FLYERS ENGLISH

A2 Flyers Vocabulary: Places & Directions

The 29 places & directions words new at Cambridge A2 Flyers, plus the 33 from earlier levels your child still needs. Each has a simple meaning and an example sentence.

How to use this list

1. Pick one topic a day. Ten to fifteen minutes is enough.
2. Read the word, the meaning and the example aloud together.
3. Tick the box when your child can say the word and use it in a sentence.

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WORD	MEANING	EXAMPLE
☐ **airport** *noun*	A place where planes take off and land.	*We went to the airport to pick up Grandma.*
☐ **bank** *noun*	A place where people keep their money safe.	*I went to the bank with my dad.*
☐ **bridge** *noun*	It is something that goes over a road or river.	*We walked across the bridge to get to the park.*
☐ **castle** *noun*	A big, strong building where kings and queens lived long ago.	*We saw a very old castle on our trip.*
☐ **club** *noun*	A group of people who meet to do something they like together.	*I like my book club, because we read cool stories.*
☐ **college** *noun*	A place where people go to study after high school.	*My big sister goes to college in another city.*
☐ **corner** *noun*	Where two lines or walls meet.	*I left my bike by the corner of the house.*
☐ **east** *noun*	It is the direction where the sun comes up in the morning.	*My bedroom window faces east, so it's sunny.*
☐ **factory** *noun*	It is a place where things are made by machines and people.	*My dad works at a factory making toys.*
☐ **front** *adjective, noun*	The part of something that faces forward or is seen first.	*We sat in the front of the car.*
☐ **get to** *verb*	To have the chance to do something.	*I get to play outside because I finished my homework.*
☐ **London** *noun*	A very big city in England, it is the capital.	*My aunt lives in London, and I visit her often.*
☐ **middle** *noun, adjective*	It's the center or halfway point between two things.	*My sandwich had cheese in the middle.*
☐ **museum** *noun*	A place where old or interesting things are kept for people to see.	*We went to the museum to see dinosaur bones.*
☐ **north** *noun*	It is the direction to the top of a map.	*Our house faces north, so it's sunny at the back.*
☐ **over** *adverb, preposition*	Finished or ended.	*The game is over, so let's go home.*
☐ **path** *noun*	A way to walk or go somewhere.	*We walked on the path to school.*

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☐ **police station** *noun*	It is the place where police officers work.	*My dad is a police officer, and he works at the police station.*
☐ **post office** *noun*	A place where you can send letters and packages.	*We went to the post office to mail a card.*
☐ **restaurant** *noun*	It's a place where you can buy and eat food.	*Let's go to a restaurant because I'm hungry.*
☐ **right** *noun*	Correct or not wrong.	*You are right, the sky is blue.*
☐ **skyscraper** *noun*	A very tall building in a city.	*The skyscraper is so tall, I can see it from my house.*
☐ **south** *noun*	It is the direction below you on a map.	*My grandma lives south of the park.*
☐ **stadium** *noun*	A big place where people watch sports or concerts.	*We went to the stadium to see the football game.*
☐ **straight on** *adverb*	To go forward without turning.	*Go straight on at the lights, and you will see the shop.*
☐ **theater** *noun*	A place where you can watch plays and shows.	*We went to the theater to see a fun play.*
☐ **university** *noun*	It is a place where you can study after school to learn more.	*My big sister wants to go to university.*
☐ **way** *noun*	A path or road to go somewhere.	*This is the best way to get to school.*
☐ **west** *noun*	It is the direction where the sun goes down.	*The park is west of my house.*

Also needed: Pre-A1 Starters words 13 words

WORD	MEANING	EXAMPLE
☐ **behind** *preposition*	At the back of something.	*The cat sits behind the box.*
☐ **between** *preposition*	In the middle of two things.	*The park is between my house and school.*
☐ **bookshop** *noun*	A store sells many books.	*I buy books at the bookshop.*
☐ **here** *adverb*	This is the place.	*I am here with my mum.*
☐ **in front of** *preposition*	It is at the front.	*The teacher stands in front of the class.*
☐ **on** *preposition*	Touching the top of something.	*The book is on the table.*
☐ **park** *noun*	A green place to play.	*We go to the park on Saturdays.*
☐ **playground** *noun*	A place to play outside.	*I like to play at the playground.*
☐ **shop** *noun*	A place to buy things.	*I go to the shop with Mum.*
☐ **store** *noun*	A place that sells things.	*I go to the store with my mum.*
☐ **street** *noun*	A road in a town.	*I walk to school on my street.*
☐ **there** *adverb*	A place that is not here.	*My toys are over there on the floor.*
☐ **under** *preposition*	It is below something else.	*The cat sleeps under the table.*

Also needed: A1 Movers words 20 words

WORD	MEANING	EXAMPLE
☐ **above** *preposition*	Higher than something.	*The picture is above the sofa.*
☐ **below** *preposition*	Lower than something.	*My toys are below my bed.*
☐ **building** *noun*	It is a place with walls and a roof.	*That big building is a school.*
☐ **café** *noun*	A small shop that sells drinks and food.	*I like to drink juice at the café.*
☐ **car park** *noun*	A place to leave your car.	*We parked the car in the car park.*
☐ **circle** *noun*	It is a round shape.	*I drew a big circle on the paper.*
☐ **circus** *noun*	It is a show with clowns and animals.	*I went to the circus with my dad.*
☐ **city/town center** *noun*	The middle part of a city or town.	*We went shopping in the town center.*
☐ **farm** *noun*	A place where people grow food or keep animals.	*My grandpa has a big farm.*
☐ **funfair** *noun*	A funfair is a place with rides and games.	*I went to the funfair last weekend.*
☐ **library** *noun*	A place with many books.	*I got a book from the library.*
☐ **map** *noun*	It shows where things are.	*I used a map to find the park.*
☐ **market** *noun*	It is a place where people buy and sell things.	*We go to the market to buy food.*
☐ **near** *adverb, preposition*	Close to something or someone.	*My house is near the school.*
☐ **opposite** *preposition*	It is not the same.	*North is the opposite of south.*
☐ **place** *noun*	A spot or area.	*This is my favorite place to play.*
☐ **shopping center** *verb*	It is a place with many shops.	*I go to the shopping center with my mum.*
☐ **square** *adjective, noun*	It is a shape with four equal sides.	*My sandwich is cut into a square.*
☐ **straight** *adjective*	Not bent or curved; a line.	*I can draw a straight line with a ruler.*
☐ **supermarket** *noun*	It is a big shop where you buy food.	*We go to the supermarket on Saturdays.*

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