

Spelling list: Tier 2 Words (abandon - adults)

Tier 2 words are less common than high frequency (Tier 1) words. They are often integral to the comprehension of exam questions or core subject knowledge.

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| abandon | If you abandon something, it means you leave it behind or stop looking after it. |
| abstract | If something is abstract , it means that it exists as a thought or an idea and does not have a physical body. |
| academic | If something is academic , it means it is related to education and study. |
| academy | An academy is a place where someone studies. |
| access | If you have access to somewhere, it means you have the ability or permission to enter. |
| accident | An accident is an unfortunate mishap that causes damage or injury. |
| accommodation | Accommodation is a room or building where someone stays or lives. |
| accompany | If you accompany someone, it means you go somewhere with them. |
| accumulation | Accumulation means the gradual increasing or collection of something. |
| accurate | If something is accurate , it means it is correct and precise. |
| achieve | If you achieve something, you succeed in getting it through hard work. |
| acknowledge | If you acknowledge something, it means you admit that it exists or is true. |
| acquire | If you acquire something, it means you gain possession of it. |
| acquisition | An acquisition is something you have gained possession of. |
| adaptation | An adaptation is something that has been changed from one form into another, for example a film adaptation of a book. |
| adequate | If something is adequate , it means it is acceptable. |

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| adjacent | If two things are adjacent to each other, it means they are next to or joining onto each other. |
| adjustment | An adjustment is a small change that's made in order to make something more suitable. |
| administration | Administration is all the activity related to running a business or similar activity. |
| adults | Adults are people who have fully matured. |