

# List of 30 Important Collocations for IELTS Writing

Below, you can find a **list of 30 important collocations for IELTS writing**. Improve your IELTS speaking fluency and flow by applying the following collocations in your speech.

## 1. To benefit considerably/ enormously

- We have benefited enormously from the startup we initiated.

## 2. To meet the need / demand/ requirements

- IELTS students must practice well in order to meet the requirements of a good band score.

## 3. To reap the benefits

- You have to study well to reap the benefits of a good lifestyle.

## 4. To satisfy demands/needs/desires

- As a parent, I should satisfy the needs of my children.

## 5. To derive benefits

- I derived lots of benefits by reading that book.

## 6. To play a(n) important/ vital/ crucial role

- He played an important role in the reformation of Indian politics.

## 7. To fulfill a promise

- Atlast, he fulfilled a promise made with her friend after a lot of struggles

## 8. Have fun

- People should have fun at an early age since they will have more responsibilities as they become older.

#### 9. Physical Activity

- Doing some form of physical activity everyday can improve physical well being.

#### 10. Keep /a smile on your face/it on the desk

- My grandfather advised me to keep a smile on my face during the hardships of life.

#### 11. Take a knife/bath

- Could you please take that knife ? I want to cut the apple.

#### 12. Time Constraints

- I won't complete the assignment because of the time constraint.

#### 13. Scientific Literature

- I learned that schizophrenic patients are resistant to accept the realist from the scientific literature.

#### 14. Eye Witness

- According to an eyewitness, the thief stole the money and killed the girl.

#### 15. Instant and quick solutions

- Today's youth wants to find instant and quick solutions for their problems.

#### 16. Business models

- Our company experimented with various business models to improve financial growth.

#### 17. Job requirements

- My brother was rejected in the interview since he didn't meet the job requirements.

#### 18. Equally beneficial

- This plan and its predicted outcomes will be equally beneficial for both parties.

#### 19. High cholesterol

- Her father is suffering from chest pain since he has high cholesterol.

#### 20. Spend quality time together

- Please try to come to the party, we are going to meet after a long time, it's a great opportunity to spend quality time together.

#### 21. Internet shopping

- Internet shopping could confuse us as it has unlimited options to choose from.

#### 22. Sophisticated modern technology

- My cousin told me that he is going to buy a phone built from sophisticated modern technology.

#### 24. Public Opinion

- As far as public opinion is concerned, our party can win in this election with large votes

#### 25. Cultural Values

- In today's world, people are being indifferent to the cultural values, they are even mocking it.

#### 26. Foreign Brands

- Globalization introduced a lot of foreign brands to our country.

## 27. Company Policies

- Our Company policy tells us to not reveal the personal information of the employees.

## 28. Recreational purposes

- Actually, I am doing exercises for recreational purposes, not for building muscles and physique.

## 29. Internal Politics

- Internal politics that are happening in our department is tremendously worrying me.

## 30. International affairs

- Are you aware of international affairs ? No, I am not even aware of what is happening in our country.

Check out: [IELTS speaking vocabulary](#)

# Types of Collocations IELTS

There are six common types of collocations which we have listed below,

- Adjective + Noun
- Noun + Noun (such as collective nouns)
- Verb + Noun
- Adverb + Adjective
- Verb + prepositional phrase (phrasal verbs)
- Verb + Adverb

## Examples

### 1. Adjective + Noun

- My neighbour is proud of her **intelligent son**
- Yesterday, in our place, there was **heavy rain** which really caused a lot of trouble
- Physics is an **amazing subject** that made me think in different possible ways.

- Her boyfriend was attracted to **valuable accessories** which cost him thousands of rupees.
- My parents made me join swimming class since I showed **keen interest** in swimming
- One friend of mine told me that his **poor handwriting** is became a cause of his mark reduction

## 2. Noun + Noun

- According to the data, people love to watch more **thriller movies**.
- One of the **Indian car** manufacturers became the richest man in the world.
- The **entertainment industry** seizes almost all the spheres of our life.
- Police officers found the culprit by using the **lie detector**

## 3. Verb + Noun

- I told him to **have a drink** in a friendly manner, but he reacted cruelly.
- My friend **broke the law**, so he has to be in prison for 2 months.
- **Pay attention** while I am talking to you or else don't speak to me hereafter.
- She has to **save money** in order to pay her daughter's college fee.
- When you are **reading a book**, take notes. It will help you to remember important points and ideas.

## 4. Adverb + Adjective

- In a debate, she made him understand that he is **utterly wrong** about his statement through his argument.
- She was **deeply affected** by the incident
- He was **highly successful** in his field that made him popular.
- My fellow classmate was **deeply hurted** by the words I used.
- Though he faced lots of struggles, he is **perfectly normal**.
- When I saw the stars in the sky, I was **completely amazed**.

## 5. Verb + prepositional phrase

- When I was outside, he was **looking for** my telephone.
- My girlfriend is **looking at** my childhood photo.
- I got relieved from my stress by **listening to** the songs.
- He is **asking for** a discount for a small purchase.

## 6. Verb + Adverb

- My neighbour **talked loudly** and that made my baby cry.
- Zizek **argued strongly** which resonated with the people who heard his arguments.
- He **runs quickly** whenever I motivate him.
- She **acted bravely** when she was confronted by thieves which is appreciable.