

An illustration of a desk with an open dictionary, a notebook, pens, and pencils. The dictionary is open to a page with text in both English and Turkish. The notebook is closed and has a pen resting on it. There are several pens and pencils scattered around the desk. The background is a dark, textured surface.

English–Turkish Vocabulary Guide

A comprehensive reference list of key English words and their Turkish equivalents, covering everyday language, hobbies, music, sport, fashion, and more. Ideal for Year 8 English learners preparing for Unit 2.

Feelings & Attitudes

These words describe how we feel about people, things, and activities — essential for expressing opinions and preferences.

admire

hayranlık duymak

be crazy about

bayılmak, çıldırmak

be fond of

-e düşkün olmak

be into

ilgilenmek

be keen on

hevesli / meraklı / düşkün olmak

can't stand

tahammül edememek, katlanamamak

Describing Things: Positive Words

Use these adjectives to express enthusiasm and admiration in English.



amazing

şayırtıcı, harika



awesome

müthiş, muhteşem



fantastic

muhteşem



terrific

müthiş, olağanüstü



impressive

etkileyici



enjoyable

zevkli, eğlenceli, hoş

Describing Things: Negative Words

These adjectives convey boredom, frustration, or strong dislike — useful for honest opinions.

boring

sıkıcı

terrible

berbat, feci, çok kötü

unbearable

katlanılmaz, dayanılmaz

loud

gürültülü, sesli

⚠ **Key contrast:** *terrific* (müthiş) vs *terrible* (berbat) — these look similar but mean the opposite!

Music & Entertainment

Vocabulary related to music genres, roles, and media — perfect for Unit 2 topics on hobbies and free time.

Music Words

- music band — müzik grubu
- folk music — halk müziği
- vocalist — vokalist, şarkıcı
- violin — keman
- drummer — davulcu, baterist

Media & Reading

- blog — internet günlüğü
- blogger — blog yazarı
- book genre — kitap türü
- biographical — biyografik
- science fiction — bilim kurgu



Sports Vocabulary

Key terms for discussing sports, training, and physical activity in English.



athlete

atlet



team sport

takım sporu



individual sport

bireysel spor



rugby

ragbi



gym

spor / jimnastik salonu



work out / train

antrenman / idman yapmak

Fashion & Style

Words used to describe clothing styles and fashion trends — useful for describing people and preferences.

1

casual clothes

günlük kıyafetler

2

smart clothes

akıllı kıyafetler

3

fashion

moda

4

trendy

modaya uygun, son moda

Snob (burnu havada kimse) and **patriot** (vatansever) are also key character-describing words in this unit.

Frequency Adverbs & Time Expressions

These adverbs answer the question "How often?" (ne sıklıkla) — a core grammar point for Unit 2.



Mastering frequency adverbs allows learners to accurately describe habits, routines, and preferences in both spoken and written English.

Key Verbs & Useful Phrases

Social & Activity Verbs

- hang around — oyalanmak, gezinmek
- hang out — takılmak
- follow —