | n.             | the cause of something                                | The root of their fight was a computer. They would not share it.   |
| 890    | society   | n.             | a group of people living in a community               | Tall buildings and heavy traffic are common in our modern society. |
| 891    | band      | n.             | a group that plays music                              | Everyone in this band is male. There are no women or girls.        |
| 892    | fortune   | n.             | a large amount of money                               | Jack earned a fortune from the new technology he developed.        |
| 893    | guest     | n.             | a person who spends time at another's home            | Margaret had guests at her house at noon for lunch.                |
| 894    | host      | n.             | a person who accepts guests into a home or restaurant | The host prepared a lot of delicious food for his guests.          |

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| 895 | original | adj. | made or produced for the first time; new                     | Students are encouraged to create original pieces of art.            |
| 896 | peace    | n.   | when people live together well and do not cause trouble      | We all respect each other and live in peace in the community.        |
| 897 | poem     | n.   | a type of writing which often uses rhymes like make and bake | Jenna writes and edits her poems in the park near her school.        |
| 898 | sense    | v.   | to know something without having evidence that it is true    | The man sensed that someone was behind him.                          |
| 899 | trust    | v.   | to have confidence in a person or thing                      | Rita trusted her nurse and enjoyed discussing her problems with her. |
| 900 | wealthy  | adj. | having a large amount of money                               | The wealthy businessman owns an airplane and an expensive car.       |

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### Unit 10 Word List

| Number | Word       | Part of Speech | Meaning   | Example   |
|--------|------------|----------------|---|---|
| 901    | blood      | n.             | the red liquid in your body                             | Once a month, Ryan gives blood during his lunch break.            |
| 902    | business   | n.             | something that makes money by selling goods or services | Gus's business in the rich section of town will make a fortune.   |
| 903    | electronic | adj.           | relating to things that use electricity                 | Stop using any electronic items when the plane is taking off .    |
| 904    | influence  | n.             | the power to affect a person or thing                   | Art has had a positive influence on Jennifer's career choice.     |
| 905    | master     | v.             | to become very skilled at something                     | Bob feels great joy when he masters new skills on his skateboard. |
| 906    | pity       | n.             | feeling sorry for another person or animal              | Abigail felt pity for her mother after she lost her job.          |
| 907    | press      | n.             | all the people and groups who provide the news          | The press reported on the event conducted by the city police.     |
| 908    | shoot      | v.             | to make one thing come out of another at a fast speed   | The children like to shoot water at one another on hot days.      |
| 909    | signal     | v.             | to communicate by making a sign or sound                | The guide signaled for us to follow her through the park.         |

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| 910 | teenager | n.   | a person between the ages of thirteen and nineteen  | Many parents do not trust teenagers to be able to make decisions. |
| 911 | achieve  | v.   | to get something by working hard                    | Ray achieved excellent grades in college.                         |
| 912 | beg      | v.   | to ask for something again and again                | Lucy begged her mother for a new toy, but her mother said no.     |
| 913 | control  | v.   | to be in charge of a person or thing                | The two wealthy men controlled a business empire.                 |
| 914 | debate   | v.   | to exchange opinions about a topic                  | The students debated their roles before coming to a decision.     |
| 915 | improve  | v.   | to get better at something                          | The girls' plan was to practice every day in order to improve.    |
| 916 | similar  | adj. | almost the same                                     | The sisters look quite similar, but you can tell the difference.  |
| 917 | soldier  | n.   | a person who trains to fight for his or her country | Soldiers were called in to help people who were in danger.        |
| 918 | system   | n.   | a group of parts that move or work together         | You need to have the right skills to handle this computer system. |
| 919 | war      | n.   | fighting between two countries or groups            | The men fought in the war for several years before it ended.      |
| 920 | warn     | v.   | to tell someone to be careful                       | Evan did not see the sign warning people about the wet floor.     |

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### Unit 11 Word List

| Number | Word        | Part of Speech | Meaning   | Example   |
|--------|-------------|----------------|---|---|
| 921    | announce    | v.             | to make something known to many people              | The press has announced the birth of the baby princess.                 |
| 922    | bottom      | n.             | the lowest point of something                       | The man found two major problems on the bottom of my car.               |
| 923    | compete     | v.             | to try to be better or faster than another          | The boys competed to see who would win the race.                        |
| 924    | copy        | v.             | to make or do the same thing as something else      | In the office, Rachel copies papers with a machine.                     |
| 925    | exhibit     | n.             | something shown in a museum or for an event         | Lois and her friends were viewing art exhibits at the museum.           |
| 926    | print       | v.             | to produce words or images on paper using a machine | Some businesses make their fortune printing things for others.          |
| 927    | project     | n.             | a planned piece of work that takes time to finish   | The teenagers worked together on their history project.                 |
| 928    | proper      | adj.           | correct or right                                    | The proper way to recycle is to separate the different items.           |
| 929    | select      | v.             | to choose   | Ben selected one of the available images on the screen.                 |
| 930    | sheet       | n.             | a piece of flat material like paper                 | I prefer to write on sheets of paper. I do not trust electronic things. |
| 931    | concentrate | v.             | to put all your energy on one thing                 | Nolan concentrated on the game and considered his next move.            |

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| 932 | maximum   | adj. | greatest possible  | The police officer warned Kay about the maximum speed limit. |
| 933 | prize     | n.   | something you get for winning                              | Rashid received a prize for achieving the best test scores.  |
| 934 | require   | v.   | to have to; to be necessary to do                          | You are required to pay money to leave your car here.        |
| 935 | research  | v.   | to study something carefully and try to discover new facts | Doctors have been researching cures for many diseases.       |
| 936 | respond   | v.   | to answer  | Hanna responded to Jim's question on her cell phone.         |
| 937 | spell     | v.   | to write or say the letters of a word                      | They spelled the word "team" with their bodies.              |
| 938 | state     | v.   | to say something   | Anna stated that she was happy with her new job.             |
| 939 | structure | n.   | something that is built                                    | People debate who built this ancient structure.              |
| 940 | tool      | n.   | anything used to do a job                                  | Mr. Taylor has a lot of tools similar to these at his home.  |

## 1000 Basic English Words (Book 4)

### Unit 12 Word List

| Number | Word      | Part of Speech | Meaning   | Example  |
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| 941    | flood     | n.             | a great amount of water over land that is usually dry     | The awful flood destroyed several structures in our town.              |
| 942    | gentle    | adj.           | not mean or unkind  | The farmers required that children be gentle with their animals.       |
| 943    | melt      | v.             | to change into liquid                                     | Be careful! Your ice cream is melting. You should eat it fast!         |
| 944    | operate   | v.             | to use or make something work                             | Cody operates this huge machine on his grandparents' farm.             |
| 945    | recognize | v.             | to know a person or thing because it is familiar          | Sally recognized some of the things she saw from the train.            |
| 946    | remain    | v.             | to stay in one place                                      | It was windy, but Eve's hat remained on her head.                      |
| 947    | task      | n.             | work  | His mom showed him how to complete the task the proper way.            |
| 948    | various   | adj.           | of different kinds  | We planted various flowers in front of our house this spring.          |
| 949    | waste     | v.             | to use too much of something                              | Do not waste water. Turn it off when you are not using it.             |
| 950    | worth     | adj.           | having a value in money                                   | This car is worth a fortune. I do not think we will be able to buy it. |
| 951    | climate   | n.             | the weather of a place                                    | She hated the cold climate in the northern part of the country.        |
| 952    | emergency | n.             | a sudden, serious event when people need help immediately | People drive at maximum speed to get help during an emergency.         |
| 953    | factory   | n.             | a building that produces goods                            | This factory is the root of the air problem in the area.               |

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| 954 | freeze      | v.   | to turn into ice  | It was so cold that the lake froze all the way to the bottom.    |
| 955 | population  | n.   | the total number of people or animals living in a place | The population of penguins has dropped rather than increased.    |
| 956 | recently    | adv. | not long ago  | We recently put these plants in pots for our class project.      |
| 957 | responsible | adj. | able to act correctly and make good decisions           | We let Alan borrow our tools because he is a responsible person. |
| 958 | storm       | n.   | a bad weather event with a lot of rain, wind, or snow   | The two men hurried to go inside during the storm.               |
| 959 | stream      | n.   | a very small river                                      | The man ran through the cool water of the stream.                |
| 960 | temperature | n.   | how hot or cold a person or thing is                    | When Cassie is sick, her temperature rises.                      |