

scenery (n)	the furniture and painted background on a theatre stage: <i>The play was good but the scenery wasn't very realistic.</i>
stage (n)	the part of a theatre where the actors or musicians perform: <i>They had now been on stage for over four hours.</i>
band (n)	a group of musicians who play popular music: <i>He used to play in a jazz band.</i>
orchestra (n)	a large group of musicians who use many different instruments in order to play mostly classical music: <i>There are over fifty people in the school orchestra.</i>
group (n)	a small set of musicians who play pop music: <i>Would you like to be in a pop group?</i>
review (n)	an article in which someone gives their opinion of a play, book, exhibition, etc: <i>The film got really good reviews.</i>
criticism (n)	a comment or comments that show that you think something is wrong or bad: <i>The new plans drew fierce criticism from local people.</i>
ticket (n)	a piece of paper that shows that you have paid to do something such as go to a concert, visit a museum, or travel on a train, bus, plane, etc: <i>We'll send your tickets a week before your flight.</i>
fee (n)	an amount of money that you pay to be allowed to do something such as join an organisation: <i>The gallery charges a small entrance fee.</i>
novel (n)	a long written story about imaginary characters and events: <i>Have you read any of Martin Amis' novels?</i>
fiction (n)	books and stories about imaginary events and people: <i>Hardy wrote poetry as well as fiction.</i>
comic (n)	a magazine that contains stories told in a series of drawings: <i>My little brother gets a comic every Friday.</i>
cartoon (n)	a film or TV programme made by photographing a series of drawings so that things in them seem to move; a humorous drawing or series of drawings in a newspaper or magazine: <i>There's a very funny cartoon in today's paper.</i>
comedian (n)	someone whose job is to entertain people by making them laugh: <i>The comedian was so bad the audience didn't let him finish his act.</i>
watch (v)	to look at someone or something for a period of time: <i>Did you watch the news last night?</i>
see (v)	to watch something such as a film or television programme: <i>Have you seen American Beauty?</i>
look (v)	to direct your eyes towards someone or something so that you can see them: <i>Dan looked at his watch.</i>
listen (v)	to pay attention to a sound, or to try to hear a sound: <i>Do you like listening to music?</i>

hear (v)

to realise that someone or something is making a sound: *Mary heard the sound of voices.*

Unit 26

put on (phr v)

to cover a part of your body with a piece of clothing or jewellery so that you are wearing it: *Dorothy put on her coat and went out.*

wear (v)

to have something on your body as clothing, decoration or protection: *He was wearing jeans and a T-shirt.*

costume (n)

clothes that the actors wear in a play or film: *I thought the costumes they were wearing in the play were fantastic.*

suit (n)

a set of clothes made from the same cloth, usually a jacket with trousers or a skirt: *He was wearing a dark suit and a tie.*

dye (v)

to change the colour of something such as cloth or hair using dye: *Why don't you dye your hair red?*

paint (v)

to put paint onto something in order to change its colour: *Wash the walls before you start to paint.*

fit (v)

if clothes fit, they are the right size for you: *It is important that children's shoes fit correctly.*

suit (v)

if a style or something you wear suits you, it makes you look good: *The new hairstyle really suits her.*

match (v)

if one thing matches another, or they match, they form an attractive combination: *She wore a green dress and a hat to match.*

cloth (n)

material used for making things such as clothes and curtains: *I really like the cloth you've used on these cushions. What is it?*

clothing (n)

clothes: *I told the hotel manager that some items of clothing had gone missing from my room.*

blouse (n)

a shirt for women: *Women are expected to wear blouses in our office.*

top (n)

a piece of clothing that covers the upper part of your body: *She was wearing a red skirt and a black top.*

design (v)

to decide how something will be made, how it will work, or what it will look like, and often to make drawings of it: *The bride wore a dress that she designed herself.*

manufacture (v)

to make goods in large quantities in a factory: *The firm manufactures women's clothing.*

current (adj)

happening or existing now: *Production is likely to remain at current levels.*

new (adj)

recently made, invented or developed: *They are going to build a new office block here.*

modern (adj)

relating to or belonging to the present time: *Modern offices are usually full of computers.*