

3500 ACT Vocabulary (2)

baboon

(baboon) large terrestrial monkeys having doglike muzzles

bacchanalian

(bacchanalian) drunken; relating to reveling and drunkenness

badinage

(دلگئی) teasing conversation; good-humored, playful conversation

baffle

(چکرا) frustrate as by confusing or perplexing; impede force or movement of

balanced

(متوازن) hold or carry in equilibrium

bald

(گنجی) hairless; lacking a natural or usual covering

baleful

(نقصان ده) portending evil; harmful in intent or effect.

balk

(balk) stop short and refuse to go on; refuse obstinately or abruptly

ballast

(گتی) heavy substance used to add stability or weight

balloon

(بیلون) large non-rigid bag filled with gas or heated air

banal

(banal) obvious and dull; commonplace; lacking originality

bandanna

(دیوالیہ) large and brightly colored handkerchief; often used as a neckerchief

bandleader

(bandleader) leader of a dance band; musician who leads a band of musicians

bandy

(bandy) discuss lightly or glibly; exchange words heatedly

banner

(دیوالیہ بینر) flag; sign; a newspaper headline that runs across the full page

banquet

(بوج) feast; entertainment of eating and drinking

bantering

(bandy bantering) good-natured ridiculing; cleverly amusing in tone

barber

(نائی) haircutter; one whose business is to cut hair and to shave or trim beards

bard

(bard) poet, especially lyric poet

barely

(بمشکل) just; only; hardly; scarcely

barge

(بجرا) flatboat; long, large boat for transporting freight that is unpowered and towed or pushed by other craft

baroque

(barb baroque) complex or bizarre, especially in ornamentation; irregular in shape

barrage

(بیراج) artificial obstruction; heavy curtain of artillery fire; rapid, concentrated discharge of missiles

barricade

(روک والی آڑ) hastily put together defensive barrier; obstacle

barterer

(barterer) trader; one who trades goods for other goods without involving money

bask

(دھوپ سینکنا) luxuriate; take pleasure in warmth

bastion

(گڑھ) fortress; projecting part of fortification; well-fortified position

bate

(banal) let down; restrain; lessen force or intensity of; moderate

bauble

(کھلونا) small, showy ornament of little value; child's plaything or toy

bawdy

(baroque) indecent; obscene; humorously coarse

beard

(داڑھی) hairy growth on or near the face of certain mammals

beatific

(bawdy beatific) completely happy and contented; showing or producing exalted joy

beatitude

(beatitude) blessedness; state of extreme happiness

becalm

(becalm) keep from motion, or stop progress of; make calm or still

beckon

(اشارے سے بلانا) signal or summon, as by nodding or waving; attract because of inviting or enticing appearance

becloud

(becloud) make less visible; obscure or blur; darken with or as if with clouds

bedizen

(bedizen) ornament something in showy, tasteless, or gaudy finery

bedraggle

(bate bedraggle) wet thoroughly; stain with mud; soil or wet by dragging in dirt, mud, moist places

bedrock

(بنیادی اصول) foundation; basis; solid rock that underlies loose material, such as soil, sand, clay, or gravel

beeline

(beeline) direct, quick route; direct, straight course

befuddle

(befuddle) confuse thoroughly; becloud and confuse, as with liquor; make stupid with alcohol

beget

(ارادہ) produce; give rise to

beguile

(ڈالے) mislead; delude; deceive by guile

behemoth

(behemoth) huge creature; something enormous in size or power

belabor

(belabor) discuss repeatedly; attack verbally; work hard upon

belated

(belated) having been delayed; done or sent too late

beleaguer

(beleaguer) besiege or attack; harass; surround with troops

belie

(جھٹلایا) contradict; give a false impression

bellicose

(لڑاکو) warlike or hostile in manner or temperament; showing or having impulse to be combative

belligerent

(جو جھارو) inclined or eager to fight; aggressive

bemoan

(bemoan) regret strongly; express disapproval of

bemused

(bemused) confused; lost in thought; preoccupied

benediction

(مجزوب) blessing; invocation of divine blessing; expression of good wishes

beneficial

(منافع) helpful; tending to promote physical well-being

benign

(سومی) kindly; favorable; not malignant

bequeath

(وسییت) leave to someone by a will; hand down

bequest

(وصیت) inheritance; legacy; act of giving, leaving by will, or passing on to another

berate

(berate) rebuke or scold angrily and at length

bereavement

(غم) grievous loss; particularly, the loss of a relative or friend by death

bereft

(zippy bereft) deprived of; lacking; desolate because of loss

beset

(گھیرے) attack from all sides; trouble persistently; hem in

besiege

(گھیر) surround with armed forces; harass with requests

besmirch

(besmirch) soil, smear so as to make dirty or stained

bestial

(bestial) beastlike; brutal; lacking in intelligence or reason

bestow

(فرماتے) give as gift; present

betoken

(betoken) signify; indicate; be a visible sign of; give evidence of

betroth

(betroth) become engaged to marry; promise to marry

bevy

(bevy) large group; a group of animals or birds, especially larks or quail

bewilder

(bewilder) lead into perplexity or confusion; perplex with mazes

bicameral

(bicameral) composed of or based on two legislative chambers or branches

bicker

(bicker) engage in a petty, bad-tempered quarrel

biennial

(دوئوارشیک) every two years; lasting or living for two years

bigotry

(تعصب) stubborn intolerance; excessive zeal or warmth in favor of a party, sect, or opinion

bilious

suffering from indigestion; appearing as if affected by disorder; sickly

bilk

(bilk) defraud or cheat; frustrate or disappoint; evade or escape from

bill

(بل) invoice; act; proposal; statement or list of particulars, such as a theater program or menu

billowing

(distend) swelling out in waves; surging; stormy; affected by storms

bitter

(کڑوی) harsh or corrosive in tone; painful; acrid; acrimonious

bivouac

(پڑاؤ) temporary encampment; a site where people on holiday can pitch tent

bizarre

(عجیب) fantastic; violently contrasting; strangely unconventional in style or appearance

blanch

(blanch) cause to turn white or become pale; take color from; bleach

bland

(کمزور) lacking stimulating or mild; agreeable

blandishment

(blandishment) flattery; speech or action expressive of affection or kindness, and tending to win the heart

blanket

(کمبل) heavy, loosely woven fabric, usually of wool, and having a nap, used in bed clothing

blare

(تربی بجانا) loud, harsh roar or screech; dazzling blaze of light

blast

(دھماکے) explode; burst; gale; very strong gust of wind or air

blench

(blench) draw back, from lack of courage or resolution; turn pale, as if in fear

blighted

(blighted) suffering from a disease; destroyed, ruined, or spoiled

blithe

(blithe) gay; joyous; carefree and lighthearted

block

(بلاک) hinder; obstruct; indicate broadly without great detail; sketch

bloom

(رونق) flower; blossom; best time of youth; period of greatest prosperity or productivity

bludgeon

(bludgeon) short heavy club, usually of wood; heavy-headed weapon

blues

(بلیوز) gloom; depressed spirits

blunder

(غلطی) serious mistake typically caused by ignorance or confusion

blunt

(کند) having a dull edge or end; not sharp; lacking in feeling; insensitive

bluster

(دهمکی) blow in heavy gusts; speak in a loudly arrogant or bullying manner

boastful

(فخریه) exhibiting self-importance

bohemian

(bohemian) unconventional in an artistic way

boisterous

(وشمی) rough and stormy; loud, noisy, and lacking in restraint or discipline

bolster

(مسند) support or prop up with or as if with a long narrow pillow or cushion

bombardment

(گوله باری) attack with missiles; continuous attack with shot and shell upon a town, fort, or other position

bombastic

(bombastic) pompous; using inflated language; high-sounding but with little meaning

boon

(وردان) blessing; benefit bestowed, especially in response to a request

boorish

(bilious boorish) rude and clumsy in behavior; ungentlemanly; awkward in manners

bore

(بور) drill; make a hole in or through, with or as if with a drill

bounce

(اچھال) jolt; rebound after having struck an object or a surface

boundary

(سرحد) dividing line; border; frontier

boundless

(اسیم) being without boundaries or limits; infinite; vast

bountiful

(کرم) abundant; graciously generous; giving freely and generously

bovine

(bovine) dull, slow-moving, and stolid, like an ox; placid and dull

bow

(حضور) inclination of head, or bending of body for reverence, respect, civility, or submission; bending or rounded part of ship forward

bowdlerize

(bowdlerize) edit by omitting or modifying parts considered offensive, vulgar, or otherwise unseemly

bowlegged

(bawling) have legs that curve outward at the knees

braggart

(ڈینگمار) boaster; one given to loud, empty boasting; very talkative person

brandish

(بورژوا brandish) move or wave, as a weapon; raise and move in various directions

brawl

(جھگڑا) fight; noisy quarrel or fight; loud party

brawling

(bawling) noisy; act of quarreling or fighting; making the noise of rushing water

brawn

(bawn) solid and well-developed muscles, especially of the arms and legs

breadth

(چوڑائی) measure or dimension from side to side; width; extent

breakup

(توڑنے) divorce; separation; loss of control or composure

brevity

(مختصر) quality or state of being brief in duration; concise expression

brindled

(bristling) of brownish, tawny colour, with streaks, spots, or patterns

brisk

(تیز) marked by speed, liveliness, and vigor; energetic; swift; keen or sharp in speech or manner

bristling

(bristling) rising like bristles; showing irritation

bristly

(bristly) having or covered with protective barbs or others; very irritable

brittle

(آسانی سے ٹوٹنے والی) easily broken; having little elasticity

broach

(broach) introduce; bring up for discussion or debate; announce

broil

(brazen broil) cook by direct exposure to heat over fire; subject to great heat; be subjected to the action of heat; be greatly heated

browbeat

(گنڈا) bully; intimidate; discourage or frighten with threats

brunt

(ہامیاجا) main impact or shock; main burden

brusque

(brusque) abrupt and curt in manner or speech; rudely abrupt, unfriendly

bubble

(بلبل) foam; dome-shaped covering made of transparent glass or plastic; fantastic or impracticable idea or belief

buccaneer

(buccaneer) pirate; robber upon the sea

buckle

(بکسوا) fold or collapse; bend out of shape, as under pressure or from heat

bucolic

(brindled bucolic) rustic; pastoral; agricultural; relating to country affairs, or to shepherd's life and occupation

buddy

(دوست) good friend; comrade; partner, especially one of a pair or team

budget

(بجٹ) estimate; a sum of money allocated for a particular purpose

buffoonery

(مسخر اپن) clowning; arts and practices of buffoon, as low jests, ridiculous pranks, vulgar tricks and postures

bullion

(بلین) gold and silver in the form of bars

bulwark

(bulwark) earthwork or other strong defense; person who defends

bump

(نشر) impact as from a collision; lump on the body caused by a blow

bumptious

(bumptious) offensively self-assertive; liable to give or take offense; forward; pushing

bungalow

(بنگالی) small house or cottage usually having a single story and attic

bungle

(ہپلا) mismanage; blunder; work or act in clumsy, awkward, or blundering manner

buoyant

(buoyant) able to float; cheerful and optimistic

burgeon

(buoyant burgeon) grow forth; send out buds; grow or develop rapidly

burlesque

(burlesque) give an imitation that ridicules; imitate mockingly or humorously

burning

(جل) marked by flames or intense heat; of immediate import; urgent

burnish

(burnish) make shiny by rubbing; polish

bursar

(bursar) treasurer or keeper of funds; purser or treasurer of college or other community

bustle

(بلچل) move or cause to move energetically and busily; teem

butterfly

(تیتلی) insect typically having a slender body with broad colorful wings

buttress

(buttress) support physically; prop up; support something or someone by supplying evidence

buxom

(buxom) healthily plump and ample of figure; full-bosomed; vigorous; jolly