British - American English

British English	American English
	A
accelerator	gas pedal, accelerator
accumulator	battery
advertisement	commercial
aerial (TV, radio)	antenna, aerial
air hostess	flight attendant
alsatian	German shepherd
Amercian Indian	Native American
anorak	parka
anywhere	anyplace,anywhere
at home	home, at home
aubergine	eggplant
autumn	fall
	В
baking tin	baking pan
bank holiday	legal holiday
barrister	lawyer
bat	paddle
base rate	prime rate
bath	bathtub
to bath	to bathe
bathing foam	shampoo
bathroom	bathroom (in privaten Räumen)/toilet
bedside table	nightstand
bill	check
bin	garbage can
biro	ball-point pen

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coach long distance bus	cloakroom	checkroom
	clothes peg	clothespin
cocktail stick toothpick	coach	long distance bus
II .	cocktail stick	toothpick

cocoa powder	unsweetened cocoa
coffin	casket, coffin
colour	color
condom	rubber, condom
cooker	stove
costume	swimsuit
cosy	cozy
cot (Baby)	crib
cotton	thread
crisps	potato chips
crossroads	crossroad (Land)
crossioads	intersection (Stadt und Land)
cupboard	closet
current account	checking account
curriculum vitae	resume
cutlery	silverware
	D
dialogue	dialog
dinner jacket	tux, tuxedo
directory enquiries	directory assistance
diversion	detour
doctor's surgery	doctor's office
double cream	heavy cream
draught	draft
draughts	checkers
drawing pin	thumbtack
dress circle	balcony
dressing gown	bathrobe
drink driving	drunk driving
driving licence	driver's license

driving wheel	steering wheel
duffle coat	trench coat
dummy	pacifier
dustbin	garbage can
duvet	bedspread
dynamo	generator
	E
earth	ground
earth wire	ground wire
elastoplast	band-aid
engaged	busy
engine	motor
to enquire	to inquire
enquiry	inquiry
entrée	appetizer
everywhere	everyplace, everywhere
exercise book	notebook
expiry date	expiration date
extra time	overtime

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fag	cigarette
fancy dress	costumes
Father Christmas	Santa Claus
favourite	favorite
to fill in	to fill out
filling station	gas station
film	movie
fire brigade	fire department
first floor	second floor

fish-fingers	fish-sticks
flannel	face cloth, wash cloth
flashlight	photoflash
flat	apartment
nat	(flat: eingeschossige Wohnung)
flavour	flavor
floor	storey
flyover	overpass
football	soccer
form	grade
fortnight	two weeks
fringe	bangs
	from Monday to Friday
from Monday to Friday	from Monday through Friday (Freitag
	eingeschlossen)
frying pan	skillet
gammon	ham
gangway	aisle
garden	yard
gear lever	gear shift
Gents	Men's Room
to give s.b. a lift	to give s.b. a ride
goods train	freight train
grammar school	high school
to grill	to broil
ground floor	first floor
hairdresser	barber shop
hairdresser	hairdresser, beauty shop
harbour	harbor
hard cooked egg	boiled egg
headmaster, head teacher	principal

high street	main street
to hire	to rent
hire purchase	instalment plan
hockey	field hockey
holiday	vacation
hoover	vaccum cleaner
humour	humor
ice-hockey	hockey
icing	frosting
icing sugar	powdered sugar
ill	sick
indicator	turn signal
injection	shot
insect	bug
interval	intermission
inverted commas	commas
ironmonger	hardware store
jab	shot
jacket potato	baked potato
jam	jelly
jeans	blue jeans
jewellery	jewelery
Joe Bloggs	John Doe
jug	pitcher
jumble sale	rummage sale

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K	
kilometre	kilometer
kitchen roll paper	paper towel

knickers	panties
	L
label	tag
labour	labor
Ladies	ladies' room
ladybird	ladybug
lager	beer
to lay the table	to set the table
lead	leash
letterbox	mailbox
life jacket	life vest
lift	elevator
liquidizer	blender
litre	liter
lorry	truck
lost property	lost and found
luggage	baggage, luggage
	M
mackintosh	raincoat
mad	crazy
main road	highway
maize	corn
managing director	president (business)
mashed potato	mashed potatoes
match	game
mate	buddy
maths	math
mean	stingy
medicine	drugs,medicine
mince meat	hamburger meat, ground beef

mixer	blender	
mobile (phone)	cellular	
motorbike	motorcycle	
motorway	freeway, interstate	
multi-storey car park	parking garage	
mum	mom	
N		
парру	diaper	
national insurance number	social security number	
neighbour	neighbor	
newsagent's	newspaper store	
normal	regular	
note	bill	
notice board	bulletin board	
number plate	license plate	

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I	
a pack of cards	a deck of cards
a packet of cigarettes	a package of cigarettes
pants	shorts
paper knife	letter opener
paraffin	kerosene/kerosine
parliament	congress
pavement	sidewalk
pay rise	pay raise
pedestrian crossing	crosswalk
pepper	bell pepper
personnel department	human resources department
petrol	gas

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quid buck R railway railroad	to quarrel	to argue	
quid buck R railway railroad			
R railway railroad	to queue	to line	
railway railroad	quid	buck	
	R		
really exciting real exciting	railway	railroad	
\mathbf{r}	really exciting	real exciting	
reception front desk	reception	front desk	
redundant laid off	redundant	laid off	
to ring to call	to ring	to call	
road surface pavement	road surface	pavement	

traffic circle
argument
eraser
garbage
3
report card
high school
duplex
hair conditioner
stock
store
sales clerk
one-way ticket
jump rope
sled
lawyer
Excuse me.
wrench
fields day
public school
inventory
superstore
underpass
raisin
to guess
candy store
faucet
cab, taxi
taxi stand

technical college	vocational school
telephonist	telephone operator
term	semester
terraces	bleachers
test	quiz
theatre	theater
till	cash register
timetable	schedule
tin	can
tissue	Kleenex
to think	to guess
toilet, loo	bathroom, rest room
torch	flashlight
tortoise	turtle
town centre	downtown
tracks	track
traffic lights	stop lights
trainers	sneakers
tram	streetcar
travelled	traveled
trolley	cart
trousers	pants
tumble dryer	clothes dryer
tyre	tire

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U			
underground, tube	subway		
underlay	carpet pad		
underpants	shorts		

undertaker	funeral director	
	V	
van	station wagon	
vest	undershirt	
video	VCR	
	W	
wage cut	salary cut	
waistcoat	vest	
wallet	billfold	
wardrobe	closet	
to wash	wash up	
wash up liquid	dish washing liquid	
washing up powder	laundry soap	
wastepaper basket	garbage can	
wellington boots	rubbers	
wholemeal bread	brown bread	
windscreen	windshield	
wing	fender	
	Y	
Yours, sincerely	Sincerely,	
	Z	
zebra crossing	crosswalk	
zip	zipper	