Glossary

Unit 1

experience *n* something that has happened to you **space** *n* the place far away from the world, where all the planets and stars are

international *adj* between different countries train v to make yourself ready for something

unbelievable *adj* very surprising or unusual

Earth n our world; the planet we live on

completely *adv* in every way; fully

weightless adj without any heaviness

companion n a person who is with another person; a friend

enthusiastic *adj* liking something very much grow up v to change from a child to an adult sightseeing n visiting interesting places trip n a short journey to a place

Unit 2

blind adj not able to see

sight *n* the power to see

decision *n* a choice that you make after thinking

teenager n a person who is between the ages of 13 and 19

college n a place where people go to study after high school

history *n* all the things that happened in the past

guide *n* a person who shows people where to go

cliff *n* the straight side of a high hill or mountain

distant adj far away

desperate *adj* without hope; ready to do anything to get what you want

attempt v to try

believe v to feel sure that something is true

gift *n* something you can do well or easily; natural ability

countryside *n* land with farms and forests that is away from towns

state *n* a part of a country

carriage *n* a kind of car that is pulled by horses

electricity *n* the power that comes through wires and makes heat, light, and other things work

simply *adv* in a plain, basic way

custom *n* something that a group of people usually does

avoid v to stay away from something or someone

basket *n* a container used to carry or hold things

sew v to make clothes by hand or with a machine

bake v to cook foods like bread, cakes, and cookies **frozen** *adj* unchanging

consider v to think carefully about something

simple *adj* without a lot of different parts or extra things; plain

Unit 4

tiger n a wild animal like a big cat; it is yellow and black

shy *adj* afraid to talk to people you do not know

principal n a person who is the head of a school

responsibility *n* something that you must do

expect v to think that someone will do something

however conj but

test *n* a group of questions which measures how much someone knows

disappointed *adj* sad because what you wanted did not happen

tough adj difficult

competition *n* a game or test that people try to win **proud** *adj* pleased about something that you or others have done

forever adv for all time

city n a big, important town

solve v to find the answer to a problem

collect v to take things from different places and put them together

building material *n* what you use for building a house, like wood or stone

tire n the round, black part of a car wheel

dirt *n* black stuff from the ground

consist of v to be made of something

mud n soft, wet dirt

extremely adv very

since conj because

earthquake *n* a sudden, strong shaking of the ground

couple *n* two people who are married

bury v to put something under the ground

delighted *adj* very pleased or happy

Unit 6

ocean n a very big sea

rough adj not calm or gentle

wave n one of the lines of water that move across the top of the sea

shore *n* the land next to the sea or ocean

hold on v to keep something in your hand

exhausted adj very tired

weak adj not strong

drown v to die underwater because you cannot swim

horrible adj very bad; scary

whole adj all

any longer adv no more

rise v to go up

fortunate adj lucky

survive v to continue to live after a difficult or dangerous time

according to prep as someone or something says

mention v to speak a little about something

professor n a teacher at a university

professional *adj* doing something as a job for money

earn v to get money by working

freedom *n* being free

tester n a person who tries something to see if it works well

hobby n something that you like doing when you are not working

at present adv now

though adv however

delicious adj very good to eat

boss *n* the person at work who tells the other workers what to do

opportunity *n* a time when you can do something that you want to do; a chance

Unit 8

imagine ν to make a picture of something in your head

rare *adj* if something is rare, you do not find or see it often

else adv different; other

habit *n* something that you do very often

at least adv not less than

be fond of v to like something or someone a lot

regular adj happening again and again

light adj not heavy

as a result *adv* because of something

bone n one of the hard white parts inside the bodyrush v to do something quickly

tie *n* something that holds people together

heart attack n a sudden, dangerous illness when your heart stops working

character n a person in a book or film

creator n a person who makes something new

surrounding adj being all around something

magic n something that makes strange or impossible things happen

misfortune *n* something bad that happens; bad luck

marriage n the time when two people are husband and wife

break up v to end a relationship such as a marriage

depressed adj very unhappy

all at once *adv* suddenly

cafe n a place where you can have a drink and something small to eat

receive v to get something from someone

shelf *n* a long, flat piece of wood on a wall, where things like books can stand

Unit 10

especially adv more than usual

particularly *adv* especially; more than others

develop v to work on something and make it more complete

life-size *adj* as big as a real person or thing

routine adj regular; usual; not special

sofa n a long soft seat for more than one person

hang v to attach from above; put on a wall

apartment *n* a group of rooms for living in, in a larger building

advantage n something that helps you or is useful

behave ν to act in a particular way with other people

annoy ν to make someone a little angry

frequently adv often

apart adv away from each other

copy n a thing that is made to look the same as something else

advertisement n information that tells you to buy something

ugly adj not beautiful

level *n* a particular standard or quantity

human adj of or like people, not animals

hire v to pay someone to do a job for you

forehead *n* the part of your face above your eyes

attractive adj nice to look at; pleasing; not ugly

local *adj* of a place near you

club *n* a place where young people meet at night to listen to music

opinion n what you think about something cash n money

later on adv at a later time

Unit 12

confused *adj* not able to think clearly

uncertain adj not sure

eager adj wanting to do something very much

fortune *n* success; good luck; a lot of money

designer n a person who draws things to show how something will be made

give up v to stop trying

draw v to make a picture with a pencil

design *n* a drawing that shows how to make something

prepare v to get something ready

detail n one of the very small parts that make the whole of something

needle n a small thin piece of metal with a hole that you use to make clothes

material *n* something like cotton that you use for making clothes

traditional adj following or using customs that have not changed for a long time

pet n an animal that you keep in your home

disaster n something very bad that happens and that may hurt a lot of people

by accident adv by chance; not planned

faucet n a thing that you turn in your bathroom or kitchen to make water come out

ceiling n the part of a room over your head

basement *n* the part of a building that is under the ground

meanwhile *adv* at the same time as something else is happening

stove n the thing that you use in a kitchen for cooking food

flame n a hot, bright piece of fire

injure v to hurt

repair ν to fix; to make something that is broken good again

forgive v to stop being angry at someone for a bad thing that he or she did

Unit 14

block *n* a big, heavy piece of something, with flat sides

mind n the part of you that thinks and remembers

trap v to keep someone in a place that he or she cannot escape from

separate ν to keep people or things away from each other

chest *n* the front part of your body below your shoulders and above your stomach

freeze v to become very cold and hard, like ice

encourage ν to give someone hope or help so that they can do something

sign n a thing with writing or a picture on it that tells you something

break open ν to make something go into pieces by hitting it

over adv finished

recover v to get well again after you have been sick

dull *adj* not interesting or exciting

occasionally adv sometimes, but not often

silly adj stupid; not clever or smart

amazing adj very surprising

research n a careful studying of something to find out more about it

effect n a change that happens because of something

light *n* light helps people see things; it comes from the sun, fire, and electricity

suggest *v* to say what you think should or will happen

absent adj not there; away

use *n* what you can do with something

electric *adj* using electricity to make something work

advise v to tell someone what you think they should do

energy n the ability to do many things without getting tired

cause v to make something happen

curtain *n* a piece of material that covers a window

Unit 16

paint v to make a picture with wet colors

painting n a picture that you make with wet colors

feeling n something that you feel inside yourself or in your heart, like happiness

would rather v to prefer

artist n a person who paints or draws pictures

sensitive *adj* careful about your own and other people's feelings

cruel adj unkind or hurtful

laboratory *n* a special room where scientists work

situation n the things that are happening at a certain place or time

tool *n* a thing that you use to do a special job

upside-down *adv* with the top part at the bottom

paint *n* wet colors that you use to make a picture

invention n a thing that someone has made for the first time

invent v to make or think of something new

soap *n* something that you use with water for washing or cleaning

fresh adj made a short time ago

tiny adj very small

contact v to talk to someone by phone, e-mail, etc.

perfect adj very good, with nothing wrong

jacket n a short coat

control *n* the part of a machine that you move to make it work

season *n* a part of the year like summer or winter

gas *n* anything that is like air; for example, oxygen

float v to move slowly in the air

in case *conj* because something might happen

Unit 18

shock *n* a very bad surprise

neighborhood *n* a part of a town or city

rat *n* an animal with a long tail, like a big mouse

poison n something that can kill you if you eat or drink it

trap n a thing that you use for catching animals

keep on ν to do something many times

unsuspecting *adj* not thinking that something will happen

sharp adj strong and sudden

horrified adj surprised and scared

nasty adj bad; not nice

unconscious *adj* in a kind of sleep; not knowing what is happening

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