

Academic English Word List (AEWL)

abstract	considerable	extensive	moreover	remain
access	consist	extent	motivation	remove
accompany	consistent	external	motive	report
accumulate	constitute	facilitate	mutual	require
accurate	construct	factor	need	research
achieve	contain	feature	negative	resolve
acknowledge	content	finance	network	resource
acquire	context	finding	norm	respond
adapt	contradict	focus	normal	restriction
adequate	contrary	follow	notion	result
adjust	contrast	formal	observe	retain
adopt	contribute	framework	obtain	reveal
adult	control	frequently	obvious	review
advocate	conventional	function	occur	revise
affect	convert	fundamental	option	risk
aforementioned	cooperate	gain	original	role
aggregate	correspond	generalise	outcome	rule
aid	create	generate	outline	sample
aim	criteria	growth	output	scale
allocate	critical	guideline	overall	scheme
allow	crucial	hence	paradigm	scope
alter	culture	highlight	parallel	search
alternative	data	hypothesis	paraphrase	section
ambiguous	deal	ideal	partial	seek
amend	debate	identical	participate	select
analogy	decision	identify	particularly	series
analyse	decline	illustrate	passive	shift
anticipate	define	immediate	pattern	significant
apparent	demand	impact	percent	similar
appear	demonstrate	implement	perception	situation
apply	dependent	implicit	perform	so-called
appreciate	derive	imply	period	solution
approach	describe	importance	permit	solve
appropriate	design	impose	perspective	source
approximately	despite	improve	phenomenon	space
argue	determine	include	philosophy	specific
arrange	develop	incomplete	physical	specify
aspect	difference	incorporate	policy	stable
assert	difficulty	increase	population	statistic
assess	dimension	independent	pose	stimulate
assign	diminish	indicate	position	strategy
assist	discover	indirect	positive	structure
assume	discriminate	individual	possess	subject
attain	discuss	induce	possibility	submit
attempt	display	infer	potential	subsequent
attitude	distinct	inferior	practical	substantial

author	distinguish	influence	practice	successful
available	distribute	information	precede	sufficient
average	diverse	inherent	predict	suggest
avoid	divide	initiate	previous	suitable
aware	dominate	insight	primary	summary
basis	edit	instance	prime	supplement
behaviour	effect	institute	principal	supply
belief	element	instrument	principle	support
benefit	eliminate	integrate	procedure	survey
bias	emerge	interaction	process	sustain
capacity	emphasis	internal	productive	synthesise
category	empirical	interpret	profound	systematic
challenge	employ	intervene	progress	target
characteristic	enable	introduce	prominent	task
circumstance	encounter	investigate	promote	team
cite	enhance	involve	proportion	technical
claim	ensure	isolate	propose	technique
clarify	environment	issue	prove	technology
classify	equivalent	justify	provide	tendency
code	error	knowledge	publication	theme
coherent	essential	label	purpose	theory
coincide	establish	lack	pursue	thus
colleague	estimate	level	qualitative	topic
combine	ethics	limitation	quantitative	total
common	evaluate	link	quote	tradition
communicate	evident	literature	random	transform
community	evolve	locate	range	transit
compare	examine	logic	rational	trend
complex	example	mainly	realistic	typical
component	exceed	maintain	reason	uncertainty
comprehensive	exception	major	receive	undertake
concentrate	exclude	majority	recognise	unique
concept	exemplify	manipulate	record	validity
concern	exist	maximise	reduce	valuable
conclude	expand	means	reference	vary
condition	experience	measure	reflect	version
conduct	experiment	media	regulate	view
confine	expert	method	reinforce	visual
confirm	explain	minimal	reject	vital
conflict	explicit	minor	relationship	volume
conform	exploit	mode	relatively	whereas
connect	expose	model	relevant	widespread
consent	express	modern	reliability	within
consequently	extend	modify	rely	yield