# Have you seen the news?

# Glossary

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- 5.1 (the) press (n) /(ðə) pres/ newspapers and magazines • The news of the flood was reported in the press. ❖ πρecca
- 5.2 press conference (n) /pres 'konfərəns/ interview with journalists The actor announced at a press conference that she would do one last film. ❖ пресс-конференция 

  Syn: news conference
- 5.3 soundbite (n) /'saundbart/ a short phrase or sentence, which is easily remembered, taken from a speech, especially by a politician, which makes a point and is repeated in the media • Most politicians have speeches carefully written to include soundbites so their message will be remembered. ❖ лозунг
- memorable (adj) /'memrəbl/
  which can be remembered easily;
  unforgettable The first time I sang in public
  was a memorable experience. ➤ memory (n)
   незабываемый, памятный

# Reading Pages 54-55

- (the) media (n pl) /(ðə) 'miːdɪə/ all the ways of spreading news and entertainment, e.g. TV, radio, newspapers, internet sites TV and radio used to be the most popular media till the internet took over.
   ф средства массовой информации (СМИ)
   № NB: singular: medium
- 5.6 disinformation (n) /ˌdɪsˌɪnfəˈmeɪʃn/
  false information about sth The videos
  online were carefully designed to spread
  disinformation denying the country's social
  problems. ❖ дезинформация, ложь
- **5.7 false** (n) /fɔːls/ not real or true ● *Check your facts carefully* because there's so much false information around on social media. ❖ ложный, вымышленный
- misleading (adj) /ˌmɪsˈliːdɪŋ/
  not true, but appearing to be The
  advertisement gives the misleading impression
  that the sugary breakfast cereal is a healthy
  choice. ➤ mislead (v) ❖ вводящий в
  заблуждение, обманчивый 
  © Opp: factual

- spread (v) /spred/
  tell or be told to a large number of people
  News of the celebrity couple's separation spread quickly. >> spread (n)
  ф распространять(ся) 
  Also: spread the news, spread gossip/rumours
- deliberately (adv) /dɪˈlɪbərətli/
   on purpose, not by chance She deliberately
   switches off her phone at night so it won't
   distract her from sleeping. ➤ deliberate (adj)
   • умышленно
- fiction (n) /ˈfɪkʃn/
   an untrue report or statement The statement she made to the police was a complete fiction.
   ⇒ fictional (adj) ❖ вымысел ⑤ Opp: fact
- 5.12 crevasse (n) /krəˈvæs/
  deep crack in a rock or ice The climber broke
  his arm when he fell into a crevasse on the
  mountain. ❖ расщелина в леднике
- 5.13 overtake (v) /ˌəʊvəˈteɪk/
  go past sb/sth moving in front of you because
  you are moving faster She overtook
  all the other cyclists and won the race.
  ❖ обгонять
- 5.14 instinct (n) /'ɪnstɪŋkt/
  natural reaction without thinking Following its instincts, the cat caught the bird and brought it into the house. ➤ instinctive (adj) ❖ инстинкт
- rational (adj) /'ræʃənl/
  based on logic Screaming loudly wasn't a
  helpful or rational reaction to seeing the snake
  in the woods. ➤ rationality (n), rationally (adv)
   разумный, рациональный <sup>®</sup> Opp: irrational
- 5.16 cognitive (adj) /ˈkɒgnətɪv/
  connected with thinking and understanding

   It's fascinating to observe children's cognitive development as they come to understand the world around them.
   ★ когнитивный, познавательный
- tend to (v) /tend tu:/
   often do a particular thing People tend to
   waste a lot of time chatting on social media.
   > tendency (n) ❖ иметь тенденцию,
   склонность делать что-либо
- 5.18 logically (adv) /'lɒdʒɪkli/
  in a way that is sensible and logical It can be
  difficult to remain calm and think logically when
  you're under too much pressure. ➤ logic (n),
  logical (adj) ❖ логически ை Opp: illogically

- psychologist (n) /sar'kolədʒist/
  a scientist trained in the study of the mind and behaviour He's seeing a psychologist to overcome his fear of speaking in public.

  > рsychology (n), psychological (adj)

  ◆ психолог
- 5.20 logic (n) /'lodʒɪk/ a reasonable way of thinking ● There's no logic in your decision to leave your job. ➤ logical (adj), logically (adv) ❖ логика
- skim read (expr) /skim ri:d/
  read sth quickly to get the general meaning
   She skim reads the headlines to catch up
  with the news. ❖ ознакомительное чтение
- 5.22 come to a decision (expr) /kʌm tʊ ə dɪˈsɪʒn/ reach a decision; decide Have you come to a decision about what career you'd like to follow? ❖ придти к выводу, принять решение
- 5.23 unlimited (adj) /ʌn'lɪmɪtɪd/ without limits ● Situated near the mountain streams, the village has an unlimited water supply. ❖ неограниченный ை Opp: limited
- 5.24 distribute (v) /dr'strrbju:t/
  share things among people The restaurant
  had advertising leaflets distributed to attract
  more customers. ➤ distribution (n) ❖ раздавать,
  распределять
- platform (n) /'plætfɔ:m/
  a place for people to express their opinions
  and share information in public He shared
  the photos on several social media platforms.

  ❖ платформа
- b.26 democratise (v) /dr'mokrətaiz/
  make sth (e.g. country, group) more
  democratic i.e. controlled by elected
  representatives The French Revolution was
  intended to democratise the country, ending
  the rule of the royal family. ➤ democracy (n),
  democratic (adj), democratically (adv)
  ф демократизировать
- 5.27 implication (n) /ˌɪmplɪˈkeɪʃn/
  possible effects or results of sth The
  construction of a new road will have
  implications for the residents on the outskirts of
  town. ➤ implicate, imply (v) ❖ последствие
- 5.28 nutrition (n) /nju:'trɪʃn/
  the things in the food you eat that keep you
  healthy Children need a proper diet that
  ensures good nutrition to grow well.
   ➤ nutritious (adj) ❖ питательные вещества
- reinforce (v) /riːɪnˈfɔːs/
  make sth stronger ◆ The timing of the
  incident reinforced his belief that the fire
  had been started deliberately. ➤ reinforced
  (adj), reinforcement (n) ❖ подкреплять,
  подтверждать

- bias (n) /ˈbaɪəs/
  favouring one thing over another The
  referee's decision showed an unfair bias
  towards the home team. ➤ biased (adj)
   ф предубеждение Syn: prejudice
- intellectual (adj) /,ɪntəˈlektʃuəl/
  related to the ability to think logically and
  understand Children should be encouraged
  to develop both artistic and intellectual
  skills. ➤ intellect (n) ❖ умственный,
  интеллектуальный
- persuasive (adj) /pəˈsweɪsɪv/
  able to talk sb into doing or believing sth
  The estate agent was very persuasive, so we were convinced that the house was a bargain. ➤ persuade (v), persuasion (n)
  убедительный
- 5.33 psychological (adj) /saɪkəˈlɒdʒɪkl/ to do with your mind and thoughts ● He has suffered from psychological problems since the accident. ➤ psychologically (adv), psychologist, psychology (n)
  ♣ психологический
- misinformation (n) /ˌmɪsˌɪnfə'meɪʃn/ wrong information about sth presented as fact
  There is so much misinformation around about environmental issues. ➤ misinform (v)
  \* ложная информация
- 5.35 likelihood (n) /ˈlaɪklihʊd/
  possibility In all likelihood, driverless buses
  will soon be a common sight in our cities.

  > likely (adj) ❖ вероятность
- 5.36 source (n) /sɔːs/
  the place or thing which sth originates from
  Living in poverty is a source of unhappiness for many people. ❖ источник
- **5.37** regularly (adv) /'regjələli/ at regular intervals • She goes jogging regularly – at least three times a week. ➤ regular (adj) ❖ регулярно
- widely (adv) /ˈwaɪdli/
  a lot; to a large extent Her books are now distributed widely in several languages.
  > wide (adj), widen (v), width (n) ❖ широко
- in depth (expr) /In depθ/
   in detail In the podcast, she explains her theory in depth. ➤ deep (adj), deepen (v)
   \* во всех подробностях, подробно
- 5.40 stand out (phr v) /stænd aʊt/
  be noticeable This blogger stands out from
  the rest as he appears to back up his ideas
  with facts. ❖ выделяться на фоне остальных
- 5.41 put pressure on sb/sth (expr) /pʊt 'preʃər pn 'sʌmbədi/'sʌmθɪŋ/ force sb/sth to do sth Local groups are putting pressure on the council to create safe play areas for children. ➤ pressure, pressurise (v) ❖ оказывать давление на коголибо/что-либо

5.42 guidance (n) /ˈgaɪdns/
help or advice ● I found some videos giving
guidance on how to fix the software error.
 > guide (n, v) ❖ вспомогательное средство

# Vocabulary Page 56

- journalism (n) /ˈdʒɜːnəlɪzəm/
  the work of identifying and writing new stories
  for the media She studied journalism and
  made a successful career writing for
  a major newspaper. ➤ journalist (n)

  \* журналистика
- 5.44 human interest (n) /ˌhjuːmən ˈɪntrəst/ information or a story that is interesting because it describes personal lives or feelings
  The film was a human interest story about a man's search for his natural mother.
  ❖ трогательный сюжет
- 5.45 breaking news (n) /'breɪkɪŋ 'njuːz/
  new information about an event that is
  currently happening The programme was
  interrupted to present breaking news about the
  earthquake. ❖ экстренный выпуск новостей
- 5.46 current affairs (n pl) /ˈkʌrənt əˈfeəz/ important political or other events that are happening now It is important to keep informed about current affairs so you know what is happening in the world. ❖ текущие события
- political analysis (n) /pəˈlɪtɪkl əˈnæləsɪs/
  the study of what's happening in government
  and political organisations The news report
  gave a complete political analysis of the
  possible outcomes of the election.
   ♣ политический анализ
- inspection (n) /ɪnˈspekʃn/
   the act of checking sth closely, especially
   to see that rules are being followed After
   the editor's inspection, the magazine was
   published online. ➤ inspect (v), inspector (n)
   инспекция, тщательное рассмотрение
- anonymous (adj) /əˈnɒnɪməs/
  unknown or not wishing to be known in public
  The police have received information about the case from an anonymous caller.
  ⇒ anonymity (n) ❖ анонимный
- 5.50 press release (n) /'pres rɪ'liːs/
   a news update or short report The
   government press release outlines their
   financial plans for the next year.
   ❖ пресс-релиз
- 5.51 assessment (n) /əˈsesmənt/
  a measure of the extent or quality of sth
  The emergency services made an in-depth assessment of the storm damage. ➤ assess (v) ❖ экспертная оценка

- official (adj) /əˈfɪʃl/
   which is said or done with authority The
   report came from an official government
   source. ➤ official (n), officially (adv)
   ◆ официальный ⑤ Opp: unofficial
- broadcast (v) /'brɔːdkɑːst/
  transmit a radio or TV programme The news
  is broadcast every evening at 10 p.m.

  > broadcast, broadcaster (n) ❖ передавать в
  эфире
- 5.54 call in (phr v) /kɔːl ɪn/
  phone A few listeners called in during the
  live TV programme to give information about
  the missing person. ❖ отвечать на вопросы
  зрителей или слушателей
- 5.55 circulation (n) /sɜːkjʊˈleɪʃn/
  the number of copies that each issue
  of a newspaper or magazine sells The
  magazine had a circulation of over 100,000.

  ➤ circulate (v) ❖ тираж
- panel (n) /'pænl/
   a group of specialists who discuss opinions
   about sth The discussion panel consisted of
   representatives from each political party.
   ❖ комиссия
- 5.57 subscriber (n) /səb'skraɪbə(r)/
  sb who supports or pays to receive information
  from a magazine, newspaper or online
  service Her YouTube channel has attracted
  thousands of subscribers. ➤ subscribe (v)
   подписчик
- trustworthy (adj) /ˈtrʌstwɜːði/
   that can be trusted and depended on /ˈd never tell Marcus any secrets as he isn't trustworthy. ➤ trust (v), trustworthiness (n)
   заслуживающий доверия
- activist (n) /ˈæktɪvɪst/
  a person who works towards social change,
  often collectively A group of environmental
  activists prevented the loggers from destroying
  the forest. ➤ activism (n), active (adj), actively
  (adv) ❖ активист
- electorate (n) /ɪ'lektərət/
  all the people who can vote in an election

   The opposition's campaign was aimed at attracting votes from the younger members of the electorate. ➤ elect (v), election (n)

   электорат, избиратели
- manifesto (n) /,mænɪˈfestəʊ/
  the written aims of a group, especially a
  political party The party's election manifesto
  includes a promise to increase the minimum
  wage. ❖ манифест
- 5.62 councillor (n) /ˈkaʊnsələ(r)/

   a member of a council, the group elected to govern a local area We've written to our local councillor about the traffic problem.
   ❖ член городского или местного совета

- 5.63 diplomat (n) //dɪpləmæt/
  a government representative who travels
  abroad to represent their country The
  statement was made by a US diplomat in
  Saudi Arabia. ➤ diplomacy (n), diplomatic (adj)
  ❖ дипломат
- 5.64 proposed (adj) /prəˈpəʊzd/ planned or suggested ● The council held a press conference to present the plans for the proposed new bridge. ➤ proposal (n), propose (v) ❖ рекомендуемый, предполагаемый
- immigration (n) /ˌɪmɪˈgreɪʃn/
  the act of coming to live in a country from a
  different one In the 1950s, there was a high
  level of immigration to Australia from Europe
  when people came in search of better lives.

  > immigrate (v), immigrant (n)

  ф иммиграция
- 5.66 opposition (n) /ˌɒpəˈzɪʃn/
  resistance to a decision The government
  faced opposition from environmental groups
  who didn't want wind turbines to be built
  in a conservation area. ❖ сопротивление,
  оппозиция
- mislead (v) /ˌmɪsˈliːd/
  give sb incorrect information to make them
  believe sth that isn't true The voters were
  completely misled by the government's false
  promises to cut taxes. ➤ misleading (adj)
   вводить в заблуждение
- dictator (n) /dɪk'teɪtə(r)/
   a leader who has absolute control of a country, often obtained by force The country was ruled by a cruel dictator. ➤ dictate (v), dictatorship (n) ❖ диктатор
- propaganda (n) /ˌpropəˈgændə/
   one-sided arguments and promises used
   to win support for an idea or political party

   The prime minister's sudden interest in
   the environment is nothing but pre-election
   propaganda. ❖ пропаганда
- 5.70 constitution (n) /ˌkonstr'tju:ʃn/
  the system of laws and beliefs that controls
  a country or organisation The president
  proposed some changes to the constitution to
  suit his own political plans. ❖ конституция
- **5.71** referendum (n) /ˌrefə'rendəm/
  a public vote on an important matter *The*government refused to accept the result of the
  region's referendum on independence.
  ❖ референдум
- anger (v) /ˈæŋgə(r)/
  make sb angry The politician's statement
  angered everybody, even her own party
  members. ➤ anger (n), angry (adj), angrily (adv)

  злить

5.73 demand (v) /drˈmɑːnd/
insist on • When the shop sent me a second
faulty tablet, I returned it and demanded a
refund. ➤ demand (n), demanding (adj)
 ❖ требовать

# Grammar Page 57

- 5.74 protestor (n) /prəˈtestə(r)/
  sb who takes part in a public protest
  Thousands of protestors took part in the demonstration. > protest (n, v)
  ♣ протестующий № Also: protester
  ⊗ Syn: demonstrator
- 5.75 speech (n) /spixtf/
  a talk for a group of people to hear
   We watched the prime minister make his speech about unemployment on TV.
  ❖ речь, выступление

# Listening Page 58

- 5.76 conventional (adj) /kənˈvenʃənəl/
  normal, typical News spreads faster online
  than it does with conventional newspapers.

  > conventionally (adv) ❖ традиционный

  © Opp: unconventional
- **5.77 fanbase** (n) /ˈfæn beɪs/
  the group of followers who admire a particular performer, writer or other celebrity *The*band's fanbase consists mainly of teenagers.
  ❖ фан-клуб, поклонники
- 5.78 generate (v) /'dgenəreɪt/
  produce Do you think they will generate
  enough support to win the election?

  > generator, generation (n) ❖ производить,
  порождать
- engagement (n) /ɪnˈgeɪʤmənt/
  involvement and interest in sth The blog post
  aimed to generate engagement in the band's
  new album. ➤ engage (v), engaging (adj)
   причастность, вовлечение
- tweet (v) /twi:t/
   send a message or image on the social media
   app, Twitter Participants tweeted their photos
   directly from the demonstration. ➤ tweet (n)
   опубликовать твит, писать в Твиттере
- 5.81 distract (v) /dɪs'trækt/ prevent sb from concentrating on sth
  I need to study in a place where nothing can distract me. ➤ distraction (n) ❖ отвлекать

# Speaking Page 59

front page (n) /,fr∧nt 'peɪdʒ/
the first page of a newspaper which gives the
main news headlines • The story made the
front page of most major newspapers.
 \* титульный лист, первая страница, лицевая

сторона

- 5.83 gossip columnist (n) /'gosip 'koləmnist/ a journalist who writes about the private lives of celebrities ● The news of their divorce was mentioned by a gossip columnist in a popular newspaper. ❖ журналист, ведущий колонку светской хроники
- 5.84 negotiate (v) /nr'gəʊʃieɪt/
  discuss sth to reach an agreement or make
  a deal A diplomat's job involves negotiating
  with leaders of other countries. ➤ negotiation,
  negotiator (n), negotiable (adj)
   ❖ вести переговоры

## People: individuals

activist gossip columnist

councillor protestor dictator psychologist diplomat subscriber

## Grammar Page 60

- **5.85** publish (v) /p∧blɪʃ/
  to print sth in a newspaper, magazine or
  book, etc. *My article was published in the*school magazine. ➤ publisher (n) ❖ издавать,
  публиковать
- column (n) /ˈkɒləm/
  a regular newspaper or magazine article on a particular subject or by a particular journalist
  She writes a column on book reviews for a national newspaper. ❖ колонка, рубрика
- 5.87 accuse (v) /əˈkjuːz/ say sb has done sth wrong ● The politician was accused of hiding information from the public before the election. ❖ обвинять
- 5.88 elect (v) /r¹lɛkt/ choose a person to represent a group or serve a particular role by voting. ● Jamie was elected as our class president. ➤ election, electorate (n) ❖ избирать, выбирать
- 5.89 lie (v) /laɪ/
  deliberately say sth which isn't true He lied
  to his manager and said he was ill to cover his
  absence from work. ➤ lie, liar (n)
  врать
- **5.90** enquire (v) /ɪnˈkwaɪə(r)/
  ask He enquired at the hotel reception about his missing key. ➤ enquiry (n) ❖ спрашивать, интересоваться

- 5.91 go viral (expr) /gəʊ 'vaɪrəl/ spread rapidly over the internet News of the fire went viral within minutes on Twitter.
   ❖ набрать большую популярность, распространяться с большой скоростью
- 5.92 threaten (v) /ˈθretn/ say you will cause harm or damage to sb/ sth if you don't get what you want ● The boss threatened to fire her if she made any more mistakes at work. ➤ threat (n), threatening (adj) ❖ угрожать, быть угрозой
- **5.93** admit (v) /əd'mɪt/
  agree that you did sth bad or that sth bad is true *The meteorologist admitted that they had not forecast the weather correctly.*❖ признавать(ся)

## People: groups

electorate panel fanbase the press opposition union

# Use your English Page 61

- 5.94 break the (bad) news (expr) /breɪk ðə (bæd) njuːz/
  be the first to tell sb about sth (bad) that has happened I didn't want to be the one to break the bad news to him about the accident.
  ❖ объявить (плохую) новость
- 5.95 old news (expr) /,əʊld njuːz/
  information that people have already
  heard about By the time I met up with Harry
  for lunch, his trip to Bali was already old news.
  ❖ всё по прежнему
- 5.96 that's news to me (expr) /ðæts njuzz to miː/ that's sth I didn't know ● That's news to me that they're getting a divorce. I didn't even know they were married! ❖ первый раз слышу, это для меня новость
- **5.97** welcome news (expr) /ˈwelkʌm njuːz/ news you are happy to receive *The announcement of his promotion came as welcome news.* ❖ благая весть, хорошая новость
- union (n) /ˈjuːniən/
  a formal organisation of workers to protect
  their rights and improve working conditions

   The transport workers' union has objected to
  the proposed change in working hours.

   □ προφορίο
- 5.99 crash-land (v) /ˈkræʃ lænd/
  make an emergency landing The plane had
  run out of fuel, so the pilot crash-landed in a
  field. ❖ разбиться при посадке, совершить
  вынужденную посадку

- 5.100 postpone (v) /pəʊs'pəʊn/
  delay until a later date The chat show has
  been postponed to six thirty because of the
  emergency news broadcast. ❖ откладывать,
  отсрочивать ை Syn: put off
- **5.101** make sense (phr) /meɪk sens/
  be logical or a good thing to do *Diane didn't*enjoy that film because the ending didn't make
  sense. ❖ иметь смысл, быть понятным
- **5.102** come up with (phr v) /kʌm ʌp wið/ think of The Romans came up with the brilliant idea of building roads straight across England. ❖ придумывать, разрабатывать
- 5.103 get (sth) across (phr v) /get ('sʌmθɪŋ) ə'krɔs/ make sth understood He's a little shy, which makes it hard for him to get his ideas across. ❖ четко излагать (мысль)
- 5.104 have a word (with) (phr v) /hæv ə wɜːd (wɪθ)/ discuss sth with sb Mandy had a word with her son's teacher to discuss his progress.
  ❖ поговорить с кем-либо, перемолвиться словом
- 5.105 call for (phr v) /kɔːl fɔː/
  require Dealing with immigration issues
  calls for action from governments worldwide.
  Ф призывать к каким-либо действиям,
  предусматривать что-либо
- 5.106 clear up sth (phr v) /kliər ∧p 'sʌmθɪŋ/ deal with a problem or explain sth She spoke to her employees to clear up any doubts about the future of the company. ❖ выяснить чтолибо, прояснить
- **5.107** briefly (adv) /'briːfli/
  for a short time We only discussed the
  matter briefly >> brief (adj) ❖ вкратце, кратко
- **5.108** misunderstanding (n) /ˌmɪsʌndəˈstændɪŋ/ a situation where sb does not understand sth correctly Through some misunderstanding, the parcel was delivered to the wrong address. 
  ➤ misunderstand (v) ❖ недоразумение
- **5.109 depressing** (adj) /dr'presɪŋ/ which makes you feel very unhappy *The story was so depressing because it had a sad ending.* ➤ depress (v), depression (n), depressed (adj) ❖ наводящий уныние
- 5.110 poverty (n) /'povəti/
  the state of being very poor Jenny is cycling
  around the world to raise money to fight child
  poverty. ➤ poor (adj), the poor (n pl)
   ❖ бедность

## **Expressions with news**

break the (bad) news breaking news old news that's news to me welcome news

## **Expressions and phrasal verbs**

call for get (sth) across

call in go viral

clear up sth have a word (with) come to a decision make sense come up with stand out

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- 5.111 updated (adj) /,∧p'deɪtɪd/ revised to the latest version ● Unfortunately, the updated app doesn't work on my phone. > update (n, v) ❖ усовершенствованный, актуальный
- 5.112 consciously (adv) /ˈkɒnʃəsli/
  intentionally; with full awareness Did you
  consciously decide to tell him or was it a
  slip? ➤ consciousness (n), conscious (adj)
  ❖ сознательно ◎ Opp: unconsciously,
  subconsciously
- 5.113 undoubtedly (adv) /∧n'daʊtɪdli/ without a doubt • He undoubtedly had good reasons for refusing the job offer. ➤ undoubted (adj) ❖ несомненно ை Syn: definitely
- 5.114 integral (adj) /ˈɪntɪgrəl/ essential; which can't be removed ● Emails and instant messaging have become integral parts of everyday communication.
   ⇒ integrate (v) ❖ неотъемлемый, существенный
- 5.115 consumption (n) /kən'sʌmpʃn/
  using, eating or drinking sth We must cut
  down on our consumption of the earth's
  resources. ➤ consume (v), consumer,
  consumerism (n) ❖ потребление
- effective (adj) /r'fektrv/
   which achieves what is intended Video chats are a fast and effective form of communication.
   ⇒ effectiveness (n), effectively (adv)
   эффективный № Opp: ineffective
- 5.117 isolated (adj) /'aɪsəleɪtɪd/
  not seeing or being in touch with other people

  Working online from home can cause people
  to feel isolated from the real world.
  ⇒ isolate (v), isolation (n) ❖ изолированный,
  оторванный
- 5.118 mental (adj) /ˈmentl/
  relating to the mind and thinking Socialising
  with friends is important for our mental health.
  > mentality (n) ❖ умственный, психический
- 5.119 alarming (adj) /əˈlɑːmɪŋ/
  frightening or worrying There has been an
  alarming increase in unemployment in recent
  years. ➤ alarm (n, v), alarmingly (adv)
  \* тревожный

# Live well, study well

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**5.120** nerves (n pl) /n₃:vz/ feeling of stress and worry • *He always suffers* 

from nerves in job interviews. ➤ nervous (adj), nervously (adv) ❖ нервозность

**5.121** assignment (n) /əˈsaɪnmənt/ a piece of work that sb is given to do, often as part of their studies ● *I managed to hand in my class assignment on time.* ❖ задание, назначение

**5.122** recap (v) /ˈriːkæp/
repeat or summarise • Let me recap the main points of our discussion before we make a decision. ❖ подвести итог

alternatively (adv) /ɔːlˈtɜːnətɪvli/
as a second possibility • We could write to our
councillor about the problem. Alternatively, we
could go to the press. ➤ alternative (adj)
в ином случае

5.124 eye contact (n) /aɪ 'kɒntækt/ looking directly at sb's eyes ● *l'm sure he was lying from the way he avoided eye contact.*❖ зрительный контакт, взгляд в глаза

5.125 sip (n) /sɪp/ a very small amount of a drink ● He stopped regularly to take sips of water on his long walk. > sip (v) ❖ глоток

#### **Compound nouns**

current affairs human interest
eye contact political analysis
fanbase press conference
front page press release
gossip columnist soundbite