

Names – Glossary

according to preposition
used for saying where information or ideas have come from
According to Freud, our dreams represent our hidden desires.

after all phrase
used for saying that something is true despite what was said or planned before
Maybe she was right after all.

anthropologist noun [uncountable]
someone who studies anthropology (human societies, customs and beliefs)

as/so long as conjunction
used before saying the conditions that will make something else happen or be true
My parents don't care what job I do as long as I'm happy.

due to preposition
because of something
He almost died due to lack of oxygen.

enormous adjective
very large in size or quantity
The enormous birthday cake dwarfed everything else on the table.

estimate noun [countable]
an amount that you guess or calculate using the information available
According to official estimates, over 25% of carbon emissions come from the United States.

exception noun [countable/uncountable]
someone or something that is different in some way from other people or things and so cannot be included in a general statement

individual adjective [only before noun]
existing or considered separately from other people or things
Individual members of the cast contributed greatly to the show's success.

Muslim noun [countable]
someone whose religion is Islam

no doubt phrase
used for emphasising that something seems certain or very likely
No doubt she'll tell me everything when she's ready.

popularity noun [uncountable]
a situation in which someone or something is popular with many people

spelling noun [countable]
the correct way of writing a word
British and American spellings differ in many ways.

take something for granted phrase
to expect something always to happen or exist in a particular way, and to not think about any possible problems or difficulties
Losing my job taught me never to take anything for granted.

tribe noun [countable]
a large group of related families who live in the same area and share a common language, religion and customs
Native American tribes