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Two syllable word stress.

A First read the information about stress in two syllable nouns, adjectives and verbs.



Two syllable nouns and adjectives usually have the main stress on the first syllable of the word.

'body (n) 'happy (adj)

Two syllable verbs usually have the main stress on the second syllable of the word.

pre'pare (v) de'cide (v)

B Now mark the stress on the words in the box below. Then listen to check if your answers are correct.

culture grateful enjoy

finger careful behave

woman friendly become

decide famous country

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to + infinitive.

Look at the following sentences and decide the use of **to + infinitive**. Tick the correct answer in the space provided.

1. You **will** need your cash card **to take** money out of the bank.

a. after a noun **b.** after a verb

2. If you **take** a trip to Japan you must **learn** to speak some Japanese.

a. after a noun **b.** after a verb

3. Please can you **help** me? I don't know how **to get** to the history museum.

a. after a phrase **b.** after a question word



4. He used to visit his parents every day.

a. after a phrase b. after a question word

5. I want him to go to the shops.

a. after an object b. after it + be + adjective

6. It's nice to buy a present when someone is leaving.

a. after an object b. after it + be + adjective

