

Academy Stars

Visuals Pack Introduction

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About the visuals pack

The **Academy Stars Visuals Pack** is a resource for teachers to present, practise and review language with the children. The flashcards in the visuals pack are bright, colourful and memorable, and can be used to make an impact on all children.

The words and images are taken directly from the Pupil's Book, so the children will instantly recognise them. The flashcards aim to appeal to all English language learners and will give the children more familiarity with the words that they are learning throughout the course.

The pack contains vocabulary flashcards of the core vocabulary from each unit, for Starter, the Alphabet Book, and Levels 1, 2, 3 and 4.



6 Lesson 1

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sandpit

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6 Lesson 1

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bike

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About the visuals pack

The resources in the visuals pack are **downloadable** so that you can:

- Print and photocopy as many copies as you need.
- Print flashcards in different sizes.
- Project flashcards from your laptop.
- Replace lost or damaged flashcards.
- Play engaging games with flashcards.



Tip: Build a **flashcard library** by printing and laminating the cards in preparation for each new unit. Keep your flashcards organised in a folder with labels for each unit.

Flashcard activities

What's missing?

Levels: All

About the activity: This activity is designed to be played as a class to review all of the lesson vocabulary.

Instructions:

- Display six to ten flashcards on the board.
- Give the children one minute to memorise them.
- Ask the children to close their eyes.
- Remove one flashcard.
- Have the children open their eyes and guess which flashcard is missing.

New challenge!

Move the flashcards around on the board while the children have their eyes closed.

Order it

Levels: All

About the activity: This game is designed for small groups. Vary the number of words in your word list depending on the age of the children: use longer lists for the older children and shorter lists for the younger children. You will need a set of flashcards for each team.

Instructions:

- Divide the class into small groups.
- Say a list of four or five vocabulary words while the children listen.
- Repeat the list several times.
- Give each group the flashcards from your list.
- Have the children put the flashcards in the same order as you called out to them.

New challenge!

Add more words to the list. Give the children a time limit for ordering the flashcards to increase the speed of the game.

Flashcard activities

Pass the card

Levels: All

About the activity: This is a high-energy game that is designed to be played as a class.

Instructions:

- Have the children sit on the floor in a circle, or have them make a circle with their desks.
- Give a child in the circle one flashcard.
- Have the child say the word aloud and then pass the card to the next child to say aloud.
- Have each child in the circle say the word aloud and then pass the card.
- Insert additional flashcards into the circle for the children to circulate.

New challenge!

As the game goes on, encourage the children to pass the cards around the circle faster and faster. Insert more and more cards into the circle to increase the speed of the game.

Concentration

Levels: All

About the activity: This game is designed for teams or multiple players. You will need two sets of flashcards.

Instructions:

- Review the flashcards with the children and have them say the words aloud.
- Place both sets of cards face down on the table.
- The children take turns flipping two cards over.
- If they find two cards that match, they can keep the cards. If the cards are different, the cards are then turned back over, face down.
- The team or child with the most pairs at the end of the game is the winner.

New challenge!

Make individual cards for the vocabulary words and pictures and have the children match the picture to the vocabulary word.

Flashcard activities

Fast as rabbits

Levels: All

About the activity: This activity is designed to be played as a class. Use a variety of flashcards.

Instructions:

- Display six to ten flashcards randomly on the board.
- Two children stand with their backs to the board.
- Say one of the vocabulary words.
- The children then turn around and choose the correct flashcard. They can use their hand, a ruler, or another object as a “swatter”.
- The child who touches the card first is the winner.

New challenge!

Move the flashcards around on the board between each round, so that the children can't memorise the placement of the flashcards.

Over-under

Levels: All

About the activity: This game is designed for teams or small groups. It's competitive and fast-paced.

Instructions:

- Divide the class into two teams. Put the teams in two lines.
- Give one flashcard to each of the two children at the front of each line.
- When you say *go*, the first child in each line says the word on the flashcard. Then they pass the flashcard over their head to the next child in each line.
- The last child in each line then races to the front of the line to hand the flashcard to the teacher and has to say the word. The first team to say the word correctly is the winner.

New challenge!

Once the first flashcard has been passed to the next child, give another flashcard to the first child in each line to pass on. You could try this with between three to six flashcards.

Starter visuals index

Vocabulary flashcards

Welcome

come in
sit down
stand up
open your book
close your book
listen
look
sing

Unit 2

angry
cold
happy
hot
sad
scared
sick
tired

Unit 4

blue
brown
green
orange
pink
purple
red
yellow

Unit 6

ears
eyes
finger
hair
hands
head
legs
mouth
nose
teeth

Unit 8

cow
donkey
duck
goat
horse
rabbit
rooster
sheep

Unit 1

1 – one
2 – two
3 – three
4 – four
5 – five
6 – six
7 – seven
8 – eight
9 – nine
10 – ten

Unit 3

backpack
book
crayon
notebook
pen
pencil
pencil case
rubber

Unit 5

dress
jumper
shirt
shoes
skirt
socks
trousers
T-shirt

Unit 7

aunt
brother
daddy
grandma
grandpa
mummy
sister
uncle

Alphabet Book visuals index

Vocabulary flashcards

Unit 1

ant
apple
bag
ball
car
cat

Unit 3

goat
green
hat
house
igloo
insect

Unit 5

monkey
mountain
nine
nut
octopus
orange

Unit 7

see
sun
tiger
tired
umbrella
under
van
vase

Unit 8

window
worm
box
fox
yellow
yoghurt
zoo
zookeeper

Unit 2

doll
dress
egg
elephant
five
frog

Unit 4

jug
jump
kick
king
legs
lion

Unit 6

panda
pink
queen
question
robot
rubber

Level 1 visuals index

Vocabulary flashcards

Welcome

Aa – apple
Bb – ball
Cc – cat
Dd – doll
Ee – elephant
Ff – frog
Gg – goat
Hh – hat
Ii – insect
Jj – jug
Kk – key
Ll – lion
Mm – monkey
Nn – nut
Oo – orange
Pp – panda
Qq – queen
Rr – robot
Ss – sun
Tt – tiger
Uu – umbrella
Vv – van
Ww – worm
Xx – fox
Yy – yoghurt
Zz – zoo
black
blue
green
orange
purple
red
white
yellow
1 – one
2 – two
3 – three
4 – four
5 – five
6 – six
7 – seven
8 – eight
9 – nine
10 – ten

Unit 1

boy
friend
girl
teacher
big
funny
small
tall
Egypt
Great Britain
Mexico
Russia
finger puppet

Unit 2

bag
book
glue
paint
paintbrush
pen
pencil
pencil case
rubber
ruler
picture
present
old
new

Unit 3

baby
brother
dad
family
grandma
grandpa
mum
sister
flower
wind
bird
fish
China

Unit 4

angry
cold
happy
hot
hungry
sad
scared
tired
thirsty
brown
grey
kitten

Unit 5

catch
clap
climb
hear
jump
kick
ride a bike
run
see
sing
stamp
swim
throw
walk
horse

Unit 6

bike
boat
car
kite
sandpit
seesaw
slide
swing
circus
juggle
balloon
paper
water
man

Unit 7

arm
ear
eye
foot
head
leg
nose
tail
blonde hair
long (tail)
short (tail)

Unit 8

dress
jacket
shirt
shoes
skirt
socks
trousers
T-shirt
fingers
hand
glove
string
Canada
wet

Unit 9

bed
chair
clock
desk
door
lamp
toy cupboard
wardrobe
window
eleven
twelve
thirteen
fourteen
fifteen
sixteen
seventeen
eighteen
nineteen
twenty

Unit 10

banana
burger
cake
carrot
coconut
ice cream
mango
melon
onion
pear
tomato
bad smell
taste
bus

Level 2 visuals index

Vocabulary flashcards

Unit 1

bear
camel
crocodile
kangaroo
panda
wolf
Australia
India
twenty
thirty
forty
fifty
sixty
seventy
eighty
ninety
a hundred
forest
tongue

Unit 2

Monday
Tuesday
Wednesday
Thursday
Friday
Saturday
Sunday
do gymnastics
go to school
have a music lesson
play basketball
cook
fly a kite
visit
write
football
tennis
drama
karate

Unit 3

camera
computer
glasses
guitar
phone
radio
TV
watch
children
game
tablet
headphones
talk
take a photo
watch cartoons

Unit 4

building
garden
flat
house
park
restaurant
shop
street
firefighter
key
woman
man
baseball
trampoline

Unit 5

cloud
rain
snow
sun
wind
beach
mountain
sea
boots
coat
jumper
skate
smile
scarf
warm

Unit 6

bus
helicopter
lorry
motorbike
plane
train
traffic light
left / right
helmet
pavement
seat belt
shout
back
front
floor
stairs

Unit 7

spring
summer
autumn
winter
have a picnic
make a snowman
plant flowers
play outside
airport
fly
holiday
sunglasses
leaf / leaves
South Africa
go sailing
lamb
sheep

Unit 8

beans
coconut
grapes
lemon
peas
pepper
potato
watermelon
bee
grow
seeds
feed
pick
strawberry
tractor
fruit
market
vegetables

Unit 9

bathroom
dining room
hall
kitchen
living room
bookcase
shower
sofa
asleep
astronaut
space
towel
wash
castle
lake

Unit 10

aquarium
art gallery
bowling alley
campsite
concert
skate park
theme park
zoo
guide
ill
jungle
parrot
vet
roar
cage
giraffe
afternoon
evening
morning
rock
shell
a ride
water park

Level 3 visuals index

Vocabulary flashcards

Unit 1

science
English
computer studies
music
break time
maths
social studies
PE
art
homework
computer room
difficult
laugh
music room
think
after
before
first
second
then

Unit 2

make the bed
read a comic
wash up
watch a film
tidy up
play chess
dust
clean
sweep the floor
play computer games
basement
cereal
lift
roof
toast
top floor
once
twice

Unit 3

café
train station
cinema
bus stop
shopping centre
swimming pool
library
hospital
supermarket
bank
careful
kind
loud
naughty
patient
quiet
aunt
cousin
grandparents
parents
uncle

Unit 4

soup
sandwich
tea
cheese
plate
biscuit
pasta
cup
salad
bottle
backpack
leopard
lizard
tent
torch
mushrooms
olives
peppers
spinach
tuna

Unit 5

husband
flute
grandson
violin
wife
drum
daughter
granddaughter
trumpet
son
carry
dance
look after
love
study
travel
cowboy
dress up
kindergarten
princess

Unit 6

jellyfish
octopus
penguin
eel
whale
seahorse
dolphin
starfish
shark
crab
fat
hard
heavy
round
thin
tiny
the best
friendly
the worst

Unit 7

come – came
go – went
have – had
make – made
read – read
say – said
see – saw
stand – stood
think – thought
wear – wore
angrily
happily
kindly
quickly
sadly
slowly
drink – drank
eat – ate
party

Unit 8

museum
history
fire
tool
sculpture
necklace
bowl
knife
coin
musical instrument
bone
ceramic
fireplace
pot
stone
wood
butterfly
gorilla
meerkat
parrot
show

Unit 9

swimming cap
tracksuit
goggles
helmet
towel
trainers
bat
swimming costume
glove
flip-flops
competition
match
medal
team
uniform
winner
energy
meat
muscles

Unit 10

first of January
second of February
third of March
fourth of April
fifth of May
sixth of June
seventh of July
eighth of August
ninth of September
tenth of October
eleventh of November
twelfth of December
bell
card
clothes
fireworks
lantern
procession
Arabic
Mandarin
Russian
Spanish

Level 4 visuals index

Vocabulary flashcards

Unit 1

forest
island
lake
river
waterfall
village
town
countryside
volcano
hill
above
below
camping
inside
outside
sailing
horse-riding
mountain biking
skateboarding
surfing

Unit 2

round
across
into
out of
through
up
down
onto
off
over
apologise
decide
find (found)
forget (forgot)
look like
swap
count to a hundred
do up your coat
tie your shoes
whistle a tune

Unit 3

cyclist
light
basket
gears
pump
lock
bell
wheel
brakes
safety vest
bridge
near
opposite
path
square
ticket
go past
go straight on
on the left
on the right
turn left
turn right

Unit 4

chef
photographer
nurse
dentist
businessman / businesswoman
police officer
plumber
lawyer
artist
engineer
creative
dangerous
delicious
different
exciting
interesting
caterpillar
crab
mosquito
peacock

Unit 5

cut
broken arm
temperature
flu
sore throat
cough
toothache
headache
earache
stomach ache
active
exercise (v)
healthy
ill
medicine
rest (v)
bakery
butcher's
chemist's
fishmonger's
greengrocer's

Unit 6

world
field
grass
ground
campfire
stream
shooting star
branch
nest
leaf / leaves
another
both
fly (flew)
hide (hid)
nothing
take (took)
buy a present
catch a bus
plant (a flower)
write an essay

Unit 7

keyboard
charger
laptop
earphones
screen
microphone
speaker
printer
mouse
game console
download
ink
invention
machine
material
hers
his
mine
ours
theirs
yours

Unit 8

spine
petal
fins
scales
stem
soil
feathers
roots
fur
wings
air
ladybird
land
sparrow
squirrel
electric
gadget
scientist
smartphone

Unit 9

dishwasher
washing machine
tap
bucket
watering can
fill
empty
waste
save
turn on / off
cool
freeze
fresh water
heat
melt
salt water
dissolve
float
heavy
light
sink

Unit 10

jewellery
bracelet
earrings
diamond ring
beard
curly hair
straight hair
fair hair
dark hair
moustache
detective
everyone
no one
someone
steal (stole)
thief
attic
basement
dust the furniture
tidy up