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| Sport is an effective way to reduce stress. | abbauen | to reduce, dismantle |
| I took a wrong turn at the crossroads. | abbiegen | to turn |
| The painter is trying to portray people's feelings in the picture. | abbilden | to copy, portray |
| I have to break off contact with Lisa, she's not doing me any good. | abbrechen | to break off, stop |
| The new museum covers the entire range of historical paintings. | abdecken | to cover |
| When the train left on time, the passengers waved goodbye to their loved ones. | abfahren | to depart |
| The branch was so rotten that it finally fell off under the weight of the snow. | abfallen | to fall apart, off |
| Tomorrow we have to hand in a text to Mr. Schneider. | abgeben | to give, hand in, submit |
| It's not good to leave school early. | abgehen | to come off, go off, exit, leave |
| I want to distance myself from my mother's opinion. | abgrenzen | to define, differentiate, distance |
| Elsa can just about stop him from making a big mistake. | abhalten | to keep from |
| People's health also depends on their genes. | abhängen | to depend |
| Whenever our dog runs off, we have to spend several hours looking for him. | abhauen | to take off, run away |
| Marianne likes to watch airplanes take off and land. | abheben | to take off, withdraw |
| My dad always picks me up from school. | abholen | to get, fetch, pick up |
| My passport expires next year. | ablaufen | to run out, expire |
| He puts the books on the table. | ablegen | to take off, put, file |
| I turn down the offer because I really like my current job. | ablehnen | to refuse, reject, turn down |
| The meaning of this word can be derived from French. | ableiten | to derive, deduce |
| If the TV distracts you from your work, turn it off. | ablenken | to distract, deflect |
| Once a year, someone reads the meter for our electricity. | ablesen | to read |
| I don't have to work all day today because Jan is relieving me. | ablösen | to take over, remove, peel away |
| I lose weight by exercising. | abnehmen | to lose weight, decrease, reduce |
| We're on vacation, but because Toni is ill, we have to leave early. | abreisen | to depart |
| We have to cancel the event because of the bad weather. | absagen | to cancel |
| The students are demanding that tuition fees be abolished. | abschaffen | to abolish |
| Because it's already late, we turn off the TV and go to bed. | abschalten | to switch off, turn off |
| When you leave the house, you have to lock the door. | abschließen | to lock, conclude |
| She cuts everyone a slice of bread. | abschneiden | to cut off |
| It's clear that Christian won't pass his exam. | absehen | to foresee, be in sight |
| You can drop me off at the next corner. | absetzen | to drop off, dismiss |
| Björn is graduating with good grades. | absolvieren | to complete, graduate |
| When all the guests have arrived, you can play the music. | abspielen | to play |

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| After descending the steep path in the dark, they have safely reached the valley. | absteigen | to descend (off a horse) |
| Mark puts the glass down on the table. | abstellen | to turn off, shut down, park, put |
| To make a decision, we have to vote. | abstimmen | to vote, coordinate |
| I can hardly wait to see you again. | abwarten | to wait, wait out |
| The current temperatures are very different from what is normal for this time of year. | abweichen | to deviate, differ |
| New protective measures can avert a catastrophe. | abwenden | to turn away, avert |
| A new conflict is looming in Syria. | abzeichnen | to emerge |
| If you subtract four from twelve, you get eight. | abziehen | to take off, withdraw, subtract |
| Children often don't pay attention to cars before they cross the road. | achten | to respect, pay attention |
| Leon learns how to add numbers together at school. | addieren | to add |
| UNICEF operates worldwide. | agieren | to act |
| Tina and Barbara look so much alike that many people think they are sisters. | ähneln | to be similar, resemble |
| Tanja suspects that Tim wants to surprise her. | ahnen | to sense, suspect |
| The security system is installed and can be activated by cell phone. | aktivieren | to mobilize, activate |
| You have to accept my decision. | akzeptieren | to accept |
| The data is analyzed with the help of a computer program. | analysieren | to analyze |
| The company offers me a job. | anbieten | to offer |
| I put the pictures on the wall. | anbringen | to affix, attach, put up |
| The rain continues for another three days. | andauern | to continue, last |
| The teacher changes the rules of the game to make it harder. | ändern | to change |
| Maria cautiously hints that she and Marcel might get married next year. | andeuten | to suggest, indicate |
| Our dog doesn't want to acknowledge mom's new boyfriend. | anerkennen | to recognize, accept |
| In addition to the taxes, there are also insurance costs for the car. | anfallen | to attack, accumulate |
| I always start work at 8 o'clock. | anfangen | to begin, start |
| I don't touch the dog because I think it's dangerous. | anfassen | to touch |
| Martina's hands feel nice and soft. | anfühlen | to feel |
| The captain leads his team. | anführen | to lead, command, quote |
| He says he exercises regularly. | angeben | to claim, declare, show off |
| This issue concerns us all. | angehen | to concern, go on |
| She doesn't belong to any party. | angehören | to belong |
| The soldiers are attacking the city from the air. | angreifen | to attack |
| The child likes to look at the fish. | angucken | to look |
| I'm wearing a red shirt and white shoes. | anhaben | to wear, damage |
| We should stop and ask for directions. | anhalten | to stop, last |
| My boss wants to raise our wages if we take fewer breaks. | anheben | to raise |
| Can you please listen to my problems? | anhören | to listen to |
| He's accused of murdering his wife. | anklagen | to accuse |
| We arrive at the station at twelve o'clock. | ankommen | to arrive |
| Barbara and Sebastian announce a party in June. | ankündigen | to announce |

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| Maybe I'll invest my money in shares. | anlegen | to put on, invest |
| When it's night, I turn on the light so I can read. | anmachen | to turn on |
| You should register for the seminar by next month. | anmelden | to register, sign up |
| Katrina can always tell when her daughter is sad. | anmerken | to remark, notice, let show |
| After a long time without contact, my father and I are now getting closer again. | annähern | to approach |
| I assume that the good students pass the exam. | annehmen | to accept, assume |
| The boss orders his colleagues to be in the office at eight o'clock. | anordnen | to order, arrange |
| The office adjusts the money to people's situations. | anpassen | to adjust, adapt |
| The topic stimulates discussion. | anregen | to encourage, suggest, stimulate |
| Günter calls his daughter every week. | anrufen | to call |
| The boss tells the workers what to do. | ansagen | to announce |
| The doctor looks at the injury to decide whether the patient needs to go to hospital. | anschauen | to look at, watch |
| You can connect your cell phone to my computer. | anschließen | to join, chain to, connect |
| He looks at me and smiles. | ansehen | to look at, watch |
| The appointment was originally scheduled for Friday. | ansetzen | to position, estimate, fix |
| They're trying to reintroduce different kinds of animals into this forest. | ansiedeln | to settle, establish |
| If you have a problem with Tom, you have to raise it. | ansprechen | to address, speak |
| People often stare at me because I look different. | anstarren | to gaze, stare at |
| I queue for a long time for the band's tickets. | anstehen | to line up, be in line |
| The price of milk is going up by 20 percent. | anstiegen | to rise, go up |
| The company is hiring more than 100 new workers next year. | anstellen | to hire, employ, line up, get into mischief |
| We toast our success with a glass of wine. | anstoßen | to toast, initiate |
| I'm aiming for a good grade in the exam. | anstreben | to aim at, strive (for), aspire to |
| You can meet me at home tomorrow evening. | antreffen | to find, encounter, meet |
| He's taking over as president. | antreten | to take up, start |
| You can't do that to us! | antun | to do sth to sb |
| The student answers the question. | antworten | to answer |
| The teacher tells the students to be quiet. | anweisen | to order to do, to instruct, to direct |
| I want to use my political and economic knowledge in my job. | anwenden | to apply, employ |
| The clock shows the time. | anzeigen | to report, sue, indicate, show |
| The new museum attracts many tourists. | anziehen | to attract, put on clothes |
| We light lots of candles at Christmas. | anzünden | to light |
| Marlene works in a hospital. | arbeiten | to work |
| I don't want you to annoy your little brother. | ärgern | to annoy |
| Kristin knows how to argue objectively. | argumentieren | to argue |
| The doctor checks whether the patient is still breathing. | atmen | to breathe |
| She trains every day to build up her strength. | aufbauen | to build up |

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| We leave for vacation tomorrow morning. | aufbrechen | to leave, take off, break open |
| The school is raising funds to buy new books. | aufbringen | to raise, find |
| I've only just noticed that you have blue eyes. | auffallen | to stand out, notice |
| The waiter kindly asks the guests to keep their voices down. | auffordern | to ask, request |
| Irina's friends from the theater are putting on their first play next week. | aufführen | to perform |
| I'm not going to give up after one try. | aufgeben | to give up |
| The sun rises tomorrow at six o'clock. | aufgehen | to rise, open |
| The author tackles some interesting topics in his new book. | aufgreifen | to take up |
| Nothing in the world can stop us. | aufhalten | to stop, hold up, delay |
| I keep all the letters my friend sends me. | aufheben | to pick up, keep, lift |
| The book is so exciting, I can't stop reading. | aufhören | to stop |
| The police finally solved the murder after ten years. | aufklären | to clear, clarify, resolve |
| The sun has gone and it's raining. | aufkommen | to come up, arise, pay for |
| Before she can answer, her boyfriend hangs up. | auflegen | to publish, put on, hang up |
| The sugar dissolves in the coffee. | auflösen | to dissolve |
| He opens the window because the air is so bad. | aufmachen | to open |
| We're taking in a student from America for two weeks. | aufnehmen | to take in, record, include |
| Please take care of yourself when you're traveling alone. | aufpassen | to pay attention, take care |
| The room was so messy that it took hours to tidy everything up. | aufräumen | to tidy |
| Don't tell them or they'll get upset. | aufregen | to excite, upset, annoy |
| You shouldn't always open the present straight away. | aufreißen | to tear open |
| With her bad back, my grandma can't quite stand up. | aufrichten | to put up (right), straighten up |
| The doctor calls in the next patient. | aufrufen | to call out/up/upon |
| At school, all the children have to recite a poem. | aufsagen | to recite, refuse to serve |
| Natasha opens her book and starts to read. | aufschlagen | to open, serve, pitch |
| If I don't write it down, I'll forget it. | aufschreiben | to write down |
| Although I feel bad, I put on my best smile. | aufsetzen | to put on |
| He immediately jumps up from his chair to greet her. | aufspringen | to jump up/on, burst open |
| Johann always stands up for older people on the bus. | aufstehen | to stand up, get up |
| Next season my team will be promoted. | aufsteigen | to rise (up), move up |
| The new owner is putting up advertisements outside his store. | aufstellen | to put up, draw up |
| You look very ill, you should see a doctor. | aufsuchen | to see, visit |
| Sometimes my cat disappears, but then it reappears. | auftauchen | to surface, appear |
| Technical problems occur during the lecture. | auftreten | to appear, occur |
| I wake up at the same time every morning. | aufwachen | to wake up |
| The child is growing up in a good family. | aufwachsen | to grow up |
| I had woken up my little brother so we don't miss our flight. | aufwecken | to wake up |

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| The car is badly damaged after the accident. | aufweisen | to show, exhibit, contain |
| The text shows the risks of digitalization. | aufzeigen | to show, point out |
| Because the cat can't manage on her own, we're bringing up her babies. | aufziehen | to raise, rear, wind (up) |
| They want to extend their house. | ausbauen | to extend, expand, enlarge |
| She trained as a professional actress before working in the theater. | ausbilden | to train, instruct, educate |
| Because she is pregnant, her period stops. | ausbleiben | to be missing, fail to appear, stay out |
| The perpetrator plans to break out of prison. | ausbrechen | to break out, erupt |
| The disease spreads very quickly from person to person. | ausbreiten | to spread, spread out |
| Water expands in the cold. | ausdehnen | to extend, expand |
| Paul likes to make up stories. | ausdenken | to think of, devise, make up |
| The painter expresses his feelings through dark colors. | ausdrücken | to express |
| In therapy, he has to deal with his fears. | auseinandersetzen | to deal with |
| If a flight is canceled, the travelers are notified. | ausfallen | to drop out, be canceled |
| The new employee performs his tasks carefully. | ausführen | to carry out, perform |
| I can't fill out the document properly without help. | ausfüllen | to fill out |
| Maria spends all her money on traveling. | ausgeben | to spend |
| We assume that you will come. | ausgehen | to go out, assume |
| The team can still make up the difference in points at the end of the game. | ausgleichen | to even out, reconcile |
| Mrs. Hübner can't take the pain anymore. | aushalten | to bear, endure |
| You don't have to ask the man where the station is, I know my way around here. | auskennen | to know one's way around, be well informed |
| From now on we'll have to make do with less money. | auskommen | to get by, get on, manage |
| The bottle is broken and all the water is running out. | auslaufen | to run out, leak |
| He puts the lists out in the office so that everyone can sign up. | auslegen | to lay out, design, interpret |
| His speech triggers a public debate. | auslösen | to set off, provoke |
| We need to set a date. | ausmachen | to put out, agree |
| I don't want you to always take advantage of my willingness to help you. | ausnutzen | to exploit, take advantage of |
| When I cook, I like to try out new dishes. | ausprobieren | to try out |
| I don't have enough money to buy them. | ausreichen | to be sufficient |
| Martin sends his regards to his mother. | ausrichten | to tell, align, line up, send |
| They're calling my son out because I've lost him. | ausrufen | to page, call out |
| Tomorrow I have to testify against my boyfriend in court. | aussagen | to testify |
| Can you please turn off the music? | ausschalten | to turn off |
| My team has been eliminated from the competition. | ausscheiden | to leave, retire, be eliminated |
| The police haven't ruled out murder. | ausschließen | to exclude, rule out |
| I look beautiful in my dress. | aussehen | to appear, look |
| Julia has a friendly way of expressing criticism. | äußern | to express, voice |
| Because of their injuries, two players on the German team have to sit out the next game. | aussetzen | to suspend, expose, skip, sit out |

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| Most people pronounce my name wrong. | aussprechen | to pronounce, express |
| The apartment is already fully furnished. | ausstatten | to furnish, provide |
| Your reply to my invitation is still pending. | ausstehen | to stand, bear, be pending |
| After the drive, I get out of the car. | aussteigen | to get off, get out |
| The boss gives Mrs. Meinhold a positive report. | ausstellen | to display, issue, make out |
| Max radiates a lot of calm. | ausstrahlen | to radiate, broadcast |
| There's not much room on the plane, so I can't stretch my legs. | ausstrecken | to stretch (out) |
| This year you get to choose your own present. | aussuchen | to choose |
| They exchange numbers so he can call him. | austauschen | to exchange, replace |
| I'm leaving the party. | austreten | to resign, leave, leak out |
| I've been in my job for two years. | ausüben | to practice, exercise, exert |
| The professor chooses two students for a lecture. | auswählen | to choose, select |
| Felix is a peaceful boy who avoids confrontation. | ausweichen | to make way, evade, avoid |
| The new government expels all foreign diplomats. | ausweisen | to identify, expel |
| I evaluate my students' tests. | auswerten | to evaluate, assess |
| The sun has a positive effect on their mood. | auswirken | to have an effect |
| Every year, the best employee is awarded a prize. | auszeichnen | to award a prize, honor, distinguish |
| I move out of the apartment after five years. | ausziehen | to move out, take off (clothes) |
| My brother likes to cook and bake for our family. | backen | to bake |
| The movie is based on a true story. | basieren | to be based on |
| We are building a house. | bauen | to build |
| Please observe the regulations. | beachten | to pay attention, observe |
| The Winter family applies for a loan from the bank. | beantragen | to apply for |
| He answers my question with a yes. | beantworten | to answer |
| You need to edit your answers to make them easier to understand. | bearbeiten | to edit, work on |
| We hire Anita's company to plan the party. | beauftragen | to give sb the task of doing sth, hire (a firm) |
| Laura thanks her guests for all the presents. | bedanken | to thank |
| Mark regrets that he forgot Johanna's birthday. | bedauern | to regret, feel sorry |
| You have to cover your skin in the sun. | bedecken | to cover |
| When planning, you have to remember that the party is in winter. | bedenken | to consider |
| What does this word mean? | bedeuten | to mean |
| Only Mrs. Meyer can operate this machine. | bedienen | to serve, operate |
| The results of the experiment require a change to the original assumption. | bedingen | to cause |
| You threaten the sales clerk with a knife. | bedrohen | to threaten |
| Special situations require special solutions. | bedürfen | to require |
| The boss is impressed by her performance. | beeindrucken | to impress |
| Advertising influences customer behavior. | beeinflussen | to influence |
| The noise affects my concentration. | beeinträchtigen | to affect, impair |

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| If you're not happy, you'll have to end your relationship with Luke. | beenden | to end |
| I don't want to deal with your problems. | befassen | to deal |
| The officer orders the soldiers to attack. | befehlen | to command |
| I fix the TV to the wall. | befestigen | to fix, attach, fasten |
| The restaurant is near the train station. | befinden | to be |
| The bus transports people every day. | befördern | to transport |
| Some men were questioned by the police yesterday. | befragen | to ask, question |
| Ann-Katrin frees the animal from the trap. | befreien | to free |
| We do everything we can to satisfy our customers' needs. | befriedigen | to satisfy |
| I'm afraid I'm going to miss the train. | befürchten | to fear |
| All travelers to Madrid should go to Gate 26. | begeben | to proceed |
| I've encountered many different cultures on my travels. | begegnen | to meet, encounter, come across |
| He commits murder. | begehen | to commit, make, celebrate |
| The actors wow the audience with their new play. | begeistern | to inspire, be enthusiastic |
| I don't start work until tomorrow. | beginnen | to begin |
| I accompany Tom on his journey. | begleiten | to accompany |
| It's hard to comprehend that the universe is infinite. | begreifen | to understand, grasp |
| You want to limit the working week to 35 hours. | begrenzen | to limit, restrict |
| I'd like you to justify your opinion. | begründen | to justify |
| Felix comes into the office and is the first to greet all his colleagues. | begrüßen | to greet |
| In this job, candidates are favored because of their age. | begünstigen | to favor, benefit |
| He only keeps things that he uses regularly. | behalten | to keep |
| Many patients are treated in this hospital. | behandeln | to treat |
| Daniel claims that he broke the glass. | behaupten | to claim |
| The king rules the people in his country. | beherrschen | to control, rule, master |
| You drive too slowly and obstruct traffic. | behindern | to obstruct, impede |
| The fisherman teaches his son how to fish. | beibringen | to teach |
| The offer includes a flight and accommodation. | beinhalten | to contain, include |
| You can pet the dog, it won't bite. | beißen | to bite |
| We stood by them in difficult times. | beistehen | to stand by |
| Lisbeth does a lot to ensure that all projects are properly organized. | beitragen | to contribute |
| The medicine fights the virus. | bekämpfen | to fight, combat |
| Mark admits that he loves men. | bekennen | to confess, admit |
| The tourists complain about the small rooms. | beklagen | to complain |
| Natascha gets a bike for her birthday. | bekommen | to get, receive |
| High taxes are a burden on entrepreneurs. | belasten | to load, burden |
| Charlotte is only taking three courses at university this winter semester. | belegen | to occupy, prove, verify, take |
| The children argue and insult each other. | beleidigen | to insult |
| To find a solution, we need to look at the problem from a different perspective. | beleuchten | to light, illuminate, examine |
| I haven't even noticed that Mark isn't here today. | bemerken | to notice |

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| Even though he's not trying, he's always better than me. | bemühen | to make an effort |
| I want my children to behave in public. | benahmen | to behave |
| The school is named after Thomas Mann. | benennen | to name |
| A person needs at least two liters of liquid a day. | benötigen | to require |
| Tanja uses her cell phone to read her e-mails. | benutzen | to use |
| Jens looks out of the window and watches his children while they play. | beobachten | to observe, watch |
| As a salesperson, it's my job to advise my customers. | beraten | to advise, discuss |
| You calculate the cost of the project. | berechnen | to calculate, charge |
| My friend Mia is authorized to pick up my report card. | berechtigen | to entitle |
| My brother's children bring me nothing but joy. | bereiten | to make, cause, give |
| The store provides free internet for its customers. | bereitstellen | to provide, put on |
| They rescue the injured man from the forest. | bergen | to rescue, hide |
| The newspapers report an accident. | berichten | to report |
| When the pressure in the boiler became too great, it finally burst with a loud bang. | bersten | to burst, split |
| I will do my best to take your wishes into account. | berücksichtigen | to consider |
| At the age of 35, she is appointed professor of German history. | berufen | to appoint |
| The politician's speech is based on facts. | beruhen | to be based |
| The doctor reassures the patient who is afraid. | beruhigen | to calm |
| Their lips touch when they kiss. | berühren | to touch |
| The law says you can't steal. | besagen | to say |
| The police come because Paul is angry and damages other people's property. | beschädigen | to damage |
| My uncle's company employs over 2,000 people. | beschäftigen | to employ, be busy, deal with |
| Winter brings us snow. | bescheren | to bring, bestow |
| She accelerates the car to 100 kilometers per hour. | beschleunigen | to accelerate |
| They decide to buy a house. | beschließen | to decide |
| The text is limited to the most important facts. | beschränken | to restrict |
| Please describe your house to me so I can find it. | beschreiben | to describe |
| My neighbors regularly complain that we are too loud. | beschweren | to weight, complain |
| He swears his statements in court. | beschwören | to conjure, swear to |
| The volunteers meet on the beach and clear up the garbage. | beseitigen | to eliminate, clear |
| There are still a few positions to be filled in our company. | besetzen | to occupy, fill |
| We finally beat the other team at soccer. | besiegen | to defeat, beat |
| Julia owns half of the company. | besitzen | to own, have |
| I'm not getting any presents for Christmas this year. | besorgen | to get, provide, buy |
| We'll discuss your question later in my office. | besprechen | to discuss |
| Please confirm your address. | bestätigen | to confirm, endorse |
| I hope Anja passes the exam. | bestehen | to exist, insist, pass (an exam) |
| Jan and Ludwig order a large pizza at the restaurant. | bestellen | to order, reserve |
| You decide which movie we watch. | bestimmen | to decide, determine |

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| My husband punishes me with silence after every argument. | bestrafen | to punish |
| He denies that he loves Anna, but I know better. | bestreiten | to dispute |
| They visit each other regularly. | besuchen | to visit |
| I contribute five euros to the gift. | beteiligen | to participate, contribute |
| Let's pray for the victims of this serious catastrophe! | beten | to pray |
| You should emphasize the first syllable of the word "summer". | betonen | to stress |
| I do not consider this statement relevant. | betrachten | to look at, consider |
| The costs for the entire event amount to several thousand euros. | betragen | to amount |
| The question of the future of this world concerns us all. | betreffen | to affect, concern |
| After graduation, they want to run a restaurant. | betreiben | to proceed with, operate, run |
| We are not allowed to enter the house because it is not safe here. | betreten | to enter, walk into/onto |
| Sonja looks after her sick mother. | betreuen | to look after, take care |
| Because he gets drunk on beer every night, his wife sends him to therapy. | betrinken | to get drunk |
| He bends down and picks up the money from the floor. | beugen | to bend |
| The doctor assesses the patient's injuries before starting treatment. | beurteilen | to assess, judge |
| After the mother's death, the family faces difficult times. | bevorstehen | to lie ahead, be imminent |
| I would prefer a house with a garden. | bevorzugen | to prefer |
| Karl arms himself to protect himself. | bewaffnen | to arm |
| In the current situation, it's important to keep calm. | bewahren | to keep, protect |
| Young boys dream of proving their courage at some point. | bewähren | to prove (oneself) |
| We can only overcome this problem together. | bewältigen | to cope with, overcome |
| It moves carefully and slowly so as not to make any noise. | bewegen | to move |
| The experiment proves the positive effects of the product on health. | beweisen | to prove |
| You can still apply for the job until tomorrow. | bewerben | to apply |
| The teacher evaluates the tests. | bewerten | to assess, judge |
| The coffee makes Jana unable to sleep. | bewirken | to cause |
| I admire my father for going to work and looking after three children at the same time. | bewundern | to admire |
| How much did you get paid? | bezahlen | to pay |
| Doctors are also called doctors. | bezeichnen | to call, name |
| In her article, she refers to the political situation. | beziehen | to refer, put, get |
| She doubts the man on it who told her his lie. | bezweifeln | to doubt |
| The car turns the corner. | biegen | to bend, turn |
| The new museum offers an overview of modern art. | bieten | to offer |
| We go to school to educate ourselves. | bilden | to form, educate |
| She learns to tie her shoes. | binden | to tie, bind |
| Thomas asks me for help. | bitten | to request, ask |
| The wind is blowing very strongly today. | blasen | to blow |

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| I leaf through the newspaper until I find the right page. | blättern | to turn, flip, browse |
| Anna wants to stay abroad for a year. | bleiben | to stay, remain |
| He looks curiously over her shoulder. | blicken | to look |
| I'm late because cars are blocking the road. | blockieren | to block |
| The apple tree is blossoming with white flowers. | blühen | to bloom |
| The meat was so juicy and perfectly cooked that everyone at the table enjoyed it. | braten | to fry |
| Do you need help? | brauchen | to need |
| The chair breaks as Daniel sits down. | brechen | to break |
| The driver has to brake because there are cows on the road. | bremsen | to brake, slow down |
| Because the fire is burning, we are warm. | brennen | to burn |
| The man brings me a coffee to my table. | bringen | to bring, take |
| Anton shouts something across the road that I can't hear. | brüllen | to bellow, roar, shout |
| We're booking our vacation to Sweden today. | buchen | to book |
| The students have to characterize the protagonist from the book. | charakterisieren | to characterize |
| The carpet muffles the sound of our footsteps. | dämpfen | to dampen, dim |
| Thank you for your attention! | danken | to thank |
| The picture depicts a woman with her dog. | darstellen | to depict, portray, show |
| The team is doing very well so far this season. | dastehen | to stand there, be in a position |
| The movie lasts 120 minutes. | dauern | to last, take (time) |
| She sets the table before dinner. | decken | to cover, set |
| It is very difficult to define the term "beauty". | definieren | to define |
| The workers are demonstrating for better wages. | demonstrieren | to demonstrate |
| I'm thinking about my last vacation. | denken | to think |
| The teacher points his finger at Lisa to get her to come forward. | deuten | to point, indicate, interpret |
| Advertising is used to sell products better. | dienen | to serve |
| We need to differentiate between different forms of unemployment. | differenzieren | to differentiate |
| We have discussed some basic questions. | diskutieren | to discuss |
| Raphael documents his experiment for his work. | dokumentieren | to document |
| For good parenting, you need to dominate your dog. | dominieren | to dominate |
| Her parents urge her to study, even though she would rather travel. | drängen | to push, insist |
| She turns her face to the sun. | drehen | to turn |
| The grain has been thoroughly threshed during the harvest to separate the grains from the chaff. | dreschen | to flail |
| I insist that you get more money. | dringen | to press, insist |
| The value of the share has been threatening to fall again since yesterday. | drohen | to threaten |
| The publisher is printing this series of books in large print runs. | drucken | to print |
| Press here to start the program. | drücken | to press, push |
| I don't want Marko to be your boyfriend and won't tolerate him in my house. | dulden | to tolerate |
| Did you pass the exam or did you fail? | durchfallen | to fail |
| You are conducting a dangerous experiment. | durchführen | to carry out, hold, conduct, run |
| The horse gets frightened and bolts. | durchgehen | to go through, pass, bolt |

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| Young children go through different phases until they are teenagers. | durchlaufen | to go through |
| It is unclear whether it is possible to push through the reforms. | durchsetzen | to carry through, enforce, implement |
| Even if Kilian doesn't like the subject, he still has to go through with it. | durchziehen | to see sth through, follow through |
| Can I go to the movies with Lisa tonight? | dürfen | to be allowed to may |
| Today we honor our country's servicemen and women. | ehren | to honor |
| This table is a good way to understand the topic better. | eignen | to be suitable |
| I always rush to my bus because I sleep too long. | eilen | to hurry |
| They build a wardrobe into the wall. | einbauen | to install, build in, fit |
| The parents involve the children in the decision for the new house. | einbeziehen | to include |
| The manager wants to involve his colleagues in the negotiations. | einbinden | to involve, integrate |
| The new product brings in a lot of money. | einbringen | to bring in, contribute |
| In winter, the cold penetrates so deeply into the earth that the eggs of many insects die. | eindringen | to enter, penetrate |
| Tanja remembers what she wanted to say. | einfallen | to occur, remind, remember, collapse |
| It's illegal to import some goods. | einführen | to introduce, import |
| I'll put my number in your cell phone so you can call me tomorrow. | eingeben | to enter, input, put in |
| The restaurant caters to my every wish. | eingehen | to mention, discuss, react to, cater |
| The teacher intervenes to prevent a fight. | eingreifen | to intervene |
| All employees must comply with safety regulations. | einhalten | to observe |
| Illness is often accompanied by pain. | einhergehen | to be accompanied |
| No one can catch up with Karin because she runs faster than the other children. | einholen | to pull in, catch up |
| Marion and Peter argue because they can't agree. | einigen | to unite, agree |
| Miriam and Ivana buy the groceries for dinner. | einkaufen | to shop |
| I would like to invite you to my party. | einladen | to invite, load |
| He opens the door and lets me in. | einlassen | to let in, get involved |
| She puts the CD in and starts the music. | einlegen | to put in, insert |
| The new administration is introducing lots of changes. | einleiten | to introduce |
| You have to take your medication regularly. | einnehmen | to take (up/in) |
| I get my car into the traffic. | einordnen | to file, rank, get in lane |
| I help Klara put her groceries from the supermarket into her car. | einräumen | to put away, admit, concede |
| The application can also be submitted by e-mail. | einreichen | to submit |
| Matthias sets up his new apartment. | einrichten | to furnish |
| I switch on the lights. | einschalten | to switch on |
| The damage can't be assessed yet. | einschätzen | to judge, assess |
| Tina is so tired that she falls asleep during the movie. | einschlafen | to fall asleep |
| The man breaks a window to get into the house. | einschlagen | to hammer in, smash, take |
| This study includes not only internal but also external data. | einschließen | to lock up, involve, include |
| A radical state severely restricts people's rights. | einschränken | to restrict, reduce |

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| Philipp realizes that he is behaving wrongly and apologizes. | einsehen | to see, realize, look into |
| Fill in the gaps in the sentence with the correct words. | einsetzen | to put in, insert |
| He gets into the car and drives away. | einsteigen | to board, get in |
| Mr. Weber sets the channels for the TV. | einstellen | to adjust, employ, stop, discontinue |
| My boss rates my salary higher. | einstufen | to classify, rate, rank |
| The teacher divides the students into several groups. | einteilen | to organize, arrange, divide into |
| I sign up for three seminars. | eintragen | to enter, record, register |
| I'll wait here for you until your train arrives. | eintreffen | to arrive, come true, happen |
| The visitor enters and turns on the light. | eintreten | to enter, join, occur |
| My grandfather is moving in with us for a few weeks. | einziehen | to move in |
| We welcome our guests at the airport. | empfangen | to receive |
| Which wine can you recommend? | empfehlen | to recommend |
| My parents still have strong feelings for each other. | empfinden | to feel |
| The semester ends in March. | enden | to end |
| He hires someone to take photos at the party. | engagieren | to hire, employ, commit, engage |
| Dominik observes animals and discovers a new species. | entdecken | to discover |
| The date has just slipped my mind. | entfallen | to slip (sb's mind), be dropped |
| Every pupil should be able to develop freely at school. | entfalten | to unfold, develop |
| We are trying to remove the stain. | entfernen | to remove, leave |
| I don't have enough money, can you help me with the price? | entgegenkommen | to meet, accommodate |
| I can't counter your argument. | entgegensetzen | to oppose, counter |
| There's nothing to counter it either. | entgegen | to go against |
| He narrowly escapes death by luck. | entgehen | to avoid, escape |
| Meat contains various proteins. | enthalten | to contain |
| I managed to escape the police at the last moment. | entkommen | to escape |
| She is dismissed from her company. | entlassen | to dismiss, fire |
| You can see the most important points of my speech on the sheet. | entnehmen | to take from, remove, withdraw, infer |
| He can't decide what he wants to eat. | entscheiden | to decide |
| They decide to sell the house. | entschließen | to decide |
| Paula apologizes to her sister for teasing her. | entschuldigen | to excuse, apologize |
| After work, Marcel relaxes in front of the TV. | entspannen | to relax |
| That's our idea. | entsprechen | to correspond |
| A new building is being built next to our house. | entstehen | to originate, develop |
| Stephanie is very disappointed about her poor result in the exam. | enttäuschen | to disappoint |
| Maja draws up a new plan for the company. | entwerfen | to design |
| The researchers are developing a new drug. | entwickeln | to develop |
| Salt removes water from the body. | entziehen | to take away, remove, draw |
| They develop a new concept for the school. | erarbeiten | to work for/out |
| The search for Robin reveals that he no longer lives in Berlin. | erbringen | to raise, produce, show |
| Ellen finds out today that she is having a baby brother. | erfahren | to experience, find out |

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| The university conducts a survey to find out how satisfied the students are. | erfassen | to determine, grasp, acquire |
| They want to invent a new environmentally friendly material. | erfinden | to invent |
| The topic is then presented. | erfolgen | to take place, occur |
| Good grades at school require good performance from students. | erfordern | to require, demand |
| Stephen Hawking researches the origin of the universe. | erforschen | to explore, investigate |
| I am delighted to meet you. | erfreuen | to please, delight |
| Thomas meets all your expectations. | erfüllen | to grant, fulfill |
| They complement each other perfectly. | ergänzen | to add, complete |
| The investigation shows no evidence of his guilt. | ergeben | to result in, produce |
| I hope you are doing well in your new home. | ergehen | to fare, be enacted |
| I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone. | ergreifen | to take, seize, grip, capture |
| You will receive a gift tomorrow. | erhalten | to receive |
| Interviews are one way of collecting data. | erheben | to raise |
| Can you please heat the water for the tea? | erhitzen | to heat (up) |
| I hope to gain a lot of practical experience from my studies. | erhoffen | to expect, hope for |
| The government wants to raise taxes. | erhöhen | to raise, increase |
| Because my mother wants to relax, she's going on vacation alone. | erholen | to recover, relax |
| My cell phone reminds me of my appointment at 2 pm. | erinnern | to remind |
| Babies recognize their mothers by their voices. | erkennen | to recognize, admit |
| Max explains complicated things to me. | erklären | to explain |
| The experienced mountaineer has successfully climbed to the summit, despite the adverse weather conditions. | erklimmen | to crest |
| More and more people are developing cancer. | erkranken | to be taken ill, fall ill |
| I'm going to find out which track our train leaves from. | erkundigen | to inquire |
| The Green Party wins a majority in the elections. | erlangen | to obtain, secure |
| The state passes a law that smoking is no longer allowed in restaurants. | erlassen | to enact, issue |
| Grandma and Grandpa allow everything that my parents forbid. | erlauben | to allow, permit |
| The professor explains a current problem in the economy. | erläutern | to explain |
| You only experience a beautiful day like this once in a lifetime. | erleben | to experience |
| He assures his mother that he will do all the chores around the house. | erledigen | to settle, take care |
| I'm relieved that you're healthy again. | erleichtern | to relieve, make easier |
| Many people around the world still suffer great poverty. | erleiden | to suffer |
| Children learn foreign languages faster than adults. | erlernen | to learn |
| After the candle had been burning for many hours, it finally went out. | erlöschen | to lapse/expire |
| The police investigate the perpetrator. | ermitteln | to find out, investigate |
| A computer enables me to work on the Internet. | ermöglichen | to enable, allow |
| The man buys a gun to murder someone. | ermorden | to murder, kill |
| I eat exclusively without animal products. | ernähren | to feed, nourish, support |
| The farmer harvests the potatoes. | ernten | to harvest |

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| The team is training hard to win the top title this year. | erobern | to conquer, take, win |
| The new store will open in June. | eröffnen | to open, start |
| It's a topic that attracts a lot of attention. | erregen | to arouse, attract, excite |
| I achieve all my goals. | erreichen | to achieve, reach |
| The city wants to build a new opera house. | errichten | to build, erect |
| A strange symbol appears on the screen. | erscheinen | to appear |
| The policeman shoots the perpetrator with his gun. | erschießen | to shoot |
| Marius understands the meaning of the word from the context. | erschließen | to develop, tap, make out |
| The long walk to the beach exhausts the vacationers. | erschöpfen | to exhaust |
| The children are frightened by the loud noise. | erschrecken | to frighten, be startled |
| The news of the accident shakes me. | erschüttern | to shake, shock |
| You make my work more difficult when you call so often. | erschweren | to complicate, make more difficult |
| Machines are replacing many jobs. | ersetzen | to replace, reimburse |
| I'll spare you the whole story and summarize it briefly. | ersparen | to save, spare |
| The team's victory doesn't surprise me, they always win. | erstaunen | to astonish |
| In the seminar, the students are supposed to compile statistics on the elections. | erstellen | to build, draw up, produce |
| Open the window or you'll suffocate in ten minutes! | ersticken | to suffocate |
| The store extends over three floors. | erstrecken | to extend, include |
| The parents give their son permission to go to the party. | erteilen | to give |
| She can no longer bear the pain. | ertragen | to bear |
| Someone has drowned while swimming in the lake. | ertrinken | to drown |
| Tomorrow he will probably wake up with a severe headache. | erwachen | to wake up |
| They thought long and hard about whether they should move to a new town before making their decision. | erwägen | to consider |
| Lukas hasn't mentioned it once. | erwähnen | to mention |
| He is expecting a message from his sister. | erwarten | to expect |
| Animals can inspire great joy in people. | erwecken | to wake, awaken |
| The theory turns out to be wrong. | erweisen | to prove |
| The company is planning to expand its range internationally. | erweitern | to widen, expand |
| I buy shares for ten euros each. | erwerben | to acquire, purchase |
| He returns her gaze with a smile. | erwidern | to reply |
| I have to catch the last bus. | erwischen | to catch |
| Susanne likes to tell me stories. | erzählen | to tell |
| The company generates electricity from wind and water. | erzeugen | to produce, generate |
| The team has achieved good results in the competition. | erzielen | to achieve, reach |
| Tomorrow evening we'll eat bread. | essen | to eat |
| The brand has successfully established itself on the market. | etablieren | to establish |
| Neither humans nor animals can exist on the moon. | existieren | to exist |
| Luckily the bomb didn't explode. | explodieren | to explode |
| Christine takes the train to Amsterdam. | fahren | to drive, ride, go |
| Max falls low off a wall. | fallen | to fall |
| She catches the ball. | fangen | to catch |

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| Karla dyes her hair red. | färben | to color, dye |
| She grabs his hand and holds it tight. | fassen | to grab, grasp, hold |
| The size of the universe fascinates people all over the world. | faszinieren | to fascinate |
| The knights fought bravely and defended their kingdom from the attackers. | fechten | to fence (fight) |
| Anita is ill and missing school today. | fehlen | to lack, be missing, be absent |
| We are celebrating her birthday. | feiern | to celebrate |
| The family got together to watch her favorite movie on TV. | fernsehen | to watch tv |
| We make everything in our own lab. | fertigen | to produce, manufacture |
| The police arrest a suspect. | festhalten | to hold on to, detain |
| The owner of the house stipulates that all families must move out by the following month. | festlegen | to determine, fix, lay down |
| The police pursue the criminal and are able to arrest him. | festnehmen | to arrest, detain |
| It is already clear that we will be moving to France next year. | feststehen | to be certain, fixed, firm |
| The doctors determine that the illness has organic causes. | feststellen | to establish, detect, determine |
| The parents save their money to pay for their children's education. | finanzieren | to finance |
| I can't find my bag. | finden | to find |
| She is very focused on her son. | fixieren | to fixate on sb/sth |
| The bird flies up the tree. | fliegen | to fly |
| The prisoner tried to escape but failed. | fliehen | to flee, escape |
| Two rivers flow through Leipzig. | fließen | to flow |
| Many people are fleeing their country because of the war. | flüchten | to flee |
| We whisper because Annelies is still asleep. | flüstern | to whisper |
| The dog follows my father. | folgen | to follow |
| They demand equal pay for all. | fordern | to demand, claim |
| The organization promotes awareness for the protection of the environment. | fördern | to promote, support |
| She forms a heart with her hands. | formen | to form |
| The minister formulates her statements very carefully. | formulieren | to formulate |
| My professor does research at the university in the field of communication. | forschen | to research, do research |
| After the break, the professor continues with the lecture. | fortfahren | to continue, proceed, carry on |
| We will continue the topic tomorrow. | fortsetzen | to continue |
| Mark takes photos of all the guests at the wedding. | fotografieren | to photograph |
| The tourists ask for directions. | fragen | to ask |
| When you're stressed, lots of hormones are released. | freisetzen | to release |
| Cows prefer to eat fresh grass. | fressen | to eat |
| The good news makes him very happy. | freuen | to be happy |
| The birds in the park almost froze to death when the cold winter arrived unexpectedly. | frieren | to freeze |
| They submit to the will of their boss. | fügen | to comply, defer to, resign oneself to |
| I sometimes feel lonely. | fühlen | to feel |
| Jakob shows us around the museum. | führen | to lead |
| Because she wants a drink, she fills a glass with water. | füllen | to fill |
| My cell phone doesn't work. | funktionieren | to function, work |
| You don't have to be afraid when it's dark. | fürchten | to fear |

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| I have to feed my dog three times a day. | füttern | to feed |
| I guarantee you'll like the movie. | garantieren | to guarantee |
| The grape juice has fermented for so long that it has finally turned into wine. | gären | to ferment |
| The queen gave birth to a healthy heir to the throne on a quiet night. | gebären | to bear (birth) |
| Timo gives the seller the books. | geben | to give |
| The garden has flourished magnificently because it has been regularly tended and fertilized. | gedeihen | to thrive |
| Smoking endangers your health. | gefährden | to endanger |
| Svenja's parents really like her new boyfriend. | gefallen | to please |
| It's so cold - the tea in my cup is frozen. | gefrieren | to freeze |
| Mirjam and Markus stand opposite each other and shake hands. | gegenüberstehen | to face |
| We're going to the theater today. | gehen | to go |
| You must obey the teacher. | gehorschen | to obey |
| The book is mine. | gehören | to belong |
| They finally reach their destination. | gelangen | to reach |
| Mona finally manages to speak to them. | gelingen | to succeed |
| The ticket for the train is only valid today. | gelten | to be valid |
| After a serious illness, he has finally recovered and is back at work. | genesen | to recuperate |
| Enjoy the sun while it shines! | genießen | to enjoy, relish |
| Your income is enough to pay the bills. | genügen | to be sufficient |
| Because we have different opinions, we get into an argument. | geraten | to get into |
| Nobody knows what really happened. | geschehen | to happen, occur |
| The pupils design their own newspaper. | gestalten | to shape, design |
| Emilia confesses to her mother that she stole an apple from the store. | gestehen | to confess |
| The sales clerk gives me a lower price on the book. | gewähren | to grant, give |
| The state must guarantee the safety of its citizens. | gewährleisten | to guarantee |
| He wins first prize in the competition. | gewinnen | to win, gain |
| He just can't get used to getting up early. | gewöhnen | to get used to |
| I ask my neighbor if she will water my plants while I'm away. | gießen | to water, pour |
| My blonde hair shines in the sun. | glänzen | to shine, glisten |
| She doesn't believe him. | glauben | to believe |
| Agnes is a lot like her mother. | gleichen | to be alike, be just like |
| The fish glides through the water. | gleiten | to glide |
| Hopefully they will succeed. | glücken | to succeed |
| The fire is not quite out yet, it is still glowing. | glühen | to glow, smolder |
| The treasure hunter has dug deep and finally found a chest full of gold. | graben | to dig a trench |
| Congratulations on the birth of Lisa. | gratulieren | to congratulate |
| As I fall, he grabs my hand and holds me tight. | greifen | to take hold of, reach |
| The children grin happily at the camera. | grinsen | to grin |
| The students start a social initiative. | gründen | to establish, found |
| Everyone greets everyone else in the village. | grüßen | to greet |
| Why are you looking so funny? | gucken | to look |
| If something breaks, parents are liable for their children. | haften | to adhere, be liable |
| He is holding a book in his hands. | halten | to stop, hold |
| The story is about animals. | handeln | to deal, trade |

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| He hangs the picture on the wall. | hängen | to hang |
| I hate speaking in front of lots of people. | hassen | to hate |
| Your child is always hitting the other kids at school. | hauen | to hit, hew, slap |
| He lifts weights to build muscle. | heben | to lift, raise |
| Doctors heal people. | heilen | to heal, cure |
| Maria is getting married to her boyfriend Steffen next year. | heiraten | to marry |
| His boyfriend is called Markus. | heißen | to be called |
| Oliver helps Tim with his homework for school every Sunday. | helfen | to help |
| The fear of getting a bad grade is holding back my performance at school. | hemmen | to inhibit, hinder |
| For my written work, I also have to take opinions from other authors. | heranziehen | to consult, draw near |
| We need to find out what's going on. | herausfinden | to find out |
| Max comes out to play with the neighbor's child. | herauskommen | to come out |
| Erik's performance really stands out compared to the other children. | herausragen | to stand out |
| It turns out that Anja is lying. | herausstellen | to emphasize, turn out |
| Before you come in, you take off your shoes. | hereinkommen | to come in |
| Simon, come here, I want to talk to you! | herkommen | to come here |
| The king ruled over a large kingdom. | herrschen | to rule |
| The company produces modern machines. | herstellen | to produce |
| The plant has finally produced flowers. | hervorbringen | to create, produce, bring forth |
| The test shows that Julia is not his daughter. | hervorgehen | to come from, follow |
| The dress emphasizes your beauty. | hervorheben | to emphasize, stress |
| Peter evokes positive feelings in me. | hervorrufen | to evoke, arouse, cause |
| The wind howls loudly around the house. | heulen | to howl, wail, cry |
| The cost should not exceed the planned 50 euros. | hinausgehen | to go out, exceed |
| I realize that Anna is preventing me from living my dreams. | hindern | to prevent |
| Even though there is no evidence, everything points to Marvin being the culprit. | hindeuten | to point to |
| I have to go to the doctor, so my mother drives me there. | hinfahren | to go, drive there |
| Johanna is very sad, please go and talk to her. | hingehen | to go (there) |
| I'm so tired after work that I have to lie down. | hinlegen | to lie down |
| You can't convince me otherwise and you have to accept my decision. | hinnehmen | to accept |
| Since I injured my foot, I can't stand for long and often have to sit down. | hinsetzen | to sit down |
| Parents leave their children a fortune after their death. | hinterlassen | to leave |
| During the lecture, the professor points out some mistakes on the slides. | hinweisen | to point to, refer to |
| I would like to add something to my answer. | hinzufügen | to add |
| Anyone can join our group. | hinzukommen | to be added, join |
| When I squat, my knees hurt. | hocken | to squat, crouch |
| The children are hoping for snow in winter. | hoffen | to hope |
| I have to get a book from the library. | holen | to get, fetch |

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| Can you hear me? | hören | to hear |
| The children are hopping on one leg. | hüpfen | to hop |
| Babies can identify their mother early on by her voice. | identifizieren | to identify |
| She ignores her injury and keeps running. | ignorieren | to ignore |
| The newspapers report the latest news. | informieren | to inform |
| The politician skillfully stages a scandal and gets attention from the press. | inszenieren | to stage |
| Ahmad and his family have integrated very well in Germany. | integrieren | to integrate |
| I am particularly interested in this book. | interessieren | to interest |
| Every critic interpreted it differently. | interpretieren | to interpret |
| Clara invests a lot of time in her studies. | investieren | to invest |
| Everyone is wrong sometimes, even if they think they know it. | irren | to err, be wrong |
| The fabric of these trousers irritates my skin. | irritieren | to irritate, confuse |
| Thick walls insulate the house and keep the heat inside. | isolieren | to isolate, insulate |
| In my spare time, I like to hunt animals in the forest. | jagen | to hunt |
| We went jogging through the park this morning. | joggen | to jog |
| The dogs are fighting with each other. | kämpfen | to fight |
| John collects the money from the customers at the supermarket. | kassieren | to collect, take the money |
| I have to buy milk tomorrow. | kaufen | to buy |
| They sweep the street in front of their house. | kehren | to sweep |
| We've known each other for a long time. | kennen | to know |
| I meet a lot of new people at school. | kennenlernen | to meet, get to know |
| I have marked the mistakes in the text. | kennzeichnen | to characterize, mark |
| The chair tips over and Sören falls to the floor. | kippen | to tilt, overbalance |
| I'm fine, I can't complain. | klagen | to complain |
| I've tried for a long time, but it just doesn't work. | klappen | to fold, go smoothly, work (out) |
| The policeman tries to settle the argument between the two angry men. | klären | to clear up, clarify, resolve |
| The audience claps for five minutes because the play was so good. | klatschen | to clap |
| My brothers steal cookies from the kitchen. | klauen | to steal, shoplift |
| The children stick colorful paper flowers on the windows. | kleben | to stick |
| She always dresses her children in bright colors. | kleiden | to dress |
| Vera has climbed the tree. | klettern | to climb |
| The phone rings, but no one is there. | klingeln | to ring |
| I like your voice, it sounds very nice. | klingen | to sound |
| Thomas always knocks on my door three times before he enters. | klopfen | to knock, beat |
| Timo and Simon are being watched as they try to break into a car. | knacken | to crack |
| When the child could no longer bear the pain, he pinched his father's arm hard. | kneifen | to pinch |
| I hope to make some important contacts at the meeting. | knüpfen | to tie, knot, establish |
| I like to cook Italian dishes. | kochen | to cook |
| If we combine our knowledge, we can solve the problem more quickly. | kombinieren | to combine |
| We'll come to you tomorrow evening. | kommen | to come |
| The reporter comments on current events. | kommentieren | to comment |
| We can now communicate constantly with people on the other side of the world. | kommunizieren | to communicate |

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| The police confront them with all the evidence. | konfrontieren | to confront |
| My father and his colleagues are constructing a new bridge. | konstruieren | to construct |
| Some people consume dangerous substances. | konsumieren | to consume |
| I check the solutions before I give the sheet to my teacher. | kontrollieren | to check, control |
| I can't concentrate on my work. | konzentrieren | to concentrate |
| Marina attaches several conditions to her approval. | koppeln | to couple, link |
| I have to correct ten more papers from my students before I can leave. | korrigieren | to correct, revise |
| The book only costs five euros. | kosten | to cost |
| The plane has been circling over the airport for several minutes. | kreisen | to circle |
| The two roads cross behind the theater. | kreuzen | to cross |
| Our cat crawls under the sofa when it's scared. | kriechen | to crawl |
| The restaurant gets positive reviews from its guests. | kriegen | to get, receive |
| My mother always criticizes my performance at school. | kritisieren | to criticize |
| Please take good care of my dog. | kümmern | to take care of, be concerned |
| You can cancel the contract before it expires. | kündigen | to terminate |
| She kisses him on the mouth. | küssen | to kiss |
| All the children are smiling in the photo because they are happy. | lächeln | to smile |
| The children are laughing because the movie is so funny. | lachen | to laugh |
| Strong men load the goods onto the truck. | laden | to load |
| Milk has to be stored in a cool place. | lagern | to store, camp |
| The plane lands on the water. | landen | to land |
| The movie bores me and I'm about to fall asleep. | langweilen | to bore |
| Let me go! | lassen | to let, allow, have done |
| Time is running out. | laufen | to run |
| She stands at the door and listens to her parents' quiet conversation. | lauschen | to listen, eavesdrop |
| My answer is no. | lauten | to be (answer) |
| The clock in the town hall rings every hour. | läuten | to ring, toll |
| Women live longer than men. | leben | to live |
| Mia puts the book down on the table. | legen | to lay, put |
| She leans back against the wall. | lehnen | to lean |
| She teaches German at the Goethe-Institut. | lehren | to teach |
| My sister is suffering from a serious illness. | leiden | to suffer |
| Can you lend me an umbrella? | leihen | to lend |
| Jan is doing a good job. | leisten | to perform, achieve, do |
| She leads the course with a lot of energy. | leiten | to lead |
| You have to focus your attention on the important topics. | lenken | to steer, guide |
| We are learning German. | lernen | to learn |
| I read a lot of books. | lesen | to read |
| The setting sun shines on the horizon. | leuchten | to shine, glow |
| The children love their parents. | lieben | to love |
| The post delivers a letter to me. | liefern | to deliver, supply |
| The dog lies under the chair. | liegen | to lie |

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| When Jacob does something right, his mother praises him. | loben | to praise |
| The great weather attracts people to the park. | locken | to lure, tempt |
| It's always worth looking at the stars at night. | lohnen | to be worth it |
| The fire department puts out the fire. | löschen | to put out, delete |
| No one can solve the last task. | lösen | to solve, loosen |
| We should leave early tomorrow so that we can get home earlier. | losfahren | to leave, depart |
| We meet at five o'clock and the movie starts at half past five. | losgehen | to go off, start |
| Because he lets go of the wheel of his car, he almost has an accident. | loslassen | to let go |
| You have to get rid of your negative thoughts, otherwise you can't be happy. | loswerden | to get rid of |
| When Markus lies, his face turns red. | lügen | to (tell a) lie |
| The pupils do their homework. | machen | to do, make |
| The children have been drawing pictures all morning. | malen | to paint |
| There is no shortage of new offers in this supermarket. | mangeln | to lack, be missing |
| I mark the most important sentences in the text so that I can find them quickly later. | markieren | to mark |
| The soldiers all march at the same pace. | marschieren | to march |
| Lydia avoids small rooms because she doesn't feel comfortable in them. | meiden | to avoid |
| What do you think? | meinen | to think, have an opinion |
| We report the accident to the police. | melden | to report, register |
| The farmer's wife has milked the cow so carefully that the bucket has almost overflowed. | melken | to milk |
| The children notice that their mother is sad. | merken | to notice, remember |
| We take the temperature. | messen | to measure |
| Annette always mixes her beer with cola. | mischen | to mix, blend |
| They couldn't be sure if it would fail. | misslingen | to fail |
| She's so focused on her work that she doesn't notice the argument behind her. | mitbekommen | to notice, catch, get |
| Christine brings her camera to take photos. | mitbringen | to bring |
| Martin asks Tina if she would like to come on vacation. | mitkommen | to come (with sb) |
| Both children take part in the school concert. | mitmachen | to join in, take part |
| Sandra takes her lunch from home for work. | mitnehmen | to take (along) |
| Tim wants to play soccer. | mitspielen | to play, join in |
| Charlotte's mother tells her that she and her father are separating. | mitteilen | to inform |
| The teacher tries to motivate her pupils for the assignment. | motivieren | to motivate |
| She still likes gingerbread best at Christmas time. | munden | to taste (savor) |
| The river flows into the sea. | münden | to join, meet, flow into |
| The children murmur quietly as the teacher turns around. | murmeln | to mumble, mutter |
| When my mother meets my new friend, she looks him up and down. | mustern | to eye, examine, inspect |
| We think about it first before making a decision. | nachdenken | to think about, reflect |
| After the election, it is clear who will succeed the old chancellor in office. | nachfolgen | to follow, succeed |

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| She asks the hotel if they still have any rooms available. | nachfragen | to ask (sb), inquire |
| I mustn't give in to my desire for chocolate if I want to lose weight. | nachgeben | to yield, indulge, cave in |
| Your watch is already ten minutes behind again. | nachgehen | to follow, pursue, be slow |
| But I'm just catching up. | nachholen | to catch up |
| Go ahead, I'll be right behind you. | nachkommen | to follow, come later, come after |
| If you don't practise regularly, your performance will drop. | nachlassen | to decrease, decline, let up |
| I can understand your behavior because I was in the same situation. | nachvollziehen | to understand, relate to sth |
| In order to get money from the state, students have to prove that they are studying at a university. | nachweisen | to prove |
| I suggest you don't buy the house because it's too expensive. | nahelegen | to suggest |
| You approach the animal slowly and quietly. | nähern | to approach |
| I take a drink of water. | nehmen | to take |
| Charlotte leans towards Anika and whispers something in her ear. | neigen | to bend, lean |
| My boyfriend's name is Alexander, but everyone calls him Alex. | nennen | to name, call |
| Paul and Johann often annoy their big sister. | nerven | to annoy |
| While Jana talks, her friends nod their heads in agreement. | nicken | to nod |
| I write down his phone number. | notieren | to note |
| She uses every free minute to read. | nutzen | to use |
| Karl reveals to me that he loves men. | offenbaren | to reveal |
| She opens the door. | öffnen | to open |
| I'm going to the hospital tomorrow because I'm having an operation. | operieren | to operate, perform surgery |
| The student works in the library and organizes the books according to their authors' names. | ordnen | to arrange, sort |
| In her job, she has to organize events. | organisieren | to organize |
| When they go hiking, they use a map to find their way. | orientieren | to orient |
| Here's a list of things to pack in your bag. | packen | to pack, grab |
| We paddled in a rubber dinghy on the Elbe. | paddeln | to paddle |
| These pants don't fit. | passen | to fit |
| I wait for my cell phone to ring, but nothing happens. | passieren | to take place, happen |
| I whistle a song as I walk. | pfeifen | to whistle |
| She cares for the sick patients in the hospital. | pflegen | to care, cultivate |
| At the end of the trial, the prosecutor and lawyer plead before the judge makes a decision. | plädieren | to plead, make one's case |
| They plan to stay abroad for a year. | planen | to plan |
| The bottle of water bursts when it is too cold. | platzen | to burst, split |
| An adult's character is shaped by their childhood experiences. | prägen | to shape, mint |
| Barbara presents her friends with the dress for the party. | präsentieren | to present, show |
| The poet has been highly praised for his profound and moving words. | preisen | to extol |
| Timo presses the flowers between heavy books. | pressen | to press |
| Alwin tries pizza for the first time. | probieren | to try |
| France produces a lot of wine and exports it abroad. | produzieren | to produce |

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| The whole team benefits from the company's profits. | profitieren | to profit |
| Students and workers protest on the streets against the new reform. | protestieren | to protest |
| Students are regularly tested at university. | prüfen | to examine, check |
| My windows are dirty, I have to clean them. | putzen | to clean |
| Martina can't understand why some people torture animals. | quälen | to torment |
| She has qualified for the competition. | qualifizieren | to qualify |
| After the heavy rain, the river has overflowed its banks and caused flooding. | quellen | to billow (source of sth) |
| A dead tree is sticking out over the river. | ragen | to protrude |
| He doesn't know the answer, so he has to guess. | raten | to advise, guess |
| You are no longer allowed to smoke cigarettes in most restaurants. | rauchen | to smoke |
| They live in the house illegally until the police clear it. | räumen | to clear |
| I can hear the sound of the sea. | rauschen | to rustle, roar, rush |
| Mario reacts angrily when he hears the result of the game. | reagieren | to react |
| People must finally realize the poor state of the earth. | realisieren | to realize, bring about |
| We do a lot of math problems at school. | rechnen | to calculate, compute |
| Paul tries to justify his poor grades to his parents. | rechtfertigen | to justify |
| He doesn't feel like talking about it now. | reden | to talk |
| He's trying to reduce his stress. | reduzieren | to reduce, decrease |
| My face is reflected in your glasses. | reflektieren | to reflect |
| A policeman is directing traffic at the intersection. | regeln | to control, regulate, direct |
| The king rules the country. | regieren | to rule, govern |
| The office registers over two million students this year. | registrieren | to register |
| It often rains in the fall. | regnen | to rain |
| Sweat helps the body to regulate its temperature. | regulieren | to regulate |
| Luke tries to rub the stain out of his shirt. | reiben | to rub |
| There's enough breakfast for the whole family. | reichen | to reach, be enough |
| We have to purge the heretics from the area! | reinigen | to clean, cleanse |
| Ann-Katrin and Dominik travel to a different country every year. | reisen | to travel |
| The paper is very thin and tears easily. | reißen | to tear |
| My brother has a horse and rides very well. | reiten | to ride |
| My brother teases me until I hit him. | reizen | to annoy, provoke, tempt |
| The children run very fast so they don't miss the bus. | rennen | to run |
| The man has finally finished repairing our television. | reparieren | to repair |
| As a student, I represent my university. | repräsentieren | to represent |
| Reserve two seats for me. | reservieren | to reserve |
| Your good grades are the result of intensive study. | resultieren | to result |
| The doctor saved his life. | retten | to save, rescue |
| He addresses his speech to all the students at the university. | richten | to direct, repair, follow |
| The flowers smell good. | riechen | to smell |
| She is struggling with the idea of having the baby. | ringen | to wrestle, struggle |
| After the rain, the water has run down the street in small streams. | rinnen | to trickle |
| Your behavior is putting your relationship at risk. | riskieren | to risk |

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| The ball rolls into the goal. | rollen | to roll |
| I move closer to understand what he is saying. | rücken | to move |
| He has rowed across the lake. | rudern | to row |
| The mother calls loudly for the children to go back into the house. | rufen | to call |
| The patient needs to rest. | ruhen | to rest |
| She stirs milk into her coffee. | rühren | to stir, move |
| In winter, the children slide down the mountain in the snow. | rutschen | to slide |
| The colleague tells her where to find the keys. | sagen | to say, tell |
| She collects stones from different countries. | sammeln | to collect, gather |
| The drunk man drank from the bottle until he finally fell over. | saufen | to booze |
| The carpet was so dusty that it had to be thoroughly vacuumed. | saugen | to suck |
| Smoking is bad for your health. | schaden | to damage, harm |
| Manfred damages his family financially by losing a lot of money on the stock market. | schädigen | to damage |
| Magdalena fails her exam. | schaffen | to manage, create |
| You have to change gear to make the car go faster. | schalten | to switch, shift |
| The child is ashamed to admit his mistake. | schämen | to be ashamed |
| You estimate that the work will be done in two weeks. | schätzen | to estimate, value |
| You always have to look ahead. | schauen | to look |
| Your parents want to get divorced. | scheiden | to separate, divorce |
| The sun is shining on the earth. | scheinen | to shine, seem, appear |
| I hope the dog doesn't shit in the house again! | scheißen | to shit, crap |
| He has failed with his plans. | scheitern | to fail, break down |
| The teacher has scolded the lazy pupil for his bad work. | schelten | to chide |
| She gives her mother a book for her birthday. | schenken | to give (as a present) |
| The shepherd has shorn the sheep before winter arrives. | scheren | to shear |
| Kurt's father sends him a letter every Christmas. | schicken | to send |
| They have to push the car because it no longer runs. | schieben | to push |
| The policeman shoots into the air with his gun. | schießen | to shoot |
| The witness tells the police how the accident happened. | schildern | to describe |
| The father scolds the cheeky children. | schimpfen | to scold, rant |
| The farmer has worked the leather thoroughly to make it soft and durable. | schinden | to oppress |
| Did you sleep well? | schlafen | to sleep |
| When Tim is angry, he sometimes hits his little sister. | schlagen | to hit, beat |
| When his parents are asleep, Daniel quietly sneaks out of the house. | schleichen | to creep, prowl, sneak |
| The blacksmith has carefully sharpened the sword until it is sharp and shiny. | schleifen | to grind, sand |
| My little son carries his big suitcase all by himself. | schleppen | to tow, drag |
| The store closes at five o'clock today. | schließen | to close |
| The snake has wrapped itself around its prey and squeezed it tightly. | schlingen | to bolt |
| Every evening he has to swallow a tablet. | schlucken | to swallow |
| Chicks have hatched from the eggs. | schlüpfen | to slip |

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| How does the food taste? | schmecken | to taste |
| It's easy to flatter a child. | schmeicheln | to flatter |
| The boy has thrown the ball far over the fence. | schmeißen | to chuck |
| The snow on the mountains has slowly melted in the spring sun. | schmelzen | to melt |
| My friend is cutting the bread for breakfast. | schneiden | to cut |
| He is writing a letter to his girlfriend. | schreiben | to write |
| The baby is crying loudly. | schreien | to cry out, scream |
| The couple walk slowly out of the church. | schreiten | to stride, pace, tread, step |
| Have you shrunk or have you always been this small? | schrumpfen | to shrink |
| You have to shake the bottle before opening it. | schütteln | to shake |
| We shelter from the rain under the roof. | schützen | to protect |
| I'm wavering in my decision about where to go on vacation this year. | schwanken | to vary |
| The clouds are hovering in the sky. | schweben | to float, hover, be in the balance |
| I don't want to argue with my mother, so I keep quiet. | schweigen | to remain silent |
| My hand is swollen. | schwellen | to rise, swell |
| It swims in the sea every morning. | schwimmen | to swim |
| The fog has quickly disappeared in the morning and has opened up the view of the landscape. | schwinden | to wane |
| Ole swings the child through the air by the arms. | schwingen | to swing |
| I swear to you that I'm not lying. | schwören | to swear |
| The ship has sailed to Hamburg. | segeln | to sail |
| Since he got his new glasses, he can see better. | sehen | to see |
| Today we're broadcasting live from London, where Prince Harry is getting married. | senden | to send, broadcast |
| The new government is cutting high taxes. | senken | to sink, lower, decrease |
| The waiter serves us warm cake with ice cream. | servieren | to serve |
| He sits the child on the chair. | setzen | to set, place, put |
| Barbara sighs loudly when she sees the huge amount of work. | seufzen | to sigh |
| We buy cameras to secure our house. | sichern | to secure, safeguard |
| We have to make sure the machines work well. | sicherstellen | to confiscate, guarantee, ensure |
| In this game, the smartest will win. | siegen | to win, triumph |
| With his hands he signals me not to speak. | signalisieren | to signal |
| They sing a song. | singen | to sing |
| The ship sinks to the bottom of the sea. | sinken | to sink |
| The detective has pondered for a long time to solve the riddle. | sinnen | to muse (brood) |
| A black dog is sitting on the bottom. | sitzen | to sit |
| Before the architect designs the model for the new building, he sketches it roughly. | skizzieren | to outline, sketch |
| I take care of my children. | sorgen | to worry, take care |
| The party should not split before the elections. | spalten | to split |
| I stretch a rope in the garden to hang my things on. | spannen | to stretch, tighten |
| Helen is saving her money for a big trip. | sparen | to save |
| He walked through the city. | spazieren | to (go for a) walk, stroll |
| Daniel saves everything on his computer. | speichern | to store, save |

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| The volcano spewed ash and lava when it erupted. | speien | to spew |
| The police close the road because there has been an accident. | sperrern | to cut off, block, close |
| The doctor specializes in genetic diseases. | spezialisieren | to specialize |
| Diana sits by the sea and the sun is reflected in the water. | spiegeln | to shine, reflect |
| The children are playing in the garden. | spielen | to play |
| You're crazy if you believe this story. | spinnen | to spin, be crazy |
| The student wants to talk to the professor. | sprechen | to speak |
| Today the workers are demolishing the old house because it is already falling apart. | sprengen | to blast, blow up |
| In spring, the flowers have sprouted quickly and made the garden colorful. | sprießen | to sprout (grow) |
| All the children are jumping in the air during the game. | springen | to jump |
| I can feel the cold air on my skin. | spüren | to sense, notice, feel |
| Relations between the countries are stabilizing. | stabilisieren | to stabilize |
| Her family comes from India. | stammen | to come (from), descend |
| Good food and sport improve health. | stärken | to strengthen |
| People are staring at the street, where an accident has just happened. | starren | to stare |
| A new course starts in the summer. | starten | to start |
| There are lots of parties in our garden in the summer. | stattfinden | to take place, occur |
| She is amazed at her daughter's courage. | staunen | to be astonished |
| I break off the rose and prick my finger in the process. | stechen | to sting, prick, stab |
| You have to put the key in the lock. | stecken | to put, be located |
| The bikes are in the cellar. | stehen | to stand |
| The car has stopped in the middle of the road. | stehenbleiben | to stay |
| The children are stealing fruit from the neighbor's garden. | stehlen | to steal |
| I climb the mountain. | steigen | to climb, increase |
| The new products in the store increase sales. | steigern | to increase, raise |
| He puts his bike in the garden. | stellen | to place, set, put |
| You die without water. | sterben | to die |
| You can use the steering wheel to control where the car goes. | steuern | to steer, control |
| Everyone votes against Nina's idea. | stimmen | to be correct, vote, tune |
| Success stimulates him to perform better. | stimulieren | to stimulate |
| If you don't wash, you stink. | stinken | to stink |
| The waitress trips over a step and drops all her glasses. | stolpern | to trip, stumble |
| The police stop the demonstration after a few meters. | stoppen | to stop |
| Sonja doesn't want to be disturbed in her work. | stören | to disturb, bother |
| He bumps his head on the ceiling because he is so tall. | stoßen | to bump, push |
| The sun shines through the clouds. | strahlen | to shine |
| Everyone strives to live a happy life. | streben | to strive |
| The baby stretches its arms in the air. | strecken | to stretch |
| You can't stroke my dog today, he's sick. | streicheln | to pet |
| We're painting the apartment a nice color. | streichen | to paint, cancel |
| A branch brushes my shoulder in the forest. | streifen | to touch, brush |

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| He's a difficult person because he argues with everyone. | streiten | to quarrel, argue |
| The blood rushes through his body. | strömen | to flow |
| You have to structure a scientific lecture well. | strukturieren | to structure |
| They study together at university. | studieren | to study |
| I didn't see the step and fell. | stürzen | to fall, stumble |
| The results of the experiment support our theory. | stützen | to support, base on |
| Lisett is looking for a good job. | suchen | to search, look for |
| My parents like to dance the tango. | tanzen | to dance |
| I feel for the glasses with my hand. | tasten | to fumble, feel |
| They have dived to the bottom of the sea. | tauchen | to dive, dip |
| The ice on the lake has thawed. | tauen | to thaw |
| Karla and Paul swap seats in the movie theater so that Klara can see better. | tauschen | to exchange, change, swap, switch |
| The first impression of him is deceptive, he's actually a nice boy. | täuschen | to deceive, be mistaken |
| I share a room with my brother. | teilen | to divide, share |
| Angela takes part in the event on Saturday. | teilnehmen | to take part |
| He talks to his mother on the phone every evening. | telefonieren | to (make a telephone) call |
| Mr. Gottfried is testing a new medication for pain. | testen | to test |
| We need to discuss the problem so that we can solve it. | thematisieren | to broach the issue, make a subject of discussion |
| I type the text on my computer. | tippen | to tap, type |
| His mother was killed in an accident. | töten | to kill |
| I'm wearing pants. | tragen | to carry, wear |
| Aaron trains every day for the swimming competition. | trainieren | to train, coach |
| The goods can be transported by plane or ship. | transportieren | to transport |
| I don't dare to fly because I'm afraid. | trauen | to trust, dare to |
| Many people dream of becoming rich and powerful. | träumen | to dream |
| Tomorrow I'm meeting up with some friends. | treffen | to meet |
| The dogs drive the cows into the meadow. | treiben | to drive, pursue |
| A wall separates two rooms. | trennen | to separate |
| Natascha opens the door and steps outside. | treten | to step |
| I don't drink coffee. | trinken | to drink |
| I always let my hair dry in the air. | trocknen | to dry |
| If you're sad, come to me and I'll comfort you. | trösten | to comfort |
| The deceiver has deceived people with his lies. | trügen | to deceive |
| I have nothing to do today. | tun | to do |
| The children are practicing for a play that they will present in two weeks' time. | üben | to practice |
| Theory and practice don't match. | übereinstimmen | to accord, correspond, agree |
| The many new tasks are overwhelming me at the moment. | überfordern | to overtax, be too much |
| The cars are being transferred to America. | überführen | to transfer |
| The package is handed over to the customer. | übergeben | to hand over, transfer |
| The house becomes the son's property. | übergehen | to pass into |
| If the car in front of me drives too slowly, I overtake it. | überholen | to pass, overhual |
| Rudolf leaves it up to me to decide what we're having for dinner tonight. | überlassen | to leave |
| Fortunately, the man survived the attack. | überleben | to survive |

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| We are thinking about moving to Norway. | überlegen | to consider, think about, think of |
| Lisa is staying with her boyfriend Jonas for the first time tonight. | übernachten | to stay overnight, spend the night, sleep over |
| She's taking over her father's company. | übernehmen | to take over |
| We have to check her papers. | überprüfen | to check |
| We have to cross the road quickly before a car comes. | überqueren | to cross |
| I wanted to surprise you with the party. | überraschen | to surprise |
| The final cost should not exceed 10,000 euros. | überschreiten | to exceed |
| The driver overlooks the man on the road and hits him. | übersehen | to overlook |
| She has translated several Spanish novels into German. | übersetzen | to translate |
| The plant survives the winter without any problems. | überstehen | to overcome, survive |
| I have to delegate some tasks to my colleagues. | übertragen | to transfer |
| You can't believe everything she says. She likes to exaggerate. | übertreiben | to exaggerate |
| The state is taking measures to make it easier to monitor people. | überwachen | to monitor, control, watch |
| The policeman overpowers the man and takes his gun. | überwältigen | to overwhelm |
| Can you transfer the money to me today? | überweisen | to transfer |
| Because the negative arguments outweigh the positive ones, I decide against it. | überwiegen | to outweigh |
| Annelies overcomes her fear and gets on the plane. | überwinden | to overcome |
| Tina convinces her boss of her idea. | überzeugen | to convince |
| If it gets cold, you'll have to put on a jacket. | überziehen | to cover, put on, overdraw |
| I hug my friend as she gets on the train. | umarmen | to embrace |
| Too much work will eventually kill you. | umbringen | to kill |
| Turn around, I'm behind you. | umdrehen | to turn over, turn around |
| The vase has fallen over. | umfallen | to fall over, capitulate |
| A wall surrounds our garden. | umfassen | to include, consist of, surround |
| Mountains covered in snow surround the small town in the valley. | umgeben | to surround, enclose |
| Do you know how to use a gun? | umgehen | to treat, handle |
| In countries with a different currency, I have to convert prices. | umrechnen | to convert |
| Even though I know you're not there, I always look for you on the street. | umsehen | to look (around) |
| He needs a lot of money to implement his plan. | umsetzen | to implement, move, put (into practice) |
| The energy from the water is converted into electricity. | umwandeln | to convert, change |
| The family has moved into a new apartment. | umziehen | to move |
| The movie on TV is interrupted by commercials. | unterbrechen | to interrupt |
| The new students are housed in a building next to the library. | unterbringen | to put (up), accommodate |
| The country's minority is oppressed and tries to flee. | unterdrücken | to suppress |
| They are afraid that the ship will sink. | untergehen | to go down |

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| Bärbel and Ronny talk about political issues. | unterhalten | to amuse oneself, chat |
| Visiting the library is subject to certain rules. | unterliegen | to be defeated, be subject |
| Sarah wants to lie on the beach on vacation, while Erik would rather do something. | unternehmen | to undertake, do, take action |
| The teacher teaches German and French at school. | unterrichten | to teach |
| Because I am small, many people underestimate my strength. | unterschätzen | to underestimate |
| He can't tell left from right. | unterscheiden | to distinguish |
| Miriam signs the contract for her new job. | unterschreiben | to sign |
| You will be in charge of the research department. | unterstellen | to put in charge, imply, store |
| The teacher underlines the important words. | unterstreichen | to underline, emphasize |
| Many parents support their children financially during their studies. | unterstützen | to support |
| They are investigating the development of the new virus. | untersuchen | to examine |
| The company is divided into different areas. | unterteilen | to divide, subdivide, partition |
| Prices vary greatly from store to store. | variieren | to vary |
| We can arrange to meet tomorrow to study. | verabreden | to arrange, make an appointment |
| Stephan and Irina say goodbye at the station. | verabschieden | to say goodbye, pass |
| We want to change the world. | verändern | to change |
| A constitution enshrines certain social values. | verankern | to anchor, enshrine |
| The lawyer arranges for the judgment to be reviewed. | veranlassen | to arrange, cause, initiate |
| My school is having a party today. | veranstalten | to organize |
| It will take a long time to come to terms with the death of my parents. | verarbeiten | to use, process, assimilate |
| Katja hides her anger and smiles. | verbergen | to hide, conceal |
| The smoking ban will improve the quality of the air. | verbessern | to improve, correct |
| Tina forbids her children from playing games on the computer. | verbieten | to forbid, prohibit |
| Music connects people. | verbinden | to connect, link, unite |
| I stay with the salesman so that he can show me an alternative product tomorrow. | verbleiben | to remain, stay, agree |
| The rose has faded. | verblühen | to wither |
| We use a lot of water in our household. | verbrauchen | to use, consume |
| The police spread the news via the media. | verbreiten | to spread |
| She burns all the evidence before the police arrive. | verbrennen | to burn |
| When I study for an exam, I spend a lot of time in the library. | verbringen | to spend (time) |
| The patient owes his life to the doctor. | verdanken | to owe, have sb to thank for sth |
| It's dark because the clouds cover the sun. | verdecken | to cover, hide |
| The food has spoiled because it has been left unrefrigerated for too long. | verderben | to spoil |
| The teacher illustrates his statement with examples. | verdeutlichen | to clarify, explain |
| Together we earn enough money to pay our bills. | verdienen | to earn, deserve |
| This year, the company doubles its profits. | verdoppeln | to double |

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| Many people repress their memories of the war. | verdrängen | to drive out, suppress |
| Ludwig and Christian agree to meet at the university at eight o'clock. | vereinbaren | to agree |
| You combine all the good qualities of your parents. | vereinen | to unite |
| This software simplifies our work processes. | vereinfachen | to simplify |
| In 1990, West and East Germany reunited. | vereinigen | to unite |
| The old houses in this part of town are falling into disrepair because nobody is buying them. | verfallen | to decay, deteriorate, expire |
| Mr. Jarvis draws up the contract to buy the house. | verfassen | to draw up, write |
| They are pursued by the police. | verfolgen | to pursue, chase |
| The country has nuclear weapons. | verfügen | to have sth at one's disposal, be in charge |
| They have awarded the contract to an English architect. | vergeben | to award, allocate, give away, forgive |
| Time passes very quickly. | vergehen | to pass (time) |
| He always forgets to buy fresh milk. | vergessen | to forget |
| My grandma always compares prices before she buys a product. | vergleichen | to compare |
| I try to constantly increase my wealth by working hard. | vergrößern | to increase, extend, enlarge |
| The police arrest the perpetrator. | verhaften | to arrest |
| You're behaving like a child. | verhalten | to behave, act |
| We can still negotiate the price. | verhandeln | to negotiate |
| The court imposes penalties. | verhängen | to impose |
| You can't hide anything from me. | verheimlichen | to conceal |
| The policeman is directing traffic to prevent an accident. | verhindern | to prevent |
| Nobody starved to death. | verhungern | to starve |
| Hildegart sells fresh eggs at the market. | verkaufen | to sell |
| My son associates with bad people. | verkehren | to socialize, consort |
| People often associate memories with certain smells. | verknüpfen | to tie |
| Mia and Steffen announce that they are having a baby. | verkünden | to announce |
| I want to shorten the time I work so that I have more time for my children. | verkürzen | to shorten |
| I want a clean room. | verlangen | to request, demand |
| The contract is automatically renewed at the end of the month. | verlängern | to lengthen, extend |
| They will be leaving the country in a month's time. | verlassen | to leave |
| Fortunately, the concert goes without any technical problems. | verlaufen | to proceed, get lost |
| I often don't know where my cell phone is because I keep misplacing it. | verlegen | to misplace, postpone |
| Jutta only lends her books to good friends. | verleihen | to lend, award |
| He injures his hand with a knife. | verletzen | to injure |
| Robin and Charly fell in love at first sight. | verlieben | to fall in love |
| Johann always loses at soccer. | verlieren | to lose |
| Keep enough distance to avoid accidents! | vermeiden | to avoid |
| The plane slows down to land. | vermindern | to reduce, decrease |
| She always misses her husband when he's away. | vermissen | to miss |
| Last month, the job center placed 250 people. | vermitteln | to convey, mediate, find, procure |
| Jan can't even think about the exams next week. | vermögen | to be capable |
| I suspect they're already at home. | vermuten | to assume, suspect |
| I neglect my husband because I work so much. | vernachlässigen | to neglect |

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| Witnesses are regularly heard in court. | vernehmen | to hear, examine, question |
| At the company, we network all the computers together. | vernetzen | to link, network |
| Many secret files were destroyed in the GDR. | vernichten | to destroy |
| She was only 19 years old when she published her first book. | veröffentlichen | to publish |
| Thomas misses the call because he's in the library. | verpassen | to miss |
| The contract obliges Ms. Meier to work 30 hours a week. | verpflichten | to obligate, oblige, commit |
| Felix tells Hannah his secret. | verraten | to tell a secret, give away, betray |
| When a school is on the road, drivers have to reduce their speed. | verringern | to reduce |
| He fails the test completely. | versagen | to fail |
| The colleagues gather for the meeting. | versammeln | to assemble, gather |
| Tom gets me a job in his company. | verschaffen | to provide |
| Many governments want to tighten the laws on asylum again. | verschärfen | to tighten, intensify |
| Elisabeth postpones the appointment from Wednesday to Friday. | verschieben | to move, postpone |
| You have to lock the house properly when we go on vacation. | verschließen | to close, lock |
| The doctor has prescribed massages. | verschreiben | to prescribe |
| The sun is disappearing behind the mountains. | verschwinden | to disappear |
| We have to provide every student with materials. | versehen | to perform, provide |
| Half of my colleagues are being transferred from our company to Berlin. | versetzen | to move, transfer |
| He insures his bike in case he has an accident. | versichern | to insure, assert |
| After the storm, the ship sinks into the sea. | versinken | to sink |
| It is important to provide poor people with food. | versorgen | to supply, provide, look after |
| My dog's food has been eaten. | verspeisen | to consume |
| The government promises to invest in education. | versprechen | to promise |
| The neighbor immediately calls the fire department when she notices the fire. | verständigen | to notify, communicate |
| Checks at the borders are tightened. | verstärken | to strengthen, reinforce |
| He hides his hair under his hat. | verstecken | to hide |
| Please speak a little louder, I can't hear you. | verstehen | to understand |
| The actor died last Tuesday after years of illness. | versterben | to pass away |
| Because the gang keeps breaking the law, all the members are now going to prison. | verstoßen | to repudiate, trespass, break (the law) |
| I walk into the room and all conversations fall silent. | verstummen | to fall silent |
| I try to pass the test. | versuchen | to try, attempt |
| The lawyer defends the offender in court. | verteidigen | to defend |
| Opportunities for education must be distributed fairly. | verteilen | to distribute |
| I am completely absorbed in my book. | vertiefen | to deepen, consolidate, engross |
| Do you trust me? | vertrauen | to trust |
| The retailer sells many regional goods. | vertreiben | to drive out, sell |
| Mrs. Arnolds is standing in for our teacher today because he is ill. | vertreten | to represent, advocate, substitute |
| Too many sweet foods cause skin problems. | verursachen | to cause |

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| The man is sentenced by the court to 200 hours of social work. | verurteilen | to condemn |
| Then the girl turns into a beautiful princess. | verwandeln | to transform, turn into |
| Hannah and Maria look so much alike that I often confuse them. | verwechseln | to confuse, mix up |
| At the border, they refuse to let them enter the country. | verweigern | to refuse |
| The coach sends the player off the pitch. | verweisen | to refer, expel |
| I also use my phone to take photos. | verwenden | to use |
| I'm moving to another city to realize my dreams. | verwirklichen | to fulfill, realize, turn into reality |
| Paul doesn't understand the question and looks confused. | verwirren | to confuse |
| You've been wounded in these attacks by the enemy. | verwunden | to wound |
| I'm surprised that you don't know the book. | verwundern | to surprise, amaze, astonish |
| The company has seen a steady increase in profits. | verzeichnen | to list, record |
| I can't forgive him, even though he has apologized. | verzeihen | to forgive, excuse |
| The family wants to give up meat. | verzichten | to do without |
| Gabi's mouth is twisted because the apple is so sour. | verziehen | to distort, twist |
| I have to wait because the train departure is delayed by 20 minutes. | verzögern | to delay |
| The tasks are so difficult that I sometimes despair. | verzweifeln | to despair |
| In the first few years of a child's life, significant physical and mental developmental steps take place. | vollziehen | to carry out, administer, take place |
| The decision is preceded by long discussions. | vorangehen | to precede, lead (the way) |
| We have to push the project forward so that it is finally finished. | vorantreiben | to further, promote, push forward |
| Experience is a prerequisite for the job. | voraussetzen | to presuppose, take for granted |
| Markus walks past us without talking to us. | vorbeigehen | to go past, pass |
| On the way to Katrin's, we pass lots of stores. | vorbeikommen | to pass |
| They are preparing for the exam. | vorbereiten | to prepare |
| Martin leans forward and looks over his son's shoulder. | vorbeugen | to bend over, lean forward, prevent |
| Johanna pretends to be someone else. | vorgeben | to use as an excuse, set in advance, pretend |
| While Anja is still queuing at the checkout, her friends are already moving on to the next store. | vorgehen | to go on, go ahead, be fast, have priority |
| I can't go to the movies tonight because I already have other plans. | vorhaben | to have in mind, be planning, intend |
| Storms like this happen frequently in the region. | vorkommen | to happen, occur, seem |
| Jonathan has to show his passport to the police. | vorlegen | to present, provide, produce |
| To help my child learn to speak properly, I read a lot of books to him. | vorlesen | to read sth to sb |
| We now have the results of the examination. | vorliegen | to be available, exist |

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| Iris is determined to do better in the next exam. | vornehmen | to plan |
| Katja suggests going to the seaside when the weather is good. | vorschlagen | to suggest |
| I'm not going to let my parents tell me what to study. | vorschreiben | to dictate |
| Christopher looks behind the corner he's hiding behind. | vorsehen | to look around, plan, provide for |
| May I introduce my wife Stefanie? | vorstellen | to introduce, imagine |
| Today I'm presenting my new project to my colleagues. | vortragen | to present, perform |
| The summer is going by too fast. | vorübergehen | to pass by |
| He is accused of not having paid taxes. | vorwerfen | to accuse, reproach |
| In the evening, I prefer to eat little so that I can sleep well. | vorziehen | to prefer |
| Children grow faster than adults. | wachsen | to grow |
| Dominik ventures onto the thin ice on the lake. | wagen | to dare, risk |
| They are electing a new chancellor today. | wählen | to choose, elect, vote |
| There are sounds that cannot be heard with the human ear. | wahrnehmen | to perceive, detect |
| My opinion will not change. | wandeln | to change, convert |
| Lucy likes to hike in the countryside or in the mountains. | wandern | to (go on a) walk or hike, migrate |
| The police are warning people about the storm. | warnen | to warn |
| I'll wait for you at the station. | warten | to wait |
| Katja washes her hands before she eats. | waschen | to wash |
| I still have to change euros into dollars. | wechseln | to change |
| My cell phone wakes me up every morning at half past seven. | wecken | to wake sb up |
| After the Wall came down, border controls were abolished. | wegfallen | to disappear |
| Many people leave after leaving school to study in another city. | weggehen | to leave, go away |
| Magnus always takes all his little brother's things away. | wegnehmen | to take away |
| The wind is blowing very strongly today. | wehen | to blow, flutter |
| Fight back if you are treated unfairly! | wehren | to defend oneself |
| They had to give way to the ambulance. | weichen | to soak, give way, yield |
| The child refuses to take his mother's hand. It would rather walk on its own. | weigern | to refuse |
| When someone cries, his or her body produces tears. | weinen | to cry, weep |
| He points in the same direction. | weisen | to point |
| We still have to develop the plan until we can put it into practice. | weiterentwickeln | to develop, refine |
| He passes on the good news to his sisters. | weitergeben | to pass on |
| The course will continue next semester. | weitergehen | to go on, continue |
| My colleague is on vacation and I have to carry on without him. | weitermachen | to carry on, continue |
| Gabi turns the car around and drives back. | wenden | to turn around |
| They're advertising the new store on the corner on the radio. | werben | to advertise |
| Thomas throws stones at her window. | werfen | to throw |
| The press sees the agreement as a great success. | werten | to rate, judge |
| When the sun shines, the water reflects the light. | widerspiegeln | to reflect |
| As a child, you should not contradict your parents. | widersprechen | to contradict |

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| The author dedicates the book to her mother. | widmen | to dedicate |
| Benjamin reproduces the text in his own words. | wiedergeben | to report, reproduce |
| Can you please repeat that again? | wiederholen | to repeat |
| I'll see you again next week. | wiedersehen | to see again |
| Miriam's baby weighs 3000 grams at birth. | wiegen | to weigh |
| The storm has twisted the rope around the tree. | winden | to wind |
| I wave goodbye to my parents. | winken | to wave |
| When the medication takes effect, Markus is no longer in pain. | wirken | to have an effect, take effect, work |
| They mop the floor in the apartment once a week. | wischen | to wipe, mop |
| Max knows a lot and is good at school. | wissen | to know |
| Juliane lives in a big city. | wohnen | to live |
| The children want to play. | wollen | to want to |
| The farmer has wrung the water out of the wet cloth. | wringen | to wring |
| They wonder why we are so happy. | wundern | to be surprised, wonder |
| What do you want for your birthday? | wünschen | to want, wish |
| With this poem, the poet pays tribute to his beloved. | würdigen | to appreciate, pay tribute |
| He thinks men should pay the bill. | zahlen | to pay |
| Laura can count to 100 in Spanish. | zählen | to count |
| Linda draws a rough draft of her new comic. | zeichnen | to draw |
| Can you show me the way? | zeigen | to show |
| If you drop the mirror, it will break. | zerbrechen | to break, shatter |
| The cake is so dry that it falls apart on the plate. | zerfallen | to fall apart, disintegrate, decay, decline |
| He breaks his car into small pieces. | zerlegen | to dismantle, take apart |
| I tear up his letter because I'm still angry. | zerreißen | to tear (up, to pieces) |
| Lara tugs at my arm because she wants an ice cream. | zerren | to pull |
| The construction of the new road is destroying the forest. | zerstören | to destroy |
| You have to pull on the door to open it. | ziehen | to pull, move |
| He points the gun directly at the animal. | zielen | to aim |
| Jonas quotes the author of the book. | zitieren | to quote |
| He shivers with cold. | zittern | to tremble, shiver |
| Sven hesitates briefly, but then he asks the question. | zögern | to hesitate |
| His legs twitch in his sleep. | zucken | to twitch, shrug |
| You have to add energy to water to make it boil. | zuführen | to lead to sth, supply |
| I admit it was my mistake. | zugeben | to admit |
| I walk slowly towards the big dog. | zugehen | to approach, close |
| The students listen to the professor. | zuhören | to listen |
| Ali comes up to Emi and hugs her. | zukommen | to come toward, be in store |
| Sebastian's father won't let his son drop out of university. | zulassen | to allow, admit |
| We buy cows so that we always have fresh milk. | zulegen | to gain, put on, get |
| When it rains, you have to close all the windows. | zumachen | to close, shut down |
| The number of unemployed people is increasing. | zunehmen | to increase |
| This poem can be attributed to one of the three poets. | zuordnen | to assign, classify |

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| Because there is no room in the car, I have to stay behind here. | zurückbleiben | to stay behind |
| The mistake is due to the program. | zurückführen | to attribute, trace back |
| I want to return the dress because it doesn't fit me. | zurückgeben | to give back, return |
| Peter has to go back and get his key. | zurückgehen | to go back, decrease |
| I draw on my experience to solve the problem. | zurückgreifen | to fall back |
| I can't hold back my tears at the wedding. | zurückhalten | to hold back, restrain |
| Robert returns home after years abroad. | zurückkehren | to return |
| I'm on vacation now and won't be back for another two weeks. | zurückkommen | to return |
| I leave my luggage at the hotel so I don't have to carry it. | zurücklassen | to leave (back) |
| You walk 30 kilometers every day. | zurücklegen | to put back, put aside, cover (distance) |
| My childhood was many years ago. | zurückliegen | to date back, be in the past, trail |
| The politician resigns after the scandal. | zurücktreten | to step back, resign |
| Pia rejects me when I confess my love for her. | zurückweisen | to reject |
| His daughter takes his place and he retires from the company. | zurückziehen | to withdraw |
| When will you finally say yes to the vacation? | zusagen | to promise, accept |
| Scientists from different fields work together to find a solution. | zusammenarbeiten | to cooperate |
| The bridge is so old that it is collapsing. | zusammenbrechen | to collapse, break down |
| At the end of the text, the author summarizes the results. | zusammenfassen | to summarize |
| My sister and I always stick together when there are arguments in the family. | zusammenhalten | to hold together, stick together |
| The number of fish is related to the quality of the water. | zusammenhängen | to be connected |
| The whole family comes together at Christmas. | zusammenkommen | to meet, come together |
| Sonia and Tina live together in a small apartment. | zusammenleben | to live together |
| We have to put all the pieces back together again. | zusammensetzen | to put together |
| The parents watch their children play | zuschauen | to watch |
| I strike very quickly when I'm angry. | zuschlagen | to strike, slam |
| People often attribute very positive qualities to me. | zuschreiben | to accredit, attribute |
| Parents want to watch their children train. | zusehen | to watch |
| He is entitled to half the winnings. | zustehen | to be entitled |
| I agree with my professor's opinion. | zustimmen | to agree, consent |
| He has the confidence to solve the problem on his own. | zutrauen | to dare to do sth |
| Your answer does not apply to the question. | zutreffen | to be correct, apply to |
| The teacher assigns each student a seat. | zuweisen | to assign |
| After the call, he turns back to his work. | zuwenden | to turn toward, devote oneself to |
| I doubt the truth of the story. | zweifeln | to doubt |
| Markus doesn't want to go to school, but his mother forces him. | zwingen | to force |