

Foundation Level: Lexis – Band I

Learners have knowledge of at least 1200 items, including the core items in Band I.

a/an	away	busy
about	back	but
above	Give back themoney!	buy
across	bad	by
action	bag	by the wall
address (n)	baby	call
afraid	be	Please call me at six!
after	beautiful	They called him Tom.
afternoon	because	can (v)
again	because of	capital
age	bed	a capital letter
ago	before	car
agree	begin	Take care!
all	behind	careful
(not) at all	believe	Be careful!
almost alone	beside	cat
alphabet	best	catch
already also	better	center
always	between	chair
am, I'm	big	change (v)
and	birthday	cheap
angry	a bit (of)	children (child)
animal	black	chocolate
another	blue	class
answer (n)	board	classroom
answer (v)	body	clean (v)
any	book	clean (adj)
anyone	bored	clear
anything	boring	close (v)
appear	bottle	closed (adj)
April	box	coffee
are	boy	cold
arrive	bread	color
at	break (v)	come
ask	breakfast	come back
ask for	bring	computer
at	brother	cool
at home	brown	copy (v)
August	build	cost (v)
autumn	bus	count
		country

of course
cross the
road/street cry
(v)
cut (v)
dad
dark
date
daughter
day
Have a good day!
Dear (as in
email/letter)
Dear Helen,
December
decide
dictionary
different
difficult
doctor
do
dog
don't!
Don't go! Don't
touch it!
door
down
draw
dress (n)
drink (v)
drive (v)
dry (adj)
each
early
ears
easy
eat
eighteen
eighty
eleven
email
the end
in the end
English

enjoy
enough
enter
evening
every
everybody
everyone
everything
example
for example
excuse me
exercise (n)
expensive
extra
eyes
face
in fact
fair
That's not fair!
fall (v)
family
far
fast
They run fast.
father
favorite
February
feel
a few
fifteen
fifth
fifty
film
find
find out
fine
a fine day
Fine!
finish
fire (n)
first
five
flower
fly (v)

food
foot, feet
for
forget
four
fourteen
fourth
forty
free (adj)
I'm free this afternoon.
It costs nothing. It's free.
Friday
friend
from
in front of
full
funny
game
garden
get
girl
give
glad
glass
go
go on
going to
good
good at
goodbye
grade
I study in the sixth grade.
grade
My final grade was 90.
great
green
grow
guess (n)
guess (v)
hair
half
half past
hand
hang

happen
happy
hard (adj)
hard (adv)
 work hard
hat
have
 have to he
head
hear
hello
help
her
herself
here
high
him
himself
his
hold
home
hope (v)
hot
hour
house
how
How are you?
hundred
hungry
idea
if
immediately
important
impossible
in
inside
interested in
interesting
into
invite
is
it
its

itself
January
job
June
July
just
 She's just a baby.
keep
kid
kind (n)
kind of
know
large
last (adj)
last night
late
learn
at least
leave
left
 I write with my left
 hand
less
lesson
let's
letter
 The last letter of the
 alphabet is Z
letter
 I wrote a letter to my
 cousin.
lie
 It was wrong to lie to
 my friend.
lie down
life
light (n)
like (prep)
like (v)
listen
little
 a little girl
live (v)
long look
at lost
a lot of

lots of love
lunch
make
man, men
many
how many?
March
it doesn't matter
What's the matter?
May
maybe
me
mean
I mean
What do you mean?
meaning
meet
meeting
memory
message
middle
milk
Do you mind?
minus
minute (n)
in a minute
mistake
mix
mom / mum
at the moment
Monday
money
month
moon
more
morning
most
mother
mouth
move
movie
Mr
Mrs

Ms
much
How much?
music
my
myself
name
What's your
name?
My name is ...
near
need
neighbor
never
new
news
next
next to
nice
night
at night
nine
nineteen
ninety
no
nobody
no-one
not
notebook
nothing
November
now
number (n)
October
of
often
OK / okay
old
How old are you?
I'm ... years old
on
once

once upon a time
one
only
open (v)
open (adj)
or
other
our
ourselves
out
over
own (my own,
your own ...)
He writes his own
music.
parents
page
paper
part (n)
past (n & adj)
pay (v)
pen
pencil
people
perhaps
person
pick up
picture
piece (of)
place (n)
plan (n)
plan (v)
play
play a game
please
poor
possible
practice (v)
problem
no problem!
project
pupil
push

put
question
quick
quiet
Be quiet!
radio
read
ready
Are you ready?
I'm ready
real
really
red
remember
rest (v)
return
rich
right
my right hand
right
the right answer.
right now
all right, alright
road
room
round
rule
run
sad
the same (as)
Saturday
say
school
second
I was happy with second
place.
see
send
sentence
September
seven
seventeen
seventy
she

short

The movie was
short.

shout

show (v)

shut (adj)

shut (v)

sick

side (n)

sign (n)

simple

sing

sister

sit

six

sixteen

sixty

size

What size...?

sky

sleep

special

spring

summer

slow

small

smart

You look very
smart!

smile (n)

smile (v)

so

some

somebody

something

sometimes

son

soon

song

sorry

I'm sorry

speak

spell (v)

sport

start

still

They're still waiting.

story

straight

strong

student suddenly

sun

Sunday

supper

sure

take

talk (v)

tall

tea

teach

telephone

television

tell

tell a story

test

than

thank you thanks

that

the

their

them

themselves

then

there

there is,

there are

these

they

thing

think

third

thirteen

thirty

this

those

three

Thursday

time

What's the time?

The time is...

to

today

together tomorrow

tonight

too

You can come too.

too

The question is too hard.

too much

town

tree

go on a trip

truck

true

try

Tuesday

turn (v)

turn left/right

twenty

two

under

understand

until

up

us

use (v)

usually

vacation

very

wait (for) (v)

walk (v)

wall

want

was, were

wash

watch

water

way

Which way...?

we

wear

your

Wednesday

week

welcome

you're

welcome!

well

I feel very well.

well

He did the job

well.

as well

as well as

Well done!

What a pity /

shame! what

when

where

while

white

who

why

will

window

winter

wish

with

without

woman, women

wonderful

word

work

world

worse

worst

write

wrong

year

yellow

yes

yesterday

you

young