

Question 20:

concentration *noun*

[B1] [OPAL W] / ˌkɒnsn'treɪʃn/ / ˌkɑːnsn'treɪʃn/ [uncountable]

the ability to direct all your effort and attention on one thing, without thinking of other things

- *Playing chess requires a high **level of concentration**.*
- *The sudden loud noise caused the driver to **lose concentration**.*
- *Doing regular exercise can **improve concentration** significantly.*
- *This difficult puzzle demands absolute **mental concentration**.*

1. Listening to instrumental music while studying can help students _____ and focus better.

Answer: improve concentration

2. Working in a noisy environment makes it very easy to _____ and make mistakes.

Answer: lose concentration