

Beyoncé - Glossary

according to preposition
used for saying where information or ideas have come from
According to newspaper reports, fighting has broken out in the northern provinces.

album noun [count]
a CD, record, or cassette with several songs or pieces of music on it
The band will release their third album in May.

audience noun [count]
a group of people who have come to a place to see or hear a film, performance, speech etc.
The music was performed before an enthusiastic audience.

big name noun [count]
a famous person in a particular activity
A lot of big names showed up at the gallery opening.

come out phrasal verb
if something such as a book or a film comes out, it becomes available to buy or see
We've recorded a new album, and it's coming out in the spring.

date verb
if two people are dating, they are having a romantic or sexual relationship with each other
They've been dating for over six months now.

earn verb
to receive money for work that you do
She doesn't earn much money, but she enjoys the work.

hit noun [count]
a song that sells a very large number of copies
They played a lot of old hits from the 70s and 80s.

mixture noun [singular]
a combination of two or more different things, people, qualities etc
The building was a strange mixture of styles.

over and over again phrase
many times
They keep asking the same questions over and over again.

ringtone noun [count]
the sound that your mobile phone makes when someone calls you, for example a series of short sounds or a musical tune

sold-out adjective
if an event is sold out, all the tickets for it have been sold

solo adjective
performing alone, not as part of a band, orchestra etc
She is releasing a solo album.

stage noun [count]
the part of a theatre where the actors or musicians perform
They had now been on stage for over four hours.

star in phrasal verb
to be the main actor or performer in a film, play, television programme etc
He starred in Devil's Advocate as an ambitious lawyer.

talent show noun [count]
a competition in which singers, dancers etc show their ability
We're helping to organize the school talent show.

tour noun [count]
a journey in which a person or group visits several different places in order to play or perform
The group is currently on tour in the UK.

tune noun [count]
a song or piece of music
the station that plays all your favourite tunes

wonder verb [transitive/intransitive]
to think about something because you want to know more facts or details about it
I wonder if they'll get married.