# Unit 10 Learn to learn

### Reading

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**10.1 campus** (n) /'kæmpəs/ - areál univerzity

the buildings of a college or university together with the land around them ● *In some universities, new students are only allowed to live on campus.* ❖

**10.2** mission statement (n) / mıʃən steitmənt/ - programové prohlášení/cíle a short description of the aims of an organisation or company ● Most companies spend a lot of time creating their mission statement, as it can help them plan their business. ❖

**10.3 curriculum** (n) /kəˈrɪkjələm/ - studijní plán; osnovy

the subjects taught in a school, college, or university • The government is introducing a national curriculum that all schools must follow. �

**10.4 educational** (adj) / edʒʊˈkeɪʃənl/ - vzdělávací

related to teaching and learning ● The program can be used for entertainment as well as for educational purposes, as it helps users learn geography. ➤ educate (v), education (n), educator (n) ❖

**10.5 kindergarten** (n) /ˈkɪndəˌgɑːtən/ - mateřská škola

a school for children aged between two and five • The children are in a full-day kindergarten. We pick them up at five.

❖ <sup>®</sup> Syn: nursery school

**10.6 principle** (n) /'prinsəpl/ - princip; zásada

a basic idea or rule that influences your actions ● Lying is against my principles – I always tell the truth. ❖

**10.7 sustainability** (n) /səˌsteɪnəˈbɪləti/ -udržitelnost

the quality of causing as little damage as possible to the environment so that it can

continue to exist for a long time • One way to achieve sustainability is to develop renewable energy. ➤ sustainable (adj) ❖ 10.8 individuality (n) / individgu 'æləti/ individualita; osobitost the qualities that make a person different from the others • People should be free to express their individuality, but they should also be able to work together as members of society. ➤ individual (n, adj) ❖ **10.9 unique** (adj) /juːˈniːk/ - jedinečný being the only one of its kind or special and unusual in some way ● It's a unique situation. I've never experienced anything like it. ➤ uniqueness (n) ❖ 10.10 worm (n) /wa:m/ - červ a small animal with a long, thin, soft body that has no bones, legs or arms ● I can't

a small animal with a long, thin, soft body that has no bones, legs or arms • I can't eat this apple. There's a worm in it! \*

10.11 compost (n) / kompost/ - kompost a mixture of dead plants, food, etc. that you add to soil to help plants grow • We make compost out of all kinds of waste. \*

10.12 rodent (n) / rəʊdnt/ - hlodavec a type of small animal with sharp front teeth, such as a mouse or a rat • Cats often chase birds and rodents. \*

10.13 owl (n) /aʊl/ - sova a bird with large round eyes that hunts small animals at night ● Owls are considered a symbol of wisdom in many cultures. ❖

**10.14 keep (sth) down** (phr v) /ki:p ('sʌmθıŋ) daʊn/ - držet dole; omezovat control the size or number of sth so that it does not increase ● *The company needs to keep its prices down as there is a lot of competition.* ❖

**10.15 orchard** (n) /ˈɔːtʃəd/ - sad land where fruit trees are grown ● *They have an apple orchard behind the house.* 

**10.16 consciously** (adv) /ˈkɒnʃəsli/ - vědomě

in a way that shows you are aware of what is happening and what effects it has ● *I* don't think he realises he's rude. He

doesn't do it consciously. ➤ conscious (adj) � Dpp: unconsciously 10.17 commitment (n) /kə mıtmənt/ závazek the willingness to work hard and give a lot of time and energy to sth ● She demonstrated a commitment to the fight for human rights throughout her life.  $\geq$ commit (v), committed (adj) � 10.18 input (n) /'inpot/ - příspěvek; vstup; vklad ideas and knowledge that sb has to offer The head of school asked for the teachers' input on the new methods. � **10.19 founder** (n) / faondə(r)/ - zakladatel the person that starts an organisation or institution ● *Jeff Bezos is the founder of* Amazon, one of the five largest technology companies. ➤ found (v) ❖ **10.20 celebrate** (v) /'seləbreit/ - slavit; opěvovat express your admiration for sb/sth • The film celebrates the life and work of Frida Kahlo. ➤ celebration (n) ❖ 10.21 numeracy (n) / njuːmərəsi/ matematická gramotnost the ability to do basic mathematics • It's easy to do the calculations if you have basic numeracy skills. 💠 **10.22 literacy** (n) /'litərəsi/ - gramotnost the ability to read and write • Literacy rates continue to be rather low in some developing countries. ➤ literate (adj) ❖ 10.23 algebra (n) /ˈældʒəbrə/ - algebra the part of mathematics that uses symbols and letters ● *In algebra, the sign x usually* represents an unknown number. � **10.24 core** (adj) /kɔː(r)/ - základní most basic, most important ● *People from* different cultures often have different core beliefs and values.  $\gg$  core (n)  $\diamondsuit$ 10.25 sister (adj) / sistə(r)/ - sesterská of the same type and connected in some way to each other • We will publish the book in cooperation with our sister

company. �

10.26 (it's) a matter of time (expr) /(its) a 'mætər əv taım/ - (je to) otázka času it will definitely happen, sooner or later • It's only a matter of time before we learn the whole truth. � 10.27 illustrate (v) /ˈɪləstreɪt/ - doložit příklady show the meaning of sth by giving an example • He illustrated his point by sharing a story. ➤ illustration (n) ❖ 10.28 integrate (v) /'intigreit/ - propojit combine two or more things into one • The kindergarten teacher always tried to integrate learning with play. ➤ integration (n) �

### Vocabulary

Page 116 10.29 tutor (n) /'tʃuːtə(r)/ - lektor; učitel a private teacher that teaches one student or a small group • Her parents hired a tutor to help with her maths. � 10.30 lecturer (n) / lekt[ərə(r)/ přednášející; vysokoškolský učitel a college or university teacher • She's a lecturer in archaeology at Oxford. ➤ lecture (v, n) ❖ **10.31 PhD** (n) / piːeɪtʃˈdiː/ - PhD the highest university degree (abbreviation for Doctor of Philosophy) • A PhD usually requires at least three years of full-time study and research. � 10.32 instructor (n) /in'straktə(r)/ instruktor; cvičitel a teacher of sport or a practical skill My aerobics instructor demonstrated the right way to do the exercise. > instruct (v), instruction (n) ❖ 10.33 coach (n) /kəʊtʃ/ - trenér; učitel a person whose job is to train a person or a team in sport ● The coach analysed the reasons why we had lost. ➤ coach (v) ❖

**10.34 adviser** (n) /əd'vaizə(r)/ - poradce

a person whose job is to give advice on a

particular subject • The student discussed her plans with the careers adviser. ➤ advise (v), advice (n) ❖

10.35 civil engineering (n) / sıvl endʒı'nıərıŋ/ - stavebnictví the design and building of roads, bridges, public buildings, etc. ● The construction of the new bridge is one of the biggest civil engineering projects we have planned. ➤ civil engineer (n) ❖

**10.36 trainer** (n) /'treinə(r)/ - trenér; cvičitel

a person who teaches people or animals how to perform a skill or how to do a sport

• My trainer advised me not to run in the race. ➤ train (v), trainee (n) ❖

**10.37 grade** (n) /greid/ - známka (ve škole) a number or letter that shows how good your performance is ● *Mark studies hard and always gets good grades.* ➤ grade (v) ❖ Syn: mark

**10.38 recruit** (v) /rı kru:t/ - najmout; nabrat

find and employ new people to work for you ● The school needs to recruit three new English teachers. ➤ recruitment (n), recruit (n) ❖

**10.39 retake** (v) / riː teɪk/ - opakovat (test apod.)

take an exam again because you didn't pass it the previous time • If you fail the test, you can retake it next month. •

**10.40 praise** (v) /preiz/ - chválit express admiration, say how good sb/sth is • The teacher praised her for her excellent performance. ➤ praise (n) ❖

Opp: criticise
10.41 assessment (n) /əˈsesmənt/ -

hodnocení

the process of testing sb's knowledge or skills and making a judgment ● The assessment consists of five written tests.

➤ assess (v) ❖

**10.42 certificate** (n) /səˈtɪfɪkət/ -osvědčení

a qualification you receive when you pass an exam or complete a course successfully She holds a certificate in teaching
 English to children. ➤ certify (v) ❖

 10.43 degree (n) /dı'gri:/ - titul
 a qualification you receive from a
 university after you complete your studies
 A university degree will improve your chances of employment. ❖

**10.44 apprenticeship** (n) /əˈprentisʃip/ - učení; učňovství a job that you get for a short period of time with sb who helps you develop the necessary skills ● *She's doing an apprenticeship as an electrician for a year.*➤ apprentice (n) ❖

**10.45 scholarship** (n) /ˈskɒləʃɪp/ - stipendium

an amount of money that you receive to help with your education • He went to drama school on a scholarship, so it didn't cost him anything. �

**10.46 term** (n) /tɜːm/ - pololetí; semestr; trimestr

one of the three periods into which the school year is divided ● In UK universities, the spring term starts in January. ❖

#### Grammar

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10.47 deliver (v) /dıˈlıvə(r)/ - přednést give a speech, presentation or performance ● The headteacher delivered a long speech. ➤ delivery (n) ❖ 10.48 put effort into sth (expr) /pʊt ˈefət ˈɪntuː ˈsʌmθɪŋ/ - vložit úsilí do try and work hard to achieve sth ● Sarah put a lot of effort into her projects and it showed. ❖

**10.49 professor** (n) /prəˈfesə(r)/ - profesor a university teacher of the highest rank ● After 15 years at the university, they finally made him professor. ❖

**10.50 librarian** (n) /laı breəriən/ - knihovník

a person who works or is in charge of a library • The librarian asked him to pay a

fine for returning the book late. ➤ library (n) ❖

## Listening

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**10.51 far-reaching** (adj) / fɑːˈriːtʃɪŋ/ - dalekosáhlý

likely to have a lot of influence ● *The 2009* crisis had far-reaching consequences. ❖

**10.52 technical** (adj) / teknikl/ - technický; odborný

difficult to understand if you don't have specialist knowledge of the subject ● He used a lot of technical language which we couldn't understand. ❖

### **Speaking**

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**10.53 to what extent** (expr) /tə wɒt ık'stent/ - do jaké míry how much ● *I don't know to what extent that is true.* ❖

**10.54 come down to** (phr v) /kʌm daʊn tə/ - být jádrem věci; spočívat v be the most important part of sth • *In the end it comes down to money: can we afford it or not?* ❖

**10.55 tricky** (adj) /'trıki/ - složitý; ošidný difficult to deal with if you don't pay a lot of attention ● *It's a tricky situation*. Whatever I decide to do, there will be problems. ➤ trick (n) ❖

#### Grammar

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**10.56 deny** (v) /dı'naı/ - popřít say that sth did not happen or that you were not responsible for sth ● *The student denied cheating in the exam.* ➤ denial (n)

Opp: admit

**10.57 insist on** (v) /in'sist/ - trvat na continue expressing your opinion, especially when other people do not agree

He insisted that he was innocent, although all the evidence was against him.
➤ insistence (n), insistent (adj) ❖ **10.58 drop out of** (phr v) /drop aot əv/ -zanechat; nedokončit

stop attending (school/college/university) classes before you finish your course ● He dropped out of school at 16 and took a job as a waiter. ❖

**10.59 gap year** (n) /ˈgæp ˌjiə(r)/ - rok volna studenta po ukončení střední školy a před nástupem na univerzitu trávený cestováním apod.

a year that young people spend travelling or working after they have left school and before starting university • She's planning to take a gap year and travel to India. • 10.60 mark (v) /ma:k/ - oznámkovat

correct a student's work and give points ●
The teacher said he would mark our essays
at the weekend. ➤ mark (n) ❖

**10.61 courtroom** (n) /ˈkɔːtruːm/ - soudní síň

the room where a law court meets ● The judge didn't allow reporters into the courtroom. ❖

## Use your English

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**10.62 tell (sb) off** (phr v) /tel ('sʌmbədi) of/ - vynadat; sprdnout speak angrily to sb because they have done sth wrong ● *The boy was ashamed when his mother told him off in front of his friends. ❖* 

**10.63 read (sth) through** (phr v) /ri:d ('sʌmθιŋ) θru:/ - pročíst read sth to check for mistakes ● Read through your assignment before you hand it in and make sure there are no spelling mistakes. ❖

10.64 calculator (n) /ˈkælkjəleitə(r)/ - kalkulačka an electronic device you use for mathematical calculations • He used a pocket calculator to add up the bill. ➤ calculate (v), calculation (n) ❖ 10.65 get (sth) across (phr v) /get (ˈsʌmθiŋ) əˈkrɒs/ - objasnit

help others understand or believe sth ● I tried to get the message across to him, but he just wouldn't listen. ❖

**10.66 tough** (adj) /t∧f/ - obtížný difficult • *It's a really tough course, but I'm enjoying the challenge.* ➤ toughness (n) ❖

**10.67 get through** (phr v) /get θru:/ - projít

succeed (in an exam or a competition) ●
The exam was easy and we all got through
with high marks. ❖

10.68 note (sth) down (phr v) /nəʊt ('sʌmθιŋ) daʊn/ - poznamenat si write sth so that you won't forget it ● The doctor noted down the test results. ❖
10.69 lateness (n) /'leɪtnəs/ - zpoždění the state of being late, arriving after the expected time ● We waited for him for half an hour and when he finally arrived, he didn't even apologise for his lateness. ➤ late (adj) ❖

**10.70 give (sb) a lift** (expr) /giv ('sʌmbədi) ə lift/ - svézt (někoho) offer sb a free trip in your car ● *The buses were on strike, but fortunately Jenny gave me a lift home.* ❖

**10.71 memorise** (v) /'meməraiz/ - zapamatovat si learn sth so that you can remember it exactly • *I have memorised all the irregular verbs in English.* ➤ memory (n), memorisation (n) ❖ ⑤ Syn: learn by heart

#### Writing

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**10.72 balanced** (adj) /ˈbælənst/ - vyvážený considering all opinions equally ● *He took all of our views into account and his final report was well balanced. ❖* 

**10.73 speed reading** (n) /'spi:d ri:dɪŋ/ - rychločtení

a technique for reading sth very quickly ● She took a speed reading course and now claims she can read 20 pages in five minutes. ❖

10.74 enable (v) /iˈneɪbl/ - umožnit make sb able to do sth ● Technology has enabled us to have classes online. ❖
10.75 workload (n) /ˈwɜːkləʊd/ - pracovní zatížení the amount of work to be done in a period of time ● I'm struggling to cope with my very heavy workload this year. ❖
10.76 back (sth) up (phr v) /bæk (ˈsʌmθɪŋ) ʌp/ - podložit support sth; show that it is true ● He provided two examples to back up his opinion. ❖

#### Video

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10.77 caption (n) /ˈkæpʃn/ - popisek; titulek

words printed under a picture that explain or describe it • I didn't understand what the photo showed until I read the caption.

**10.78 breathtaking** (adj) / breθ teikin/ - dechberoucí

very exciting or beautiful ● *The view of the mountain from my window was breathtaking.* ❖

**10.79 appreciate** (v) /əˈpriːʃieɪt/ - ocenit recognise the good qualities of sb • *She didn't feel that her teachers appreciated her talents.* ➤ appreciation (n) ❖

**10.80** intense (adj) /ın'tens/ - intenzivní very strong • The battle for first place in the competition was intense. ❖

**10.81 varied** (adj) /'veərɪd/ - rozmanitý of many different types ● *The opportunities that his new job offered were many and varied.* ❖

**10.82 cliché** (n) /'kli:∫eı/ - klišé a phrase or an idea that has been used so much and so often that it is no longer interesting • *The phrase* we are what we eat has become such a cliché that people rarely stop to think about what it means.

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