**100 Commonest English Words**

Oxford have identified the hundred commonest English words found in **writing** globally:

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| 1. the2. be3. to4. of5. and6. a7. in8. that9. have10. I11. it12. for13. not14. on15. with16. he17. as18. you19. do20. at21. this22. but23. his24. by25. from | 26. they27. we28. say29. her30. she31. or32. an33. will34. my35. one36. all37. would38. there39. their40. what41. so42. up43. out44. if45. about46. who47. get48. which49. go50. me | 51. when52. make53. can54. like55. time56. no57. just58. him59. know60. take61. person62. into63. year64. your65. good66. some67. could68. them69. see70. other71. than72. then73. now74. look75. only | 76. come77. its78. over79. think80. also81. back82. after83. use84. two85. how86. our87. work88. first89. well90. way91. even92. new93. want94. because95. any96. these97. give98. day99. most100. us |

**Top 25 Verbs**

1. be
2. have
3. do
4. say
5. get
6. make
7. go
8. know
9. take
10. see
11. come
12. think
13. look
14. want
15. give
16. use
17. find
18. tell
19. ask
20. work
21. seem
22. feel
23. try
24. leave
25. call

**Top 25 Nouns**

1. time
2. person
3. year
4. way
5. day
6. thing
7. man
8. world
9. life
10. hand
11. part
12. child
13. eye
14. woman
15. place
16. work
17. week
18. case
19. point
20. government
21. company
22. number
23. group
24. problem
25. fact

**Top 25 Adjectives**

1. good
2. new
3. first
4. last
5. long
6. great
7. little
8. own
9. other
10. old
11. right
12. big
13. high
14. different
15. small
16. large
17. next
18. early
19. young
20. important
21. few
22. public
23. bad
24. same
25. able

# Adverbs of Place List

about
above
abroad
anywhere
away
back
backwards (*also* backward)
behind
below
down
downstairs
east (etc)
elsewhere
far
here
in
indoors
inside
near
nearby
off
on
out
outside
over
there
towards
under
up
upstairs
where