FLYERS ENGLISH

A2 Flyers Vocabulary: School

The 19 school words new at Cambridge A2 Flyers, plus the 45 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
☐ **art** *noun*	Something made by someone creative, like a painting or drawing.	*My sister loves art, and she draws every day.*
☐ **bin** *noun*	A container for things you don't want anymore.	*I put the empty can in the bin.*
☐ **competition** *noun*	When people try to win something against others.	*I want to win the sports competition at school.*
☐ **dictionary** *noun*	A book that tells you what words mean.	*I use a dictionary to help with my homework.*
☐ **flag** *noun*	A piece of cloth with a special color and design that shows a country or group.	*We put a small flag on top of the cake.*
☐ **geography** *noun*	It's the study of places and things on Earth.	*We learned about mountains in geography today.*
☐ **glue** *noun, verb*	A sticky stuff used to join things together.	*I use glue to stick paper in my art book.*
☐ **group** *noun*	It's when people or things are together.	*Our class is too big, so we work in a group.*
☐ **gym** *noun*	A room or building with equipment for doing exercise.	*We go to the gym on Tuesdays and Thursdays.*
☐ **history** *noun*	It's what happened in the past.	*We learn about kings and queens in history.*
☐ **language** *noun*	A way that people talk and write to each other.	*I learn French in school because it's a fun language.*
☐ **math** *noun*	It's when you use numbers to count or solve problems.	*I need help with my math homework because it is hard.*
☐ **project** *noun*	It is a school task that you work on, often making something.	*I need to finish my science project this weekend.*
☐ **science** *noun*	Learning about the world by watching, asking questions, and trying things.	*We learn about plants in science class at school.*
☐ **scissors** *noun*	A tool you use to cut paper or other things.	*I need scissors to cut this paper, please.*

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☐ **student** *noun*	A person who learns at school.	*The student was happy because she got a good grade.*
☐ **study** *verb*	To learn about something by reading or going to class.	*I need to study for my math test.*
☐ **subject** *noun*	Something you study at school, like math or science.	*My favorite subject is art because I like to draw.*
☐ **timetable** *noun*	It's a list that shows when things happen.	*I check the train timetable so I know when to go.*

Also needed: Pre-A1 Starters words 40 words

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☐ **alphabet** *noun*	Letters used to write words.	*I know the alphabet song.*
☐ **answer** *noun, verb*	A reply to a question.	*I know the answer to this problem!*
☐ **ask** *verb*	You say to get something.	*I ask my mum for juice.*
☐ **board** *noun*	Flat piece of wood or plastic.	*I write on the board at school.*
☐ **class** *noun*	A group of students learn together.	*I like my English class very much.*
☐ **classroom** *noun*	It is a room for school.	*We learn in the classroom.*
☐ **close** *verb*	Not far away.	*My house is close to school.*
☐ **correct** *adjective*	It is right, not wrong.	*My teacher says my answer is correct.*
☐ **crayon** *noun*	It's a stick to color.	*I use a crayon to draw.*
☐ **cross** *noun, verb*	Go from one side to the other.	*I cross the street to school.*
☐ **English** *adjective, noun*	It is a spoken language.	*I learn English at school.*
☐ **eraser** *noun*	It cleans pencil marks off paper.	*I use an eraser to fix mistakes.*
☐ **example** *noun*	It shows what something is.	*This is a good example of my drawing.*
☐ **find** *verb*	To see something you looked for.	*I can find my shoes here.*
☐ **keyboard** *noun*	It helps you type letters.	*I use the keyboard to write stories.*
☐ **learn** *verb*	Get knowledge or skill.	*I learn English at school.*
☐ **lesson** *noun*	Time to learn something new.	*I like my music lesson a lot.*
☐ **line** *noun*	A long, thin mark.	*I draw a line with my ruler.*
☐ **look** *verb*	Use your eyes to see.	*I look at the blue sky.*
☐ **mouse** *noun*	It helps you use a computer.	*I use the mouse to play games.*
☐ **number** *noun*	It shows how many things.	*I know my phone number.*
☐ **open** *adjective, verb*	Not closed; you can enter.	*The shop is open today.*
☐ **page** *noun*	One side of paper in a book.	*I read one page every day.*
☐ **painting** *noun*	It is art on paper.	*I like the painting in my room.*
☐ **part** *noun*	A piece of something bigger.	*This is a part of my toy.*
☐ **pen** *noun*	You use it to write.	*I use a pen in class.*
☐ **pencil** *noun*	You write with this.	*I use a pencil in school.*

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☐ **poster** *noun*	It is a big picture.	*I have a poster on my wall.*
☐ **question** *noun*	Ask for information.	*I have a question about my homework.*
☐ **ruler** *noun*	It helps you draw straight lines.	*I use a ruler for my homework.*
☐ **school** *noun*	A place for learning things.	*I go to school every day.*
☐ **sentence** *noun*	Words put together to say something.	*I read every sentence in my book.*
☐ **sit** *verb*	Rest on your bottom.	*I sit on the chair.*
☐ **spell** *verb*	Say letters to make a word.	*Can you spell your name, please?*
☐ **stand** *verb*	Be on your feet.	*I stand up to play games.*
☐ **teacher** *noun*	A person helps you learn.	*My teacher reads us a story.*
☐ **tell** *verb*	Say something to someone.	*I tell my mum I love her.*
☐ **tick** *noun, verb*	A small bug that bites.	*I hate when a tick bites me.*
☐ **understand** *verb*	I know what it means.	*I understand my homework now.*
☐ **write** *verb*	Make letters or words using pen.	*I write my name on my book.*

Also needed: A1 Movers words 5 words

WORD	MEANING	EXAMPLE
☐ **break** *noun*	To damage or destroy something.	*I didn't mean to break my toy car.*
☐ **homework** *noun*	School work you do at home.	*I do my homework after school.*
☐ **mistake** *noun*	Something you do wrong.	*I made a mistake on my homework.*
☐ **teach** *verb*	To help someone learn.	*My teacher can teach me English.*
☐ **website** *noun*	It is a place to find information on the internet.	*I look at the school website every day.*

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