

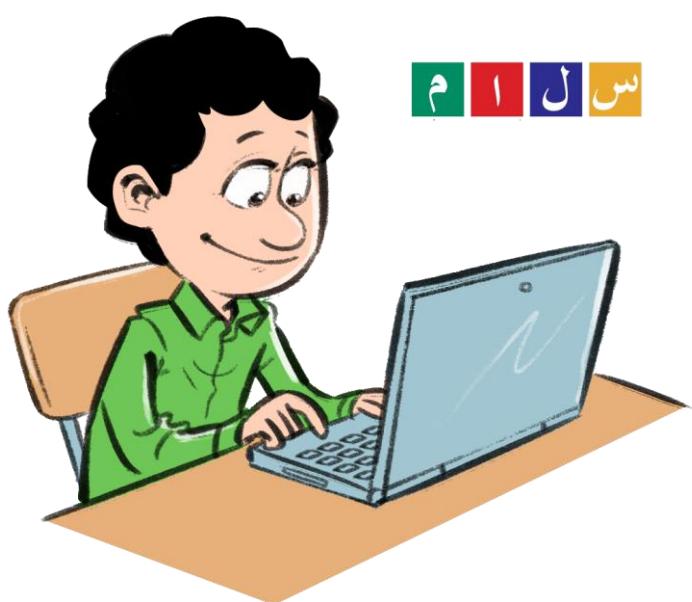
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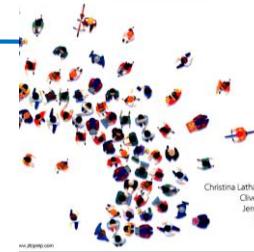
✓✓ Unit 2A

1. **Mantra** /'mæntrə/ (noun):
a word or sound that is repeated as a prayer or to help people meditate recite/repeat a mantra
E.g.: He closed his eyes and began to recite a Buddhist mantra.
2. **Argue** /'a:rg.ju:/ (verb):
to disagree with someone in words, often in an angry way
E.g.: We could hear the neighbours arguing.
3. **Rent** /rent/ (verb):
to regularly pay money to live in a house or room that belongs to someone else, or to use something that belongs to someone else
E.g.: Most students rent rooms in their second year.
4. **Explore** /ɪk'splɔ:r/ (verb):
to travel around an area in order to find out about it
E.g.: Venice is a wonderful city to explore.
5. **Interested in** /'ɪn.trɪstɪn/ (adjective):
giving a lot of attention to something because you want to find out more about it or because you enjoy it
E.g.: I've always been interested in music.

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Listening

1. **Direct** /də'rekt, 'dai'rekt/ (adjective):
done without any other people, actions, processes etc coming between OPP indirect
E.g.: I'm not in direct contact with them.
2. **boarding pass** /'bɔ:r.dɪŋ ,pæs/ (noun):
an official card that you have to show before you get onto a plane
E.g.: Here is your ticket and boarding pass.





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1. **decade** /'dekeɪd/ (noun):

a period of 10 years

E.g.: By the end of a decade, it requires artificial means of life support.

2. **secretary** /'sekretəri \$ -teri-/ (noun)

(plural secretaries)

someone who works in an office typing letters, keeping records, answering telephone calls, arranging meetings etc

E.g.: My secretary will fax you all the details.

3. **Semester** /sə'mestə \$ -ər/ (noun):

one of the two periods of time that a year at high schools and universities is divided into, especially in the US

E.g.: Fall semester starts the 28th of August.

✓✓ Unit 2B – Listening

1. **Cathedral** /kə'θi:drəl/ (noun):

the main church of a particular area under the control of a bishop

E.g.: We started with breakfast in St David's, the smallest cathedral city in Britain.

2. **Mustache**

/mə'sta:ʃ/ \$

'mʌstæʃ/ (noun):

the usual American spelling of moustache

hair that grows above the upper lip

E.g.: He is 61, with white hair and a droopy mustache.

✓✓ Unit 2C

1. **Awful** /'ɔ:fəl \$ 'və:-/ (adjective):

very bad or unpleasant

SYN: terrible

E.g.: The weather was awful.

2. **Usual** /'ju:ʒuəl, 'ju:ʒəl/ (adjective):

happening, done, or existing most of the time or in most situations

E.g.: Make a cheese sauce in the usual way.

3. **Brake** /breɪk/ (noun):

a piece of equipment that makes a vehicle go more slowly or stop

E.g.: I managed to put the brakes on just in time.

4. **Madly** /'mædli/ (adverb):

extremely and in a very strong way

SYN wildly

E.g.: Suddenly, I felt madly jealous.