WAYS OF IMPROVING VOCABULARY

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Annotation

This article deals with ways how to improve vocabulary effectively while learning a particular tongue. Correspondingly, it concerns teaching vocabulary efficiently and adequately will significantly help improve general English education also.

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Learning a foreign language has become commonplace in our day-to-day lives. And yet, not all aspiring language learners achieve their goals because of several problems such as lacking vocabulary, misunderstanding the grammar, and the like. A strong vocabulary is essential for effective communication, whether in writing or speaking. It not only enhances our ability to express ourselves clearly but also helps us understand and interpret information more effectively. Improving vocabulary is a continuous process that requires dedication and practice. This article explores various ways to enhance your vocabulary and expand your word knowledge. Now, ways of boosting one's vocabulary will be elaborated. First off, learning new words is not so active and interesting activity to do and that makes it seem tedious. To resolve this issue, we can use some fruitful applications like QUIZZIZ, and KAHOOT on our gadgets to drill the new words that we are learning regularly. In this way the process of learning new words become more engaging since today's people tend to spend most of their spare time on their phone, they can use this habit for their own good instead of spending time surfing the net.

Secondly, we should constantly use new words that we are learning so as to make it active vocabulary. There are two types of vocabulary that we know. Active and Passive. The active one is the words that we use on a daily basis, while passive ones are that we don't use in our speech all the time but when others use such words in their own sentences, we can understand them. in order to make words more active, you should find a friend and talk to them in the language that you are learning and try to use the words that you learned recently. Alternatively, there are also some handy applications that aid you to have a conversation with people all around the world, one of them is called OMEGLE. Also practice using new words: actively incorporate new words into your everyday conversations, writing, and emails. Practice using them correctly and experiment with different contexts to reinforce your understanding and retention of the words.

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Thirdly, improving vocabulary through movies is also really proactive among language learners since it is relaxing, interesting, and fun. It makes language learning much easier and always keeps one on track because of its attractiveness and unpredictability. For the record, you cannot learn a language by just watching films, you should take some notes of the new words that you encounter while watching the movie and learn them by heart after finishing watching it. Then, you should try to watch the film once again, but this time without subtitles to check how well you learned the new words and how you understand the process that happens in the movie.

Next, one shouldn't try to learn only the word and its meaning, but rather, they should try their hardest to learn them in sentences. If they follow this piece of advice, a learner can remember the word for a longer time, maybe for a lifetime. Learning just the words themselves makes the activity more monotonous and ghastly for a learner. In fact, this is the reason why many learners give up while learning a language.

Last but not least, reading authentic books regularly boosts not only the reader's reading comprehension but also their vocabulary, grammar, and their writing skills. The more you read, the more your writing style gets improved because they are interconnected as well as listening and speaking. Visual materials are much easier to remember in comparison with dry words to learn by heart.

And also I would find this piece of advice beneficial to my beloved and eager readers: As long as the language learner practices these skills regularly, at least 4-5 days a week for some 2 hours a day, rather than practicing all of them at once in a single day, there is a high possibility of the effectiveness of these practicing ways. The reason why one should not be obsessed with one activity for a long time in a day, soon they become fed up with it. That's why you should practice them bit by bit to reach success much faster and in an effortless way.

Bear in mind that practice makes perfect.

In this part of the article, we'll go off the subject a little bit, but not too far. All data given below is somehow relevant to boost your vocabulary range and is truly fruitful for people who struggle to make a couple of good habits to learn a language.

Rule number one: Make a to-do list every single day for yourself and keep to it as much as possible once you finish the activity on the list, put a tick[$\sqrt{}$] next to it so that you can feel a feeling of joy and responsibility and that's what stimulates you forward to do other remainder chores on the list. Most of you tried making a list of your Daily routines before but face it, not all of us had succeeded to stick to it. And you say I can't stick to my plans. Well, that is because while you were making the list, you had overrated yourself and hadn't spared some time to get some rest during the day. This happened to me before too. My to-do list was like this:

1. Finish a movie and learn all the new words from it.

2. Finish blue Murphy

3. Tend to the garden

4. Read 50 pages from a novel

5. Learn how to write task two writing

6. Go to the university

At a glance, all these activities are possible. But I couldn't manage to do even half of these on day one, so what did I do? I gave up. I gave up and decided never to make plans for the days ahead because I thought I was helpless and couldn't stick to my plans until the day I learned how to deal with them. I started to make plans again but this time, the list of mine contained easier chores and Volla! At the end of the day, I managed 90% of my plans on the list and I still make plans beforehand and try to stick to them. So the trick is, never add super hard activities onto your list that you know you can't manage to do in a single day. Such as:

- have breakfast
- watch a movie for 20 minutes and learn all the new words that are new from the movie
- do one IELTS listening
- help your mom to make lunch and have lunch
- do one reading for IELTS
- learn how to write line graph
- learn the new words that are new for you from both listening and reading

You can do all these tasks at any time of the day but you should at least accomplish 90% of them on that day, because if you don't, you start to feel like a failure and give up and give up eventually.

Improving vocabulary is an ongoing process that requires consistent effort and practice. By reading extensively, learning words within their context, using vocabulary-building resources, and engaging in conversations, you can expand your word knowledge and enhance your communication skills. So, start incorporating these strategies into your routine and watch your vocabulary flourish. Since we are living in a technology-developed world, all of us have a need and desire to use social media. It's somehow advantageous actually. You can subscribe to English or American bloggers' channels on YouTube or Instagram and watch their videos to unwind in your spare time. Hence, you get to enjoy spending time on social media as well as learning the language by watching authentic videos. It's like you are killing two birds with one stone. But what I recommend is while studying or learning something from the book, you need to avoid distractors such as your phone. If you put your phone on the desk that you are doing your lessons on, not until ten minutes you get your phone and surf the net unintentionally and you spend hours and hours without even knowing. To tackle this problem, just leave your phone in another room, and take a vow to yourself not to get up from the desk until you finish your lesson. That's how you can enlarge the distance between you and the distractor and increase the probability of accomplishing your lessons. The more you stick to your plans, the more you feel responsibility resting on your shoulders and try to do your hardest to fulfill them. Good

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habits bring along another one, like bad habits bring another one too. So pursue your good habits on the way to learning the language.

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