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**VOCABULARY LISTS
FOR THE B1 (PET/ISE I)**

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VOCABULARY ADVICE

The first thing you need to remember for the learning of vocabulary is our methodology: **START**

See it, say it and check pronunciation

Try it in a context (translate it if you need to)

Apply it and use it in phrases

Review it and remember it

Test it by using it in another context related to the exam

What you need to do is make sure you start building your vocabulary in a logical way.

1. **Start with your interests.** You will use this vocabulary the most frequently and you need to know it well.
2. **Do not** learn individual words. You should learn new vocabulary as short phrases. Only the new word should be new. E.g. LOOK AFTER = Tomorrow I need to *look after* my kids.
3. **Read a lot!**
4. **Watch TV** in English with English subtitles and take notes. You should start watching programmes that you have already seen in your language.



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MEMORIZATION TECHNIQUES

Learning new vocabulary can be one of the most difficult parts of language learning, but it does not need to be boring or time consuming. The most important thing is to do it regularly and do it in a way that you enjoy.

The most important thing is consistency. By reviewing vocabulary for 30 minutes per day, you will advance very quickly. The important thing is to find the way you enjoy to learn and do this for long enough so that you notice the progress you have made.

What you need to do is a mixture of activities that you find useful and interesting:

1. Write phrases (take new words and put them into contexts that you can remember easily)
2. Watch TV with subtitles and take notes
3. Create stories with new words so that you can retell the story and remember the words
4. Match new words with synonyms and similar words
5. Use images. Relate new words to images
6. Incorporate new words into your daily routine. Put post-it notes around the house etc.
7. Read all types of texts
8. Write all the time
9. Think in English. Think about words and topics frequently
10. Record your own voice. Record yourself on your phone saying new words in phrases.



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VOCABULARY TOPICS FOR THE PET EXAM

	TOPIC	VOCABULARY	GRAMMAR
1	Time and daily routine	Routine, habits, collocations, phrasal verbs	Present tenses, adverbs of frequency, prepositions of time, Question formation
2	Leisure time and hobbies	Likes and dislikes, collocations, phrasal verbs	Mixed tenses, organisation of ideas
3	Working and earning	Work, money,, jobs, collocations, phrasal verbs	Gerund versus infinitive, expressing opinions
4	Travel and tourism	Travel, places, collocations, phrasal verbs	Future tenses, suggestions
5	Science, nature and our world	Environment, places, collocations, phrasal verbs	Passive, ED-ING adjectives, developing a topic
6	Education and learning	Education, people, collocations, phrasal verbs	Modal verbs, perfect tenses, purpose
7	People and relationships	Feelings adjectives, get, collocations, phrasal verbs	Comparatives, reported speech, pronouns
8	Health and lifestyle	Sport, the human body, diet, collocations, phrasal verbs	Conditionals, connectives (organisation)
9	Buying and selling	Shopping, work, money, collocations, phrasal verbs	(Un)Countable nouns, articles, relative clauses, question tags
10	Eating and drinking	Food, health, collocations, phrasal verbs	Quantifiers, negotiate an outcome

*Time 120 hours/4 weeks (approx.)

We have included more than enough vocabulary than you will need to pass the exam. If you know all of the 100 phrasal verbs, you will easily pass the exam. You only really need to understand 40 of them to pass it. Collocations and prepositions are important to we have included a lot of them.



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Vocabulary sheet 1

Unit Vocabulary	Collocations
Iron (v) Sweep (v) Wash (v) Clean (v) Tidy (v) Housework (n) Get dressed (v) Get undressed (v) Have a shower (v) Watch TV (v) Go to work (v) Go to bed (v) Brush (PD*) hair/teeth Shave (v) Laundry/washing (n) Do exercise (v)	Arrive at Get to Listen to Talk on (the phone) Look at Do the washing/laundry Argue with (somebody) Argue about (something) Complain about (something) Complain to (somebody) Pay for Insist on Hear about/of (something) Prevent (somebody) from Warn (somebody) about Stand for
Phrasal verbs	Word formation
Get up Wake up Go out Stay up Carry on Get around Tidy up Make for Put away Wash up Work out	Arrive = arrival Pay = payment Warn = warning Complain = complaint Shave = shavings, shaver Wash = washing Age = ages, aged House = housing Work = overwork, worker Clean = cleaning, cleaner Argue = argument, argumentative
Prepositional phrases	Exam tips
For ages Sort/kind of For fun In time (for) On time At the moment In the morning/afternoon/evening At night By the time	Make (*related to prepare, create, build, construct, produce, fabricate) Do (*related to housework, work, education)

*possessive determiner = my, your, his, her, their, our



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Places	Actions	Things around the house
House	Clean	alarm clock
Flat	Wash	bedside table
Cottage	Sweep	lamp
School	Pick up	microwave
Cinema	Collect	cupboards
Sports centre	Organize	fridge
Shopping centre/mall	Dust	pot
Office	Hoover/vacuum	spoon
Work (building)	Wipe	bed
Park	Scrub	mirror
City centre	Polish	soap
Bakery		stove
Butchers		blanket
Newsagents		oven
Supermarket		sheet
Shops/stores		wardrobe/closet
Market (indoor/outdoor)		hob
Swimming pool		TV/ television
Industrial estate		Radio
Bedroom		Computer – laptop/desktop
Bathroom		Stairs
Living room		Door – door handle
Kitchen		toilet
Hall		dresser
Lounge		pillow
Dining room		shower
Garage		toothbrush
Basement		fork
Loft/attic		plate
Balcony		sink
Patio		towel



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Vocabulary sheet unit 2

Unit Vocabulary	Collocations
Can't stand (v) Fancy (v) Surf (v) Swim (v) Read (v) Watch (v, n) Magazines (n) Documentaries (n) TV/television (n) the internet (n) fashion (n) entertainment (n) hobby (n) jogging (v) Travel (v) Leisure (n) Shopping (v, n) Fun (n, adj)	Keen on Fond of Good at Bad at Excited about Interested in Fascinated by Bored with Amazed at Listen to Look at Wait for Laugh at Depend on Think about Prevent (sb) from Lend to Borrow from
Phrasal verbs	Word formation
Carry on Give up Go off Take up Join in Get into Call on Hang out Go out Get around to Look forward to	Enjoy = enjoyment Fun = funny Travel = trip, traveller, travelling Entertain = entertaining, entertainment Fashion = fashionable Prevent = prevention Bore = boredom, boring, bored Excite = excitement, exciting, excited Depend = dependence Hang = hanger Document = documentary, documented
Prepositional phrases	Exam tips
In the near future At/on weekends In your free time At work On o night out In the afternoon/morning/afternoon At the same time On purpose	*Key word – keep Keep on, keep up with, keep going, keep out of, keep it up, keen in (your pocket), keep hold of, keep alive, keep in touch with sb



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Vocabulary sheet 3

Unit Vocabulary	Collocations
Earn (v) Deserve (v) Impress (v) Manage/run (v) Retire (v) Handle (v) Borrow (v) Lend (v) Commute (v) Job (n) Work (v, n) Apply (v) Pay (v, n) Income (n) Salary (n) Wage (n) Employ/hire (v) Search for/look for (v) Dedicate (v)	Get rid of Search for Wait for Associated with Insist on Dedicate to Benefit from Ask for Tend to Count on Capable of Approve of Borrow from Lend to Succeed in Work as Work for Apply for Be fed up with
Phrasal verbs	Word formation
Call off Put off Keep on Give back Set up Take to Take on Take over Take in Take off	Retire = retirement Earn = earnings Pay = payment Manage = management Impress = impressive Count = accountant, countable Associate = association, associated Tend = tendency Approve = approval Dedicate = dedication
Prepositional phrases	Exam tips
In charge (of) At the moment On strike On time On/off duty On purpose On business	Key word – Take Take on, take up, take to, take a chance, take over, take in, take advantage of, take a fancy to, take out, take a drink [USA ONLY]



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Vocabulary sheet 4

Unit Vocabulary	Collocations
Abroad (adj) Sightseeing (v) Sunbathe (v) Cancel (v) Book/reserve (v) Catch/take/get transport (v) Journey (n) Trip (n) Luggage/baggage (n) Flight (n) Cruise (n) Pack (v) Abroad Delay (v) Accommodation (n) Land (v) Visit (v) Arrange (v) Speak/talk (v) Foreign (adj)	Look at Prepare for Provide (SB*) with Close to Famous for Wait for Far from Late for Suitable for Arrive at/in Distinct from Accustomed to Differ from Hinder from Adapted to Award of Deprived of Content with Equal to Depend on
Phrasal verbs	Word formation
Go away Get back Go back Set off Take off Check in Get off Hold up See off Drop off Pick up	Arrange – arrangement, arranged Fly – flight Travel – trip Pack – backpack Reserve – reservation Cancel – cancelation Arrive – arrival Fly - flight Foreign – foreigner Land - landing
Prepositional phrases	Exam tips
By air/sea/train/bus (etc) On board On foot On holiday On schedule On the coast	*Key word – give Give a lift to (SB*), give in/up, give a present, give back, give a break, give a lift, give time, give out, give out, give (SB*) a chance

*somebody/someone



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Vocabulary sheet 5

Unit Vocabulary	Collocations
Climate (n) Weather (n) Damage (v, n) Nature (n) Environment (n) Countryside (n) Heat wave (n) Litter (v, n) Earthquake (n) Planet (n) Preserve (v) Recycle (v) Wildlife (n) Destroy (v) Pollute (v) Contaminate (v) Storm (n) Change (v, n) Heat (v, n) Cool (v, adj)	Consist of Think about/of The impact of Recover from Take care of Be aware of Evolve into Be enthusiastic about Be serious about Be short of Have (something) left Escape from Prevent (somebody/something) from Save (somebody/something) from The possibility of Cause damage to An increase in A solution to Be responsible for Look out for
Phrasal verbs	Word formation
Blow up Put out Die out Keep out Clear up Build up Go out Eat up Make up for Stand up for	Nature = natural, naturalize Environment = environmental Recycle = recycling Destroy = destruction Pollute = pollution Contaminate = contamination Heat = hot, heating Storm = stormy Possible = possibility Solve = solution
Prepositional phrases	Exam tips
At most At least In total In the beginning At the end In the meantime/meanwhile In order	*Key word – go Go on, go out, go for, go into, go about, go (a)round, go clubbing, go forward, go to, go with (SB*)

*Somebody/someone



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Vocabulary sheet 6

Unit Vocabulary	Collocations
Hesitate (v) Achieve (v) Guess (v) Pass (v) Fail (v) Revise (v) Remember (v) Remind (v) Experience (v, n) Concentrate (v) Make/correct (v) Wonder (v) Term (n) Exam (v, n) Project (n)	Learn about Search for Make progress Make sure Focus on Respond to Refer to Think of/about Cope with Consist of Depend on Deal with Worry about Ready for Involved in
Phrasal verbs	Word formation
Cross out Look up Read out Turn over Write down Stick to Be into Catch up with Keep up with Drop out Hand in Look forward to	Fail = failure Hesitate = hesitation Correct = correction Memory = memorize Achieve = achievement Succeed (in) = success, successful Revise = revision Respond = response Progress = progression Think = thoughtful, thoughtless Depend = dependence, independence Refer = reference
Prepositional phrases	Exam tips
In fact In conclusion In general By heart For instance By the way	*Have = have breakfast/lunch/dinner, have an exam, have a day off, have a break, have a snack, have a coffee, have a chat with (SB*), have a lesson, have class, have (clothing) on, have in common, have a guest, have fun, have a good/great time, have an argument with

*someone/somebody



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Vocabulary sheet 7

Unit Vocabulary	Collocations
Amusing (adj) Emotion (n) Attitude (n) Behave (v) Love (v) Hate (v) Enjoy (v) Detest (v) Loathe (v) Can't stand (v) Mind (v, n) Naughty (adj) Glad (adj) Cross (adj) Noisy (adj) Polite (adj) Stress (v, n) Upset (v, n) Enthusiastic (n)	Bored with/of Interest in Surprised at/by Excited about Angry about Worried about Fascinated by Excellent at Aware of Jealous of Amazed by/at Be eager (infinitive) Nervous about Scared of Tired of Joke about shout at Laugh at/about Cry about
Phrasal verbs	Word formation
Calm down Cheer up Come on Go on Hang on Shut up Speak up Run away Let down Crack up	Bore – boring/bored Excite – exciting/excited Surprise – surprising/surprised Interest – interesting/interested Fun – funny Amaze – amazing/amazed Embarrass – embarrassing/embarrassed Nerve – nervous, nervously, nervousness Eager – eagerness, eagerly Jealous – jealousy, jealously
Prepositional phrases	Exam tips
On purpose By accident At least In tears In secret In spite of	*key word – get get into, get around, get over, get on/off, get down, get out of, get away from, get out



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Vocabulary sheet 8

Unit Vocabulary	Collocations
Run (v) Swim (v) Jog (v) Exercise (, n) Eat (v) Drink (v) Prepare (v) Do (v) Go (v) Play (v) Balance (v, n) Injure (v) Cure (v) Taste (v, n) Try (v, n) Cook (v, n) Stretch (v, n) A work-out (n) Fitness (n, adj)	Be fit Get fit Lose weight Get fat Improve at Get worse at Believe in Give advice to Advise about Addicted to Combine with Complain about Be pleased with A cure for Recover from Fight against Look forward to Improve at/get better at Worsen at/get worse at
Phrasal verbs	Word formation
Put on (weight) – get fatter Give up – stop doing Take to – become good at Take up – start doing something Get into – start liking something Go off – stop liking something Run out (of) – not have any remaining/left Cut down (on) - reduce Take in - understand Work out - exercise Get out – escape from Get out of – avoid doing something	Prepare = preparation Jog = jogging Taste = tasteful, tasteless, tasty Injure = injury Combine = combination Believe = belief Fat = fatten, Fattening Fit = fitness Advise = advice Worse = worsen Please = pleasure Recover = recovery
Prepositional phrases	Exam tips
At night In the morning/afternoon/evening/day In addition (to) On a diet In shape In comparison to	*get + adjective Get fit, get in shape, get better, get worse (at), get ready, get hungry, get angry, get upset, get tired, get annoyed, get bored, get ill/sick/poorly, get exhausted, get excited, get emotional, get jealous



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Vocabulary sheet 9

Unit Vocabulary	Collocations
Bargain (v) Discount (v) Afford (v) Change (v, n) Return (v) Pay (v, n) Buy/Purchase (v) Cost (v, n) Spend (v) Save (v) Waste (v) Choose (v) Decide (v) Customer (n) Supermarket (n) Shopping centre/mall (n) Brand (n) Receipt (n) Label (n) Sales (n)	Pay for Spend on Ask for Waste on Do the shopping Be on discount Decide on Go shopping Lend (STH*) to (SB*) Borrow (STH) from (SB) Choose between Belong to Buy (STH) from Compare with Look for Search for Ask about Take into account Think about Demand for
Phrasal verbs	Word formation
Add up Hurry up Pay back Take back Save up (for) Give away Go for Opt out (of)	Save – savings Afford – affordable Spend – expensive, expenses Decide – decision Choose – choice Receive – receipt Waste – wasteful Belong – belongings
Prepositional phrases	Exam tips
For sale In the sales On sale In cash In debt By credit card With cash In good/bad condition	*Key word – make Make a deal, make sure/certain of something, make a mistake, make a fool of yourself, make friends, make it up to (SB*), make peace,

*something (STH)

*someone/somebody (SB)



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Vocabulary sheet 10

Unit Vocabulary	Collocations
Cook (v, n) Prepare/make (v) Bake (v) Fry (v) Boil (v) Oven (v, n) Microwave (v, n) Steam (v, n) Grill (v, n) Cut (n) Chop (n) Slice (v, n) Fridge (n) Freezer (n) Knife (n) Spoon (n) Fork (n) Cutlery (n) Pan (n) Frying pan (n) Hob (n)	A recipe for Smell of Complain (somebody) about Addicted to Pleased with Allergic to Covered in/with Be keen on Be a fan of Share with The taste of A supply of Do the cooking Have a meal Follow a recipe Reserve a table Do the washing-up Not have any left Have a drink Be a good/great cook Clear the table
Phrasal verbs	Word formation
Cut down on Go off Put on Pig out Warm up Cool down Eat out Cut out Cut up Slice off Run out of	Cook – cooking/cookery Prepare – preparation Freeze – freezer Make – remake Taste – tasty. Tasteless, tasteful Allergy – allergic Smell – smelly Addict – addicted Supply – supplement Reserve – reservation Book - booking
Prepositional phrases	Exam tips
On a diet In addition At lunch At home In the occasion	*Key word – do Do the washing-up, do the cleaning, do the dishes, do the housework, do a course, do a degree, do some work, do a job, do something fun, do chores, do time (in jail/prison)