

## Lady Gaga – Glossary

**album** noun [countable]

a CD, record, or cassette with several songs or pieces of music on it

*The band will release its third album in May.*

**arts, the** noun [plural]

activities such as art, music, movies, theater, and dance, considered together

**break a record** phrase

to do something that is better, faster, etc. than anything that has been done before

*The painting has broken all previous records, selling for over \$100 million.*

**celebrity** noun [countable]

a famous person, especially in entertainment or sports

**critic** noun [countable]

someone whose job is to write or broadcast their opinions about things such as books, movies, or plays

**download** noun [uncountable]

COMPUTING the process of downloading information to your computer

*The download failed.*

**follower** noun [countable]

someone who is interested in the progress or development of something, especially a sport

**global** adjective [usually before noun]

including or affecting the whole world

**have heard of** phrasal verb [transitive]

to know about the existence of someone or something

*Have you heard of WAP phones?*

**high school** noun [countable/uncountable]

in the USA, a school for children between the ages of 14 and 18

**media** noun [plural]

a way of communicating information and ideas, especially to a lot of people, for example newspapers or television

*Both broadcast and print media are carrying the story.*

**musical** noun [countable]

a play or movie in which there are a lot of songs  
*the classic musical* The Sound of Music

**nightclub** noun [countable]

a place where people go in the evening to dance, drink alcohol, or watch entertainers. Nightclubs often stay open very late.

**open** adjective

used about someone who is honest and does not keep things secret

*Everyone in the group was very friendly and open.*

**original** adjective

new, interesting, and different from anything else

**outlandish** adjective

extremely strange and unusual

*an outlandish hairstyle*

**pop star** noun [countable]

a famous singer or musician who performs pop music

**rhythm** noun [countable/uncountable]

MUSIC a regular pattern of sounds in music that you can show by moving, hitting your hands together, or hitting a drum or other surface

*He tapped out the rhythm on the table.*

**single** noun [countable]

a musical record with only one song or piece of music on each side

*All the group's hit singles have been collected on an album.*

**songwriter** noun [countable]

someone who writes songs

**stage name** noun [countable]

a name used by a performer instead of their real name

**stand out** phrasal verb [intransitive]

to be much more impressive or important than other people or things

**voice** noun [countable/uncountable]

someone's ability to sing

*My father had a fine bass voice.*