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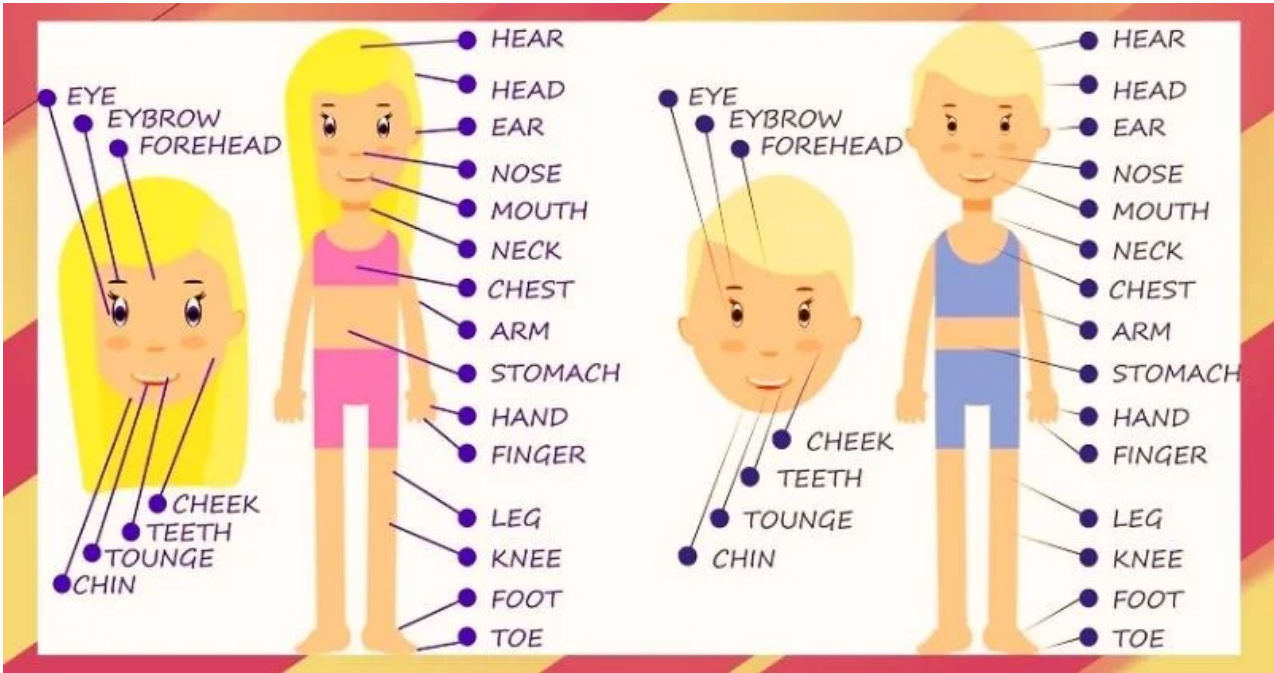
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In this article from Simply IELTS will gather the 500 most common words in English by topic and pictures to illustrate.

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1. Common English words about human body



Vocabulary about human body

Vocabulary	IPA
Beard	bɪəd
Belly	ˈbɛli
Body	ˈbɒdi
Cheek	tʃiːk
Chin	tʃɪn
Ear	ɪə
Eardrum	ˈɪədɾʌm
Earlobe	ˈɪələʊb
Eye	aɪ
Eyebrows	ˈaɪbrəʊz
Eyelash	ˈaɪlæʃ
Eyelid	ˈaɪlɪd
Face	feɪs
Feet	fiːt
Finger	ˈfɪŋgə
Forehead	ˈfɒrɪd
Freckles	ˈfrɛklz
Hair	heə
Hand	hænd
Head	hɛd
Jaw	dʒɔː
Legs	lɛgz
Lip	lɪp
Moustache	məs ˈtɑːʃ
Mouth	maʊθ

Neck	nɛk
Nose	nəʊz
Nostril	ˈnɒstrɪl
Teeth	tɪːθ
Toe	təʊ
Tongue	tʌŋ
Tooth	tuːθ
Wrinkles	ˈrɪŋklz
Arm	ɑːm
Armpit	ˈɑːmpɪt
Back	bæk
Belly button	ˈbɛlɪ ˈbʌtn
Chest	tʃɛst
Elbow	ˈɛlbəʊ
Finger	ˈfɪŋgə
Fingernail	ˈfɪŋgənɛɪl
Forearm	ˈfɔːrɑːm
Hand	hænd
Neck	nɛk
Palm	pɑːm
Shoulder	ˈʃəʊldə
Throat	θrəʊt
Thumb	θʌm
Waist	weɪst
Wrist	rɪst
Ankle	ˈæŋkl

Belly	ˈbɛli
Bottom	ˈbɒtəm
Buttocks	ˈbʌtəks
Calf	kɑːf
Feet	fiːt
Foot	fʊt
Heel	hiːl
Hip	hɪp
Knee	niː
Leg	lɛg
Thigh	θaɪ
Toe	təʊ
Toenail	ˈtəʊneɪl

Vocabulary about human body

2. English Vocabulary about personality

Here are the most common English words and phrases associated with personality



Vocabulary about personality

Vocabulary **IPA**

Active	ˈæktɪv
Adventurous	ədˈventʃərəs
Affectionate	əˈfekʃnɪt
Aggressive	əˈɡresɪv
Ambitious	æmˈbɪʃəs
Annoying	əˈnɔɪɪŋ
Anxious	ˈæŋkʃəs
Artistic	ɑːˈtɪstɪk
Bossy	ˈbɒsi
Brave	breɪv
Calm	kɑːm
Cautious	ˈkɔːʃəs
Charming	ˈtʃɑːmɪŋ
Cheerful	ˈtʃɪəfʊl
Compulsive	kəmˈpʌlsɪv
Confident	ˈkɒnfɪdənt
Conservative	kənˈsɜːvətɪv
Courageous	kəˈreɪdʒəs
Cowardly	ˈkaʊədli
Creative	kri(:)ˈeɪtɪv
Cruel	kruəl
Cynical	ˈsɪnɪkəl
Decisive	dɪˈsaɪsɪv
Determined	dɪˈtɜːmɪnd
Direct	dɪˈrekt

Domineering	ˌdɒmɪˈniəriŋ
Easygoing	ˈiːziˌɡəʊɪŋ
Emotional	ɪˈməʊʃənl
Enthusiastic	ɪnˌθjuːzɪˈæstɪk
Extroverted	ˈɛkstrəʊˌvɜːtɪd
Fearful	ˈfiəfʊl
Friendly	ˈfrendli
Funny	ˈfʌni
Generous	ˈdʒenərəs
Gentle	ˈdʒentl
Greedy	ˈɡriːdi
Gullible	ˈɡʌləbl
Happy	ˈhæpi
Honest	ˈɒnɪst
Imaginative	ɪˈmædʒɪnətɪv
Impatient	ɪmˈpeɪʃənt
Impulsive	ɪmˈpʌlsɪv
Independent	ˌɪndɪˈpendənt
Intelligent	ɪnˈtelɪdʒənt
Introverted	ˌɪntrəʊˌvɜːtɪd
Lazy	ˈleɪzi
Loyal	ˈlɔɪəl
Mean	miːn
Modest	ˈmɒdɪst
Moody	ˈmuːdi
Nervous	ˈnɜːvəs

Nice	naɪs
Obsessive	əb' sɛsɪv
Optimistic	ˌɒptɪ'mɪstɪk
Outgoing	aʊt'gəʊɪŋ
Patient	'peɪʃənt
Persistent	pə'sɪstənt
Pessimistic	ˌpɛsɪ'mɪstɪk
Pompous	'pɒmpəs
Practical	'præktɪkəl
Rational	'ræʃənəl
Reliable	rɪ'laɪəbl
Reserved	rɪ'zɜ:vəd
Ruthless	'ru:θlɪs
Sarcastic	sɑ:kæstɪk
Selfish	'selfɪʃ
Sensible	'sensəbl
Serious	'sɪəriəs
Shy	ʃaɪ
Sincere	sɪn'sɪə
Sociable	'səʊʃəbl
Stubborn	'stʌbən
Superficial	ˌsju:pə'fɪʃəl
Tactful	'tæktfʊl
Thoughtful	θɔ:tfʊl
Witty	'wɪti

3. Common Vocabulary about family

Another set of common English words related to family must be memorized



Common English Vocabulary about family

Vocabulary	IPA
Family	ˈfæmɪli
Father	ˈfɑːðə
Mother	ˈmʌðə
Son	sʌn
Daughter	ˈdɔːtə
Parent(s)	ˈpeərənt(ɪs)
Child	tʃaɪld
Children	ˈtʃɪldrən
Husband	ˈhʌzbənd
Wife	waɪf
Brother	ˈbrʌðə
Sister	ˈsɪstə
Uncle	ˈʌŋkl
Aunt	ɑːnt
Nephew	ˈnevju(ɪ)
Niece	nɪːs
Cousin	ˈkʌzn
Grandmother	ˈgræn , mʌðə
Grandfather	ˈgrænd , fɑːðə
Grandparents	ˈgræn , peərənts
Grandson	ˈgrænsʌn
Granddaughter	ˈgræn , dɔːtə
Grandchild	ˈgræntʃaɪld
Grandchildren	ˈgræntʃɪldrən
Partner	ˈpɑːtnə

Fiancé	fiˈænseɪ
Fiancée	fiˈænseɪ
Godfather	ˈɡɒdˌfɑːðə
Godmother	ˈɡɒdˌmʌðə
Godson	ˈɡɒdsʌn
Goddaughter	ˈɡɒdˌdɔːtə
Stepfather	ˈstepˌfɑːðə
Stepmother	ˈstepˌmʌðə
Stepson	ˈstepsʌn
Stepdaughter	ˈstepˌdɔːtə
Stepbrother	ˈstepˌbrʌðə
Stepsister	ˈstepˌsɪstə
Half-sister	ˈhaɪfˌsɪstə
Half-brother	ˈhaɪfˌbrʌðə
Mother-in-law	ˈmʌðərɪnlɔː
Father-in-law	ˈfɑːðərɪnlɔː
Son-in-law	ˈsʌnɪnlɔː
Daughter-in-law	ˈdɔːtərɪnlɔː
Sister-in-law	ˈsɪstərɪnlɔː
Brother-in-law	ˈbrʌðərɪnlɔː

Vocabulary about family

Related article:

- [IELTS Speaking Test Answers Family](#)
- [Giving presents as an important way to show care to family](#)

4. Most common English Vocabulary about profession

Top common English words about profession you must know:



Common English Vocabulary about profession

Vocabulary	IPA
Accountant	əˈkaʊntənt
Actor	ˈæktə
Actress	ˈæktɹɪs
Architect	ˈɑːkɪtekt
Astronomer	əsˈtrɒnəmə
Author	ˈɔːθə
Baker	ˈbeɪkə
Builder	ˈbɪldə
Bus driver	bʌsˈdraɪvə
Butcher	ˈbʊtʃə
Carpenter	ˈkɑːpɪntə
Chef/Cook	ʃef/kʊk
Dentist	ˈdentɪst
Designer	dɪˈzaɪnə
Doctor	ˈdɒktə
Dustman/Refuse collector	ˈdʌstmən/ˌrɪzˈfjuːz kəˈlektə
Electrician	ɪlekˈtrɪʃən
Engineer	ˌendʒɪˈniə
Factory worker	ˈfæktəriˈwɜːkə
Farmer	ˈfɑːmə
Fireman/Fire fighter	ˈfaɪəmən/ˈfaɪəˈfaɪtə
Fisherman	ˈfɪʃəmən
Florist	ˈflɒrɪst
Gardener	ˈgɑːdnə
Hairdresser	ˈheəˌdresə

Journalist	ˈdʒɜːnəlɪst
Judge	ˈdʒʌdʒ
Lawyer	ˈlɔːjə
Lecturer	ˈlektʃərə
Librarian	laɪ ˈbreəriən
Lifeguard	ˈlaɪfgɑːd
Mechanic	mɪ ˈkæniːk
Model	ˈmɒdl
Newsreader	ˈnjuːz ˌriːdə
Nurse	nɜːs
Optician	ɒp ˈtɪʃən
Painter	ˈpeɪntə
Pharmacist	ˈfɑːməsɪst
Photographer	fə ˈtɒgrəfə
Pilot	ˈpaɪlət
Plumber	ˈplʌmə
Politician	ˌpɒlɪ ˈtɪʃən
Policeman/Policewoman	pə ˈliːsmən/pə ˈliːs ˌwʊmən
Postman	ˈpəʊstmən
Real estate agent	riəl ɪs ˈteɪt ˈeɪdʒənt
Receptionist	ri ˈsepʃənɪst
Scientist	ˈsaɪəntɪst
Secretary	ˈsekretri
Shop assistant	ʃɒp ə ˈsɪstənt
Soldier	ˈsəʊldʒə
Tailor	ˈteɪlə

Taxi driver	'tæksi 'draɪvə
Teacher	'ti:tʃə
Translator	træns 'leɪtə
Travel agent	'trævl 'eɪdʒənt
Veterinary doctor (Vet)	'vetərɪnəri 'dɒktə (vet)
Waiter/Waitress	'weɪtə/ 'weɪtrɪs
Window cleaner	'wɪndəʊ 'kli:nə

English Vocabulary about profession

5. Top English Vocabulary about House

common English words and vocabularies about house with IPA and picture to memorize:



Top English Vocabulary about House

Vocabulary	IPA
Apartment / flat	əˈpɑːtmənt / flæt
Bedsit	ˈbedsɪt
Bungalow	ˈbʌŋɡələʊ
Condominium	ˌkɒndəˈmɪniəm
Cottage	ˈkɒtɪdʒ
Dormitory	ˈdɔːmətri
Mansion	ˈmænjən
Penthouse	ˈpenhaʊs
Safe house	seɪf haʊs
Studio apartment	ˈstjuːdiəʊ əˈpɑːtmənt
Villa	ˈvɪlə
Attic	ˈætɪk
Backyard	ˌbækˈjɑːd
Balcony	ˈbælkəni
Basement	ˈbeɪsmənt
Bathroom	ˈbɑːθruː(ɪ)m
Bedroom	ˈbedruː(ɪ)m
Ceiling	ˈsiːlɪŋ
Cellar	ˈsɛlə
Chimney	ˈtʃɪmni
Dining room	ˈdaɪnɪŋ ruːm
Door	dɔː
Doorbell	ˈdɔːbɛl
Doormat	ˈdɔːmæt
Downstairs	ˌdaʊnˈsteəz

Driveway	ˈdraɪvweɪ
Fence	fɛns
Floor	flɔː
Garage	ˈgærɑːʒ
Garden	ˈgɑːdn
Hall	hɔːl
House	haʊs
Kitchen	ˈkɪtʃɪn
Lawn	lɔːn
Letter box	ˈletə bɒks
Living room	ˈlɪvɪŋ ruːm
Path	pɑːθ
Patio	ˈpætiəʊ
Pool	pʊl
Porch	pɔːtʃ
Roof	ruːf
Room	ruːm
Sitting room	ˈsɪtɪŋ ruːm
Stairs	steəz
Study	ˈstʌdi
Toilet	ˈtɔɪlɪt
Upstairs	ˌʌp ˈsteəz
Wall	wɔːl
Window	ˈwɪndəʊ
Yard	jɑːd
Armchair	ˈɑːm ˈtʃeə

Curtain	ˈkɜːtn
Lampshade	ˈlæmpʃeɪd
Sofa	ˈsəʊfə
Couch	kəʊtʃ
Bookcase	ˈbʊkkeɪs
Cushion	ˈkʊʃən
Mantelpiece	ˈmæntlpiːs
Carpet	ˈkɑːpɪt
Fireplace	ˈfaɪəˌpleɪs
Cushion	ˈkʊʃən
Light	laɪt
Painting	ˈpeɪntɪŋ
Picture	ˈpɪktʃə
Bookshelf	ˈbʊkʃelf
Television/tv	ˈtelɪˌvɪʒən/ˌtiːˈviː
Speakers	ˈspiːkəz
Ceiling	ˈsiːlɪŋ
Fireplace	ˈfaɪəˌpleɪs
Plant	plɑːnt
Wallpaper	ˈwɔːlˌpeɪpə
Coffee table	ˈkɒfiˌteɪbl
Apron	ˈeɪprən
Baking tray	ˈbeɪkɪŋˌtreɪ
Blender	ˈblendə
Bowl	bəʊl
Bread basket	bredˌˈbɑːskɪt

Butter dish	ˈbʌtə dɪʃ
Cabinet	ˈkæbɪnɪt
Cake slice	keɪk slaɪs
Casserole dish	ˈkæsərəʊl dɪʃ
Chopping board	ˈtʃɒpɪŋ bɔːd
Chopsticks	ˈtʃɒpstɪks
Cleaver	ˈkli:və
Colander	ˈkɒləndə
Cooker	ˈkʊkə
Corkscrew	ˈkɔːkskruː
Cupboard	ˈkʌbəd
Cutlery	ˈkʌtləri
Dinner table	ˈdɪnə ˈteɪbl
Dish soap	dɪʃ səʊp
Drawer	ˈdrɔːə
Fork	fɔːk
Frying pan	ˈfraɪɪŋ pæn
Grater	ˈgreɪtə
Grill	grɪl
Kettle	ˈketl
Kitchen counter	ˈkɪtʃɪn ˈkaʊntə
Kitchen scale	ˈkɪtʃɪn skeɪl
Knife	naɪf
Ladle	ˈleɪdl
Measuring cup	ˈmeɪʒərɪŋ kʌp
Measuring spoon	ˈmeɪʒərɪŋ spuːn

Microwave	ˈmaɪkrəʊweɪv
Mixer	ˈmɪksə
Napkin	ˈnæpkɪn
Oven glove	ˈʌvən glɒv
Pie plate	paɪ pleɪt
Pressure cooker	ˈpreʃə ˈkʊkə
Refrigerator	rɪ ˈfrɪdʒəreɪtə
Rolling pin	ˈrɒlɪŋ pɪn
Salad spinner	ˈsæləd ˈspɪnə
Spatula	ˈspætjʊlə
Spice container	spɑːs kən ˈteɪnə
Spoon	spuːn
Strainer	ˈstreɪnə
Tea maker	tiː ˈmeɪkə
Teapot	ˈtiː pɒt
Toaster	ˈtəʊstə
Whisk	wɪsk
Wooden spoon	ˈwʊdn spuːn
Bath mat	bɑːθ mæt
Bath towel	bɑːθ ˈtaʊəl
Bath toys	bɑːθ tɔɪz
Bathrobe	ˈbɑːθrəʊb
Bathtub	ˈbɑːθtʌb
Brush	brʌʃ
Bucket	ˈbʌkɪt
Cleanser	ˈkleɪnzə

Clothes peg	kləʊðz pɛɡ
Clothesline	ˈkləʊðzlaɪn
Cologne	kəˈləʊn
Comb	kəʊm
Cotton Ball	ˈkɒtn bɔːl
Dental Floss	ˈdɛntl flɒs
Electric razor	ɪˈlɛktrɪk ˈreɪzə
Faucet	ˈfɔːsɪt
Hair brush	heə brʌʃ
Hair dryer	heə ˈdraɪə
Hand Towel	hænd ˈtaʊəl
Hanger	ˈhæŋə
Laundry basket	ˈləʊndri ˈbɑːskɪt
Laundry detergent	ˈləʊndri dɪˈtɜːdʒənt
Lotion	ˈləʊʃən
Measuring jug	ˈmeɪʒərɪŋ dʒʌɡ
Mirror	ˈmɪrə
Mop	mɒp
Mouthwash	ˈmaʊθ ˌwɔːʃ
Paper Towel	ˈpeɪpə ˈtaʊəl
Polish	ˈpɒlɪʃ
Razor	ˈreɪzə
Rug	rʌɡ
Scale	skeɪl
Shampoo	ʃæmˈpuː
Shaving cream	ˈʃeɪvɪŋ kriːm

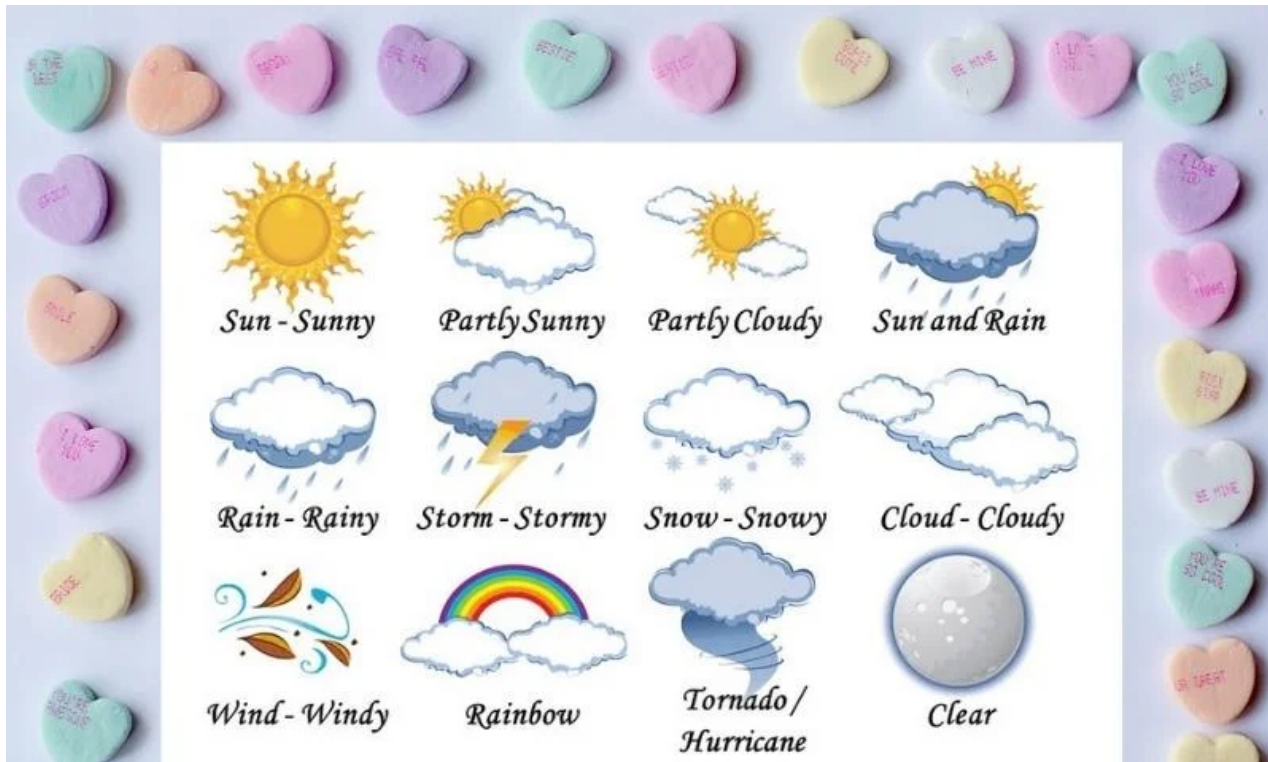
Shower	ˈʃaʊə
Shower Gel	ˈʃaʊə dʒel
Sink	sɪŋk
Soap	səʊp
Soap Dispenser	səʊp dɪs ˈpenseɪ
Tissue	ˈtɪʃuː
Toilet	ˈtɔɪlɪt
Toilet paper	ˈtɔɪlɪt ˈpeɪpə
Toothbrush	ˈtuːθbrʌʃ
Toothpaste	ˈtuːθpeɪst
Towel Rack	ˈtaʊəl ræk
Trash bag	træʃ bæɡ
Trash can	træʃ kæn
Tweezers	ˈtwiːzəz
Wash Basin	wɒʃ ˈbeɪsn
Washing machine	ˈwɒʃɪŋ mə ˈʃiːn
Washing powder	ˈwɒʃɪŋ ˈpaʊdə
Wipes	wəɪps
Air Conditioner	eə kən ˈdɪʃənə
Armchair	ˈɑːm ˈtʃeə
Bedsheet	ˈbed ˌʃiːt
Bedside Table	ˈbed ˌsaɪd ˈteɪbl
Blanket	ˈblæŋkɪt
Bookshelf	ˈbʊkʃelf
Bunk Bed	bʌŋk bed
Carpet	ˈkɑːpɪt

Chair	tʃeə
Clothes Valet	kləʊðz 'væli:t
Cot	kɒt
Curtains	'kɜ:tɪnz
Double Bed	'dʌbl bed
Duvet Cover	'du:vɛɪ 'kʌvə
Fan	fæn
Hanger	'hæŋə
Hat Stand	hæt stænd
Ironing board	'aɪənɪŋ bɔ:d
Mirror	'mɪrə
Night Lamp	naɪt læmp
Nightstand	'naɪtstænd
Picture	'pɪktʃə
Pillow	'pɪləʊ
Rug	rʌg
Shutters	'ʃʌtəz
Single Bed	'sɪŋgl bed
Slippers	'slɪpəz
Sofa Bed	'səʊfə bed
Stool	stʊ:l
Table	'teɪbl
Table Clock	'teɪbl klɒk
Tea Table	ti: 'teɪbl
Television	'telɪ ,vɪʒən
Twin Bed	twɪn bed

Related article: [IELTS Speaking test sample answer: Accommodation and House](#)

6. Vocabulary about weather

The last group of common English words connected to weather



English Vocabulary about weather

Vocabulary	IPA
Weather	ˈweðə
Rain	reɪn
Cloud	klaʊd
Rainbow	ˈreɪnbəʊ
Temperature	ˈtemprɪtʃə
Pressure	ˈpreʃə
Overcast	ˈəʊvəkɑːst
Shower	ˈʃaʊə
Sunrise	ˈsʌnrɑːz
Dry	draɪ
Tornado	tɔːˈneɪdəʊ
Sunset	ˈsʌnset
Humidity	hjuː(ɪ)ˈmɪdɪti
Cold	kəʊld
Heat	hiːt
Wind	wɪnd
Cloudy	ˈklaʊdi
Heat wave	hiːt weɪv
Fog	fɒg
Humid	ˈhjuːmɪd
Lightning	ˈlaɪtnɪŋ
Humidity	hjuː(ɪ)ˈmɪdɪti
Thunder	ˈθʌndə
Snow	sneʊ
Heat index	hiːt ˈɪndeks

Thunderstorm	ˈθʌndəstɔ:m
Downpour	ˈdaʊnpɔ:ɪ
Drought	draʊt
Tropical	ˈtrɒpɪkəl
Water cycle	ˈwɔ:tə ˈsaɪkl
Temperate	ˈtempərɪt
Moisture	ˈmɔɪstʃə
Drizzle	ˈdrɪzl
Warm	wɔ:m
Climate	ˈklaɪmɪt
Storm	stɔ:m
Flood	flʌd
Muggy	ˈmʌɡɪ
Gale	geɪl
Flash flood	flæʃ flʌd
Atmosphere	ˈætməsfɪə
Cold front	kəʊld frʌnt
Mist	mɪst
Condensation	ˌkɒndɛn ˈseɪʃən
Forecast	ˈfɔ:kɑ:st
Ice storm	aɪs stɔ:m
Freeze	fri:z
Barometric	ˌbɑ:rəʊ ˈmɛtrɪk
Snowfall	ˈsnəʊfɔ:l
Whirlwind	ˈwɜ:lwaɪnd
Hurricane	ˈhʌrɪkən

Cyclone	ˈsaɪkləʊn
Air	eə
Avalanche	ˈævələʊnʃ
Air pressure	eə ˈpreʃə
Frost	fɒst
Blizzard	ˈblɪzəd
Spring	sprɪŋ
Smog	smɒg
Ozone	ˈəʊzəʊn
Fall	fɔ:l
Winter	ˈwɪntə
Summer	ˈsʌmə
Storm surge	stɔ:m sə:dʒ
Low pressure	ləʊ ˈpreʃə
Wind chill	wɪnd tʃɪl
Sky	skɑɪ
Dew	dju:
Monsoon	mɒn ˈsu:zən

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