Unit 3 Fit as a fiddle

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3.1 fit as a fiddle (expr) /fit əz ə 'fidl/ -zdravý jako buk

very fit and healthy • Grandma walks five miles every day, so she's as fit as a fiddle.

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Reading

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3.2 set a goal (expr) /set ə gəʊl/ - stanovit si cíl

to decide on an aim • Kate set herself a goal of learning Chinese in two years so she could go to China. �

3.3 social networking (n) /ˈsəʊʃl ˈnetwɜːkɪŋ/ - sdílení informací na sociálních sítích

the act of socialising with different groups of people • The internet is the most popular way of social networking between people with common interests. ��

3.4 centenarian (n) / sentI neəriən/ stoletý člověk (sto a více let) sb who is 100 years old or more ● My greatgrandma was born in 1918, so she became a centenarian in 2018. ❖

3.5 elderly (adj) / eldəli/ - pokročilého věku

old (polite term) • His great-grandfather is an elderly man but he still lives alone.

> elders (n pl) ❖

3.6 well (adv) /wel/ - dost; hodně very much; used to emphasise some prepositions ● *My mum was well into her twenties when she met my dad.* ❖

3.7 life expectancy (n) /laɪf ɪksˈpektənsi/ - průměrná délka života

the length of time that a person is likely to live • *In the West, women have a longer life expectancy than men.* ❖

3.8 elsewhere (adv) / els weə(r)/ - jinde somewhere else; in another place ● *Anais*

couldn't afford a flat near the university, so she had to rent one elsewhere. 3.9 unlike (prep) / An'laɪk/ - na rozdíl od in contrast to Unlike Anna, Ben doesn't play any musical instruments. \(\bar{\cappa} \) Opp:

3.10 in moderation (phr) /In modə reɪʃn/ - přiměřeně

If you do sth in moderation, you do not do it too much. ● *Drinking coffee in moderation won't do you any harm.* ❖

3.11 saying (n) /seIIŋ/ - pořekadlo; přísloví a sentence that many people use, which expresses sth a lot of people believe is true ● 'Money makes the world go round' is an old saying. ❖

3.12 factor (n) /'fæktə(r)/ - činitel; prvek sth that affects sth else ● *One factor in the collapse of the Minoan civilisation is thought to have been a tsunami.* ❖

3.13 culture (n) / k∧lt∫ə(r)/ - kultura the beliefs, art and way of life of a civilisation • When I went to Milan, I learnt a lot about Italian art and culture.

> cultural (adj) ❖

3.14 throughout (prep) /θru: 'aot/ - během celého during the whole of ● *It rained heavily throughout the day.* ❖

3.15 (be) worth (phr) /(bi:) w3:θ/ - stát za be enjoyable or useful to have ● *Life is worth living when you are healthy and happy.* ❖

3.16 peninsula (n) /pəˈnɪnsjələ/ -poloostrov

a piece of land that is mostly surrounded by water but is joined to a larger area of land • The Scandinavian peninsula is the largest in Europe. �

3.17 purpose (n) /'pɜːpəs/ - záměr aim • His purpose in doing the course is to get a good job in teaching. ❖

3.18 generation (n) / dʒenə reɪʃn/ - generace

all the people that were born at about the same time • The younger generation don't

seem to be interested in the country's history. �

- **3.19 provide** (v) /prəˈvaɪd/ poskytovat to give *The sun could provide us with a lot more energy.* ➤ provision, provider (n)
- **3.20 agriculture** (n) /ˈægrɪkʌltʃə(r)/ zemědělství

farming • Our country depends on income from agriculture and tourism. ➤ agricultural (adj) ❖

- **3.21 squash** (n) /skwpʃ/ dýně; tykev a type of vegetable with solid yellow flesh and a hard skin *Fried squash is a delicious dish.* ❖
- **3.22 crop** (n) /krop/ plodina; úroda a plant grown as food *There was no rain, so the crops in the field died.* ❖
- **3.23 make up** (phr v) /meɪk ʌp/ tvořit; skládat se z

to form • The research team was made up of students from the biology course.

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- **3.24 well-balanced** (adj) /wel 'bælənst/ vyvážený
- a diet that has all the different kinds of food you need to be healthy She has a wellbalanced diet with plenty of fish, chicken, fruit and vegetables. •
- **3.25 calcium** (n) /ˈkælsiəm/ vápník a soft white metal which is a chemical element in bones and teeth *Nuts and green vegetables, as well as dairy products, are a good source of calcium. ❖*
- 3.26 strengthen (v) /'strenkθn/ posílit to make sth stronger Doing exercise like walking and weightlifting can strengthen your bones. ➤ strength (n), strong (adj)
- **3.27 contribute (to)** (v) /kənˈtrɪbjuːt (tuː)/ přispět k

be one of the causes of an event or situation • Eating well and exercising contribute to a long life. ➤ contribution (n) ❖

3.28 disease (n) /dɪz'iːz/ - choroba

- an illness Many diseases which were deadly in the past can now be cured. ❖
 3.29 lie (v) /laɪ/ ležet
 be located in a particular place The small fishing village lies on the south coast of the island. ❖
- 3.30 homegrown (adj) / həʊmˈgrəʊn/ doma vypěstovaný; domácí
 grown in your own garden or on your own
 land I prefer eating small tasty
 homegrown strawberries to the huge
 tasteless ones from the supermarket. ❖
 3.31 leafy (adj) /ˈliːfi/ listový
 with a lot of leaves The meal included a
 salad of leafy green vegetables. ➤ leaf (n)
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- **3.32** herb (n) /h3:b/ bylinka; koření a plant used to make tea or in cooking to add flavour *The chef's favourite herb is oregano and he uses it in many dishes.* ➤ herbal (adj) ❖
- 3.33 prevent (v) /prɪ'vent/ zabránit stop from happening Many paintings are kept in dark rooms to prevent the colours from being destroyed. ➤ prevention (n), preventable (adj) ❖ 3.34 staple (n) /'steɪpl/ základní potravina
- basic food Everyday staples, such as bread, are an important part of European diets. ❖
- 3.35 go a long way (expr) /gəʊ ə lon weɪ/-hodně pomoci; být hodně prospěšný to help a lot (to achieve sth) Even half an hour of daily exercise will go a long way to keep you in shape. ❖
- **3.36 mentally** (adv) /'mentəli/ psychicky to do with the mind *Studying for so many hours is mentally exhausting.* ➤ mental (adj) ❖
- **3.37 physically** (adv) / fızıkli/ tělesně to do with the body *If you take up a sport, you will feel better physically.* ➤ physical (adj) ❖
- 3.38 element (n) / eliment/ prvek

substance that consists of atoms of only one type • Oxygen is an element in the air that is essential for our survival. • 3.39 resource (n) /rɪˈzɔːs/ - zdroj sth such as land, water, oil or coal that exists in a country and can be used to increase its wealth • What will humans do when the Earth's resources run out? •

Vocabulary

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- **3.40 fitness** (n) /'fɪtnɪs/ dobrá kondice the condition of being strong and healthy People can achieve fitness if they exercise and eat the right food. ➤ fit (adj)
- **3.41 operation** (n) /ppəˈreɪʃn/ operace the process of cutting into sb's body to repair it or remove a part that is damaged
- Nick had a heart operation and he stayed in hospital for two weeks. ➤ operate (v) ❖
- 3.42 recover (v) /rɪˈkʌvə(r)/ zotavit se to get better from an illness Grandpa has recovered from his bad cold and now he feels as fit as a fiddle. ➤ recovery (n) ❖ 3.43 injury (n) /ɪndʒəri/ zranění damage to part of a person's or an animal's body caused by an accident or attack She fell off her motorbike, but luckily her injuries weren't serious. ➤ injure (v) ❖
- **3.44 treat** (v) /tri:t/ léčit try to make a sick person better by using medicine, hospital care, etc. *Don't* worry. The doctor will treat that burn. ➤ treatment (n) ❖
- **3.45 symptom** (n) /'sɪmptəm/ příznak a sign of an illness *Apart from a high temperature, she had no other flu symptoms. ❖*
- **3.46 patient** (n) /'peɪʃnt/ pacient sb who is ill and receiving medical care (in hospital) The doctor gave the patient some medicine. ❖

- 3.47 emergency (n) /I'm3:d3ənsi/ naléhavý případ a situation where someone needs taking to hospital; a serious situation that sb must deal with immediately • When he broke his leg, he went to hospital as a medical emergency. ➤ emergency (adj) ❖ 3.48 judge (n) /dx/dx/ - soudce sb who decides a punishment in court • The judge listened carefully to the arguments before making a decision. ➤ judge (v), judgement (n) ❖ **3.49 ache** (n) /eɪk/ - bolest a pain that lasts a long time • After falling off her horse, she had aches and pains for days, but no broken bones. > ache (v) ❖ 3.50 instructor (n) /In strakta(r)/ instruktor; cvičitel a trainer, sb who teaches you a sport • Laura wants to take driving lessons, so she's looking for a good instructor. ➤ instruct (v), instruction (n) ❖ 3.51 pose (n) /pəʊz/ - postoj (držení těla) a position of the body • Yoga poses that involve standing on one leg help delevop a good sense of balance. > pose (v) \diamondsuit **3.52 toxin** (n) / tpksin/ - toxin a poisonous substance • The city air is full of toxins produced by fossil fuels. ➤ toxic (adj) �
- 3.53 criminal (n) /'krɪmɪnl/ zločinec sb who breaks the law The police are looking for two criminals who have robbed five banks in the area. ➤ crime (n) ❖ 3.54 prison (n) /'prɪzn/ vĕzení a building where criminals are sent to live as a punishment The bank robbers were caught and sent to prison. ➤ prisoner, imprisonment (n), imprison (v) ❖ ❖ Syn: jail
- **3.55 lifestyle** (n) /'laɪfstaɪ/ životní styl the way that you choose to live *People in central Africa have a different lifestyle from those in the south because the weather is much hotter. ❖*

3.56 be unwell (phr) /\n'wel/ - necítit se dobře

ill; not well • He was feeling unwell, so he stayed in bed. ❖

3.57 pill (n) /pɪl/ - pilulka
a small round piece of medicine which you
swallow ● *If you have a headache, try taking a pill.* ❖ ❖ Syn: tablet **3.58 flu** (n) /flu:/ - chřipka
an illness that makes you feel tired and
weak, makes you cough and gives you a
sore throat ● *If you've got the flu, you should stay in bed.* ❖ ❖ NB: *flu* is an
abbreviation of *influenza*

Grammar

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- **3.59 decade** (n) /'dekeɪd/ desetiletí a period of ten years *He lived there for a decade from 2010 to 2020.* ❖
- **3.60 pot** (n) /ppt/ hrnec; konvice a container that you make tea in ● *Is there* any more tea in the pot? ❖ Syn: teapot **3.61 session** (n) /'seʃn/ - sezení; lekce
- a period of time set for a particular activity • He signed up for weekly yoga sessions at the gym. ❖
- **3.62 lately** (adv) /'leɪtli/ v poslední době recently *I haven't seen George lately.* The last time we spoke was a year ago.

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- 3.63 feel under the weather (expr) /'ʌndə ðə 'weðə(r)/ cítit se pod psa ill; not feeling very well Ever since he caught a cold, he's been feeling under the weather. ❖
- **3.64 weight** (n) /weɪt/ váha; hmotnost the measure of how heavy sb/sth is *I've put on some weight since I stopped jogging every day.* ➤ weigh (v) ❖

Listening

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3.65 overweight (adj) / əʊvəˈweɪt/ - mající nadváhu too heavy ● The man is over 100 kg.

- **3.67 burn calories** (phr) /bɜːn ˈkæləriz/ -pálit kalorie

to use energy by exercising ● *Let's run* another kilometre and burn some more calories. ❖

- **3.68 calorie** (n) /ˈkæləri/ kalorie a unit for measuring the amount of energy we get from food ● *An apple has fewer* calories than a bar of chocolate. ❖
- **3.69 average** (adj) /ˈævrɪʤ/ průměrný calculated by adding several amounts together and then dividing the total by the number of amounts *The average* amount of calories a man should consume is 2,500 a day. ➤ average (n) ❖
- **3.70 nowadays** (adv) /ˈnaʊədeɪz/ v současnosti

today, these days • Nowadays, we can keep in touch with family all over the world on our computers. �

- **3.71 sick building syndrome** (n) / sik bildin sindrəʊm/ syndrom nezdravých budov
- a set of symptoms, like headaches and sore eyes, that affect people working in a building where the conditions make them feel tired People working in huge factories or stores with no windows often suffer from sick building syndrome due to lack of fresh air. �
- **3.72 cough** (n) /kpf/ kašel the act of forcing air from your lungs in a way that makes a sound *I've had an annoying cough all day, but no other cold symptoms.* ➤ cough (v) ❖
- 3.73 tiredness (n) /ˈtaɪədnəs/ únava the feeling of being tired He was studying for hours until his tiredness prevented him from doing any more. ➤ tired (adj) ❖

3.74 damp (adj) /dæmp/ - vlhký slightly wet • She's just washed her hair, so it's still a bit damp. \rightarrow dampen (v), dampness (n) � 3.75 polluted (adj) /pəˈluːˌtɪd/ - znečištěný

dirty and not safe to use • The lake is too polluted to swim in. > pollute (v), pollution (n) �

3.76 awareness (n) /əˈweənəs/ povědomí; uvědomění si interest in and understanding of the importance of sth • The article was written to raise people's awareness about the dangers of sharing personal information online. ➤ aware (adj) ❖ 3.77 quality (n) / kwpləti/ - kvalita how good or bad sth is ● The quality of homegrown vegetables is much better than the ones from the supermarket. � 3.78 lighting (n) / lartɪŋ/ - osvětlení lights that light a room, a building or a street • The lighting in the shopping centre was very bright. ➤ light (v, n) ❖ **3.79 poor** (adj) /pʊə/ - chabý bad • Mr Davies has been in poor health for years. �

Speaking

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3.80 benefit (n) / benɪfɪt/ - výhoda an advantage • There are many benefits to healthy living, longevity being one of them. > benefit (v), beneficial (adj) ❖ 3.81 comparison (n) /kəm'pærɪsn/ srovnání the act of saying or showing the differences or similarities between two or more people or things • Chips are lot less healthy in comparison to baked potatoes. ➤ compare (v), comparative (adj) ❖

3.82 whereas (conj) / weər 'æz/ - zatímco but; in contrast • Most of my friends hate garlic, whereas I really like the taste of it.

3.83 in contrast (phr) /In 'kpntra:st/ naproti tomu

used to show the difference between two or more people or things ● *Erica enjoys* water sports and hiking. In contrast, her sister prefers indoor sports. 💠 3.84 on the other hand (phr) /pn ði: 'ʌðə(r) hænd/ - na druhou stranu from the opposite point of view (used to introduce a contrasting idea) ● Eating out can be enjoyable sometimes. On the other hand, home-cooked food is usually cheaper and healthier. � **3.85 laughter** (n) / la:ft = (r) / - smichthe act of laughing • The sound of children's laughter came from the playground. ➤ laugh (n, v) ❖

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3.86 skip (v) /skip/ - poskakovat move with little jumps, like a happy child • The children skipped along the street on their way home from school. > skip (n) \diamondsuit 3.87 sneeze (v) /sniːz/ - kýchat If you sneeze, air suddenly comes from your nose, making a noise, for example when you have a cold. ● Every spring, she sneezes because she is allergic to flowers. > sneeze (n) ❖

3.88 tissue (n) / tɪ[uː/ - papírový kapesník a soft kind of paper, often used as a handkerchief • He took out a tissue and wiped the tears from his face. �

3.89 climate change (n) / klaɪmət tʃeɪndʒ/ změna podnebí changes in the Earth's weather caused by the increase of gases like carbon dioxide in the atmosphere • Because of climate change, sea levels are rising. � 3.90 fairly (adv) /'feəli/ - docela quite ● He recovered fairly quickly from his illness. ➤ fair (adj) ❖

3.91 major (adj) / meɪʤə(r)/ - hlavní; velký; důležitý important • The football World Cup is a

major championship that all countries

want to win. ➤ majority (n) ❖ ❖. Opp: minor

Use your English

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3.92 malaria (n) /məˈleərɪə/ - malárie a serious disease caused by the bite of a mosquito ● *If you travel to certain countries, you should take pills so you don't get malaria. ❖*

3.93 mosquito (n) /mps ki:təʊ/ - moskyt; komár

a flying insect that bites • She got bitten by mosquitoes while she was sleeping in the tent. •

3.94 consume (v) /kənˈsjuːm/ -konzumovat

to eat or use • If you consume plenty of vegetables, your health will improve.

> consumer, consumption (n) ❖

3.95 tooth decay (n) /tu:θ dɪˈkeɪ/ - zubní kaz

when your teeth become damaged and have cavities • He has terrible tooth decay because he eats sweets and doesn't brush his teeth. �

3.96 focus on (v) /ˈfəʊkəs ɒn/ - soustředit se na

concentrate on ● 'In the lesson today we will focus on colour in nature,' said the biology teacher. ➤ focus (n) ❖

3.97 weights (n pl) /weɪts/ - činky heavy objects used as part of an exercise routine ● Andy lifts weights twice a week at the gym and he has become very strong. ❖

3.98 be on the mend (expr) /pn ðə mend/ - uzdravovat se

starting to feel better • Anna had the flu last week. Fortunately, she's on the mend now. •

3.99 a new lease of life (expr) /ə nju: li:s əv laɪf/ - nový začátek a chance of better health ● *His heart* operation gave him a new lease of life. ❖

3.100 on your last legs (expr) /on jə la:st legz/ - v posledním tažení feeling very weak; dying ● The lost climbers were on their last legs by the time the rescue team found them. ❖

3.101 take time out (expr) /teɪk taɪm aʊt/
- udělat si pauzu

to have a break or a rest • She's been studying so much that she needs to take some

time out to rest. 💠

3.102 recharge your batteries (expr) —
dobít baterky /rɪˈtʃɑːʤ jə ˈbætəriz/
to get your energy back • I'm tired. I'll
take a break to recharge my batteries. ❖
3.103 regain (v) /rɪˈgeɪn/ - získat zpět
to get back • Have you regained your
health after the illness you had last year?
❖

3.104 exhausted (adj) /ɪgˈzɔːstɪd/ - vyčerpaný

very tired • The explorers walked through the jungle all day and were exhausted by the evening. ➤ exhausting (adj), exhaust (v), exhaustion (n) ❖

Writing

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3.105 light-hearted (adj) /laɪt 'hɑːtɪd/ - veselý

not too serious ● *She wrote a light-hearted email to her friend with all her good news.* ❖

3.106 realistic (adj) /rɪəˈlɪstɪk/ - střízlivý; dosažitelný; reálný

based on facts • He asked for a realistic salary that was appropriate for an employee with his qualifications. ➤ reality

(n) 🍫 🌂 Opp: unrealistic

3.107 add up (phr v) /æd α p/ - sečíst; načíst se

to slowly increase until sth becomes a large amount or number • If you buy takeaway coffee every day, it will soon add up. ❖

3.108 otherwise (adv) / '\nðawaiz/ - jinak

differently; apart from that ● You should start exercising. Otherwise, your health will suffer. ❖

3.109 publish (v) / pʌblɪʃ/ - vydat to prepare and print a book, magazine, etc. in order to sell it • *His first book was published in 1998.* ➤ publisher, publication (n) ❖

3.110 announcement (n) /əˈnaʊnsmənt/ - oznámení

an important statement that is made to give people information about sth • We arrived at the airport in time to hear the announcement that our flight was cancelled. ➤ announce (v), announcer (n)

3.111 remedy (n) / remədi/ - lék a medicine to cure an illness or pain ● Hot tea with lemon and honey is my mum's remedy for a cold. ❖

3.112 prevention is better than cure
(expr) /prī'venʃn ɪz 'betə ðən kjʊə/ prevence je lepší než léčba
it is better to avoid getting ill than to try
and get better after you have become ill ●
Wash your hands before you eat or you
might get ill. Prevention is better than
cure. ❖

3.113 increase (v) /ɪnˈkriːs/ - zvýšit make bigger, greater ● *If you wear a colour you like, it could increase your confidence at the interview.* ➤ increase (n)

3.114 warm up (v) /wɔːm ʌp/ - rozehřát se; rozcvičit se

to do gentle exercise to prepare your body for more intensive exercise • The football players warmed up before the match started. ➤ warm-up (n) ❖

3.115 organic food (n) /ɔːˈgænɪk fuːd/ -biopotraviny

food grown without the use of chemicals
Organic food is good for you because it doesn't have dangerous chemicals in it.

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Live well, study well

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3.116 limiting (adj) /ˈlɪmɪtɪŋ/ - omezující holding sb/sth back from developing ● *If* you don't speak the language at all, it will be a limiting factor when you move to Germany. ➤ limit (n, v) ❖

3.117 get back on track (expr) /bæk on træk/ - postavit se znovu na nohy to go the way you want again after facing a problem ● *Jerry needed a few weeks to get back on track at work after his heart operation. ❖*

3.118 master (v) / mɑːstə(r)/ - zvládnout; naučit se

to learn how to do sth well • Young people can quickly master new computer games. ➤ master (n) ❖

3.119 gradually (adv) / grædʒuəli/ - postupně

slowly • I'm gradually getting used to my new school. ➤ gradual (adj) ❖

3.120 expand (v) /ɪksˈpænd/ - roztahovat se

to become bigger • Metals expand when they are heated. ➤ expansion (n) ❖ ❖. Opp: contract

3.121 setback (n) /'setbæk/ - komplikace; zádrhel

sth that stops or slows down progress

You will face all kinds of setbacks when
 you try to start a business. ➤ set back (phr
 v) ❖

3.122 acknowledge (v) /ək'nolɪdʒ/ - uznat; ocenit

to accept sth as true • He was given a medal to acknowledge his bravery.

➤ acknowledgement (n) ❖

3.123 manageable (adj) / mænɪdʒəbl/ - zvládnutelný

that you can control or do ● The project will be more manageable if we share the work as a team. ➤ manage (v), manager, management (n) ❖ ❖ Opp:unmanageable 3.124 reward (v) /rr'wɔːd/ - odměnit

to give sth to sb because they have done sth good or worked hard ● *I rewarded* myself with a relaxing bath after the long tiring walk. ➤ reward (n), rewarding (adj)

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3.125 successfully (adv) /səkˈsesfəli/ - úspěšně

with success • She successfully sailed the boat back into the harbour. ➤ successful (adj), success (n), succeed (v) ❖

3.126 succeed (v) /səkˈsiːd/ - uspět to manage to do sth you have been trying to do • *Ben wants to succeed in his university exams.* ➤ success (n), successful (adj), successfully (adv) ❖

3.127 respond (v) /rɪˈspɒnd/ - odpovědět; reagovat

to answer sb; to reply to sb • My friend sent me an email, but I haven't responded to her yet. ➤ response (n) ❖

3.128 repetition (n) /repəˈtɪʃn/ - opakování

doing or saying the same thing many times

- The repetition of the same lyrics again and again in this song makes it a bit annoying. ➤ repeat (v), repetitive (adj) ❖
 3.129 limit (v) / limit/ omezit
- to stop sb from doing what they want He limited himself to two small meals a day while he was on a diet. ➤ limit (n), limiting, limited (adj) ❖
- **3.130** apply to (v) /əˈplaɪ tuː/ týkat se to concern; to be about sb/sth *The new law only applies to students over the age of sixteen.* ❖
- **3.131 stage** (n) /steɪʤ/ fáze a part of a process *The next stage in communications is hand-held tablets that have a phone, a camera and internet connection.* ❖