

Better Spoken English
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Session 23
Stress in English III

Good morning.

Good morning sir.

Are you all right? Comfortable?

Yes sir.

Lovely. Yesterday, we looked at some features of English words stress. We defined or tried to define what word stress is and how in English it is different from word stress in other languages. We also looked at some features of English word stress, for instance we saw that unlike many other languages, English does not have word stress fixed for only one part of the word, different words can have words in different parts, some words have it on the initial syllable, some words have it on the final syllable. We also saw that the same or similar words also have different changing words stresses and we looked at examples like, photo, photograph, photographer, photography, photographic. We also looked at instances like, word changing the part of the speech and we said the class, same represent to the teacher, but in the same word is used as verb then it takes its stress on the final syllable. We said the class presented the teacher, a paint him, very very importantly for us for those of us who have not learnt English, as our mother tongue, among educated speakers of English language.

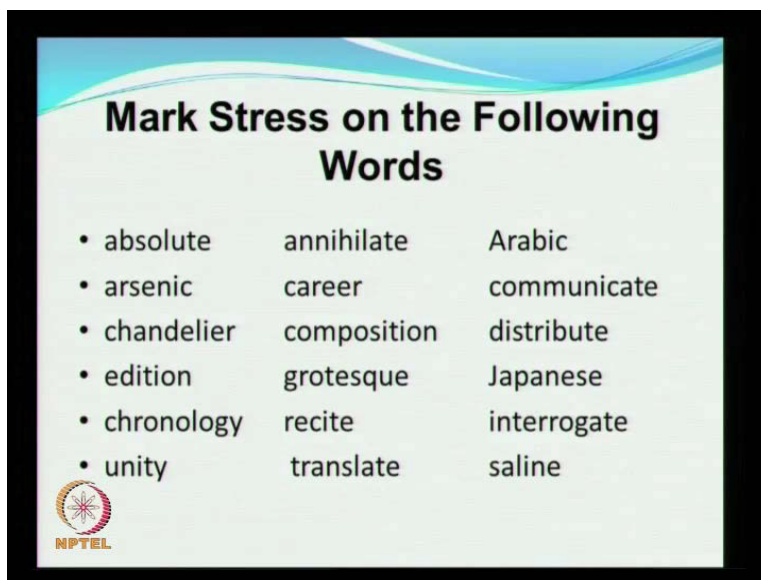
Stress is very crucial for comprehension. If you do not stress the words correctly, as they ought to be, then because of the peculiar phenomenon in English, there is always another words which is stressed in the manner in which we stress. And we saw that, if we said develop, we are understood as saying double up and when we say character, we are understood a saying director

or directed and when we say convalescing, people think we are talking about convelging. We should do stresses in the proper manner otherwise, we might be misunderstood the proper manner is develop, character, convalesce and such other things, the question therefore for us is there are no pattern, is there is no method in the **magness** that the English word stresses. And if we looked at English word carefully and you will find that, there is some method, we do not have much time, we cannot go into explanation of that patterns.

What we will do is, we will look at some frequently, occurring words and look at the patterns they fit into and then do some drill and relearn stresses from those words. So, that the next time we make a presentation. Next time, we speak to a group of people from different disciplines or different countries. Sometimes, even both we are understood by everyone alike. I should have I had wanted to ask you to do some exercise yesterday, but we ran out of time, so we will do that exercise today. I am going to give you some words and I want you to use your note book, pencil and mark stresses wherever you have. Some words, you may be sure then do not bother do not look up dictionary, but where you are not sure look up dictionary and mark stresses on them. For any one of who finishes first, before the others, I will have the book for the prize. I will tell you when your time begins, take out some book and pencil, you have to group two or three. So if I give a book for the prize, somebody can take the cover page; somebody can take the back cover page; and the person with real heart can take the middle of the book.


You will know how to distribute the book, among yourselves. Are you ready? Are you reasy? The maximum time I will give you will be five minutes, if within five minutes, if you do not finish, you will be out of the game. I want to see who does it before others, work in groups. Does every group have the dictionary? Say, yes or no please. Sure? Here are the words. Your time begins now.

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Mark Stress on the Following Words

• absolute	annihilate	Arabic
• arsenic	career	communicate
• chandelier	composition	distribute
• edition	grotesque	Japanese
• chronology	recite	interrogate
• unity	translate	saline

 NPTEL

Just mark, main stress on each word in the manner, I told you yesterday and I had been telling you that is all do not worry about pronunciation of the rest of the word just mark stresses.

Finished? Finished? Lovely. So, wait for the others. You can come and claim book your from or may be I will bring it here and give it to you on the camera. But it should be all correct not just first. You got wrong I will tell you. You got this incorrect. Raise your hands if finished first. One group has claimed. It does not give you stress, is it? Sorry show it to me. You have not copied the way it gives you should be on the name the first you had. Now yes two groups together, there three four may be I will give books for all four groups. Times up, now times up now, please 5 minutes over this is the game, we have played do not worry. Can I have a attention please try and you see it does not take much time, it does not take much time you know how it look it up, I will not asking you to look at all the (()) are more words that English dictionary has, just some words before you make the next presentation take of your presentation and you will see that only some long words are going to come there and if you take care of those long words if we look up those long words in dictionary your presentation becomes all the more effective. People not only admire you for what you have said, they also admire you for how you have said that, so our friends what is your name?

Surya

And

Raghvendar

Surya and Raghavendar finished first, but they had one little bit error. Then, you were the second group. Are You were the second group, then you where the second group? Then who were your friends?

Manoj and

(())

And the three together. Then you were the third last bench, tell me your names.

(())

And

Ravi,

And Nishanth.

And then you where the fourth

The one before some, You has raised your hands? Second or third, You raised your hands? Tell me your names.

And, You are not pardon with him.

Shall we clap for these four groups please. I will have a book for each member of these group. I do not know what book is have something in poetry or some useful book ok you must spend some time for studying poetry, poetry is education for heart, whereas prose is education for head. And of course good spoken English matters in both the places. So, you know some practice will get these words right for these words lets have practice for these words, I will say first and you will follow me. Are you ready? Are you have breakfast? Do you have good voice? Lovely, only some peoples are saying yes others are still in bed mentally are you ready?

Yes sir.

Absolute

Follow me you know as I pronounce please follow me.

Absolute

Absolute

Annihilate

Annihilate

Arabic

Arabic

Arsenic

Arsenic

Career

Career

Communicate

Communicate

Chandelier

Chandelier

Composition

Composition

Distribute

Distribute

Edition

Edition

Grotesque

Grotesque

Japanese

Japanese

Chronology

Chronology

Recite

Recite

Interrogate

Interrogate

Unity

Unity

Translate

Translate

Saline

Saline

I want to do it now on your own without me. One, two, three and you will begin. Ready one, two, three. Go slow.

Absolute

Annihilate

Annihilate

Arabic

Arabic

Arsenic

Arsenic

Career

Career

Communicate

Communicate

Chandelier

Chandelier

Composition

Composition

Low.

Composition

Say it again.

Composition

10 times please.

Composition

Move on.

Distribute

Again.

Distribute

Go on.

Edition

Edition

Next.

Grotesque

Grotesque

Next

Japanese

Japanese

Next

Chronology

Chronology

Recite

Recite

Interrogate

Interrogate

Unity

Unity

Translate

Translate

Saline

Saline

Now the question usually I told yesterday, what the question is that, is rest and honored is there no method English word stress and if you look at it carefully notice that there is a method a large number of words of a particular kind of a particular pattern, which have stress only on the final syllable large number of words which is from the pre final syllable, another group of large number of words which have main stress only on the pre-pre final syllable. You see, I will give this words antepenultimate word anti is before and pen is also before ultimate is final. So, before final, so there are words of certain pattern, let us look out those words let us look out drill and you know you will find that you know finally the beauty of the drill, if you do fifteen or twenty words of a particular pattern right all the others words of the pattern will automatically reset themselves in your pronunciation, do you have any questions, anything. Let us look at words with pre-pre final stress please write pre-pre final stress pre-pre final stress also want you to take book out we will do some words you know because of I could not take all the words I want you to drill with.

In this book what are done is over two or three it is slightly (()), you know I mean to revise it, I did this book in ninety or ninety one looked at my B.Tech students and in my own mind, I asked myself what words are frequently used by a senior undergraduate student here and which of


these words are misstressed generally not by everyone not all the time then I made this list. The idea is, if we practice with this list it is very likely that the other words following this pattern would also automatically, reset themselves and would be pronounced right by you without any explicit preparation, but for that to happen you must have a good drill to good practice and drill is a good method to relearn something or learn something quickly particularly if it concerns behavior, if it concerns skill whether individually or in group you do not have to do a long time to drill you know just about five minutes whenever you are free, whenever you have choice between playing the game on mobile phone or using something doing something useful, then do this and you will find that in fewer than three to four weeks you have mastered this highly problematic area in the English language. Are you ready, I want you open on page number.

This is page number in my book in my copy of the book page number ninety page number 91 90 90. How many people do not have the copy of the book here, I have three extra copies you can take them. Help yourself, but and bring the back later, but I expect you to bring the copy of the book. and do not please bring the copy of the book tomorrow, wait for those words which are there on the screen which are there on the ppt slide, are you ready ok all of these words have main stress on the pre-pre final syllable third syllable from the end right everybody. I will say it first and you will say it next and then go on without me alright. Please follow me.

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Some Words Stressed on Pre-pre-final Syllable

• abdomen	accident	acronym
• analysis	anarchy	ancestor
• bulletin	balcony	bureaucrat
• calendar	competence	currency
• development	destiny	dynasty
• editor	emolument	emphasis
• evidence	experiment	faculty

 NPTEL

Abdomen

Abdomen

Accident

Accident

Acronym

Acronym go slowly

Analysis

Analysis

Anarchy

Anarchy

Ancestor

Ancestor

Bulletin

Bulletin

Balcony

Balcony

Bureaucrat

Bureaucrat

Calendar

Calendar

Competence

Competence

Currency

Currency

Development

Development

Destiny

Destiny

Dynasty

Dynasty

Editor

Editor

Emolument

Emolument

Emphasis

Emphasis

Evidence

Evidence

Experiment

Experiment

Faculty

Faculty

Can you do these words once again without me? Ready one two three, begin.

Abdomen

Accident

Acronym

go slowly

Analysis

Anarchy

Ancestor

Bulletin

Balcony

Bureaucrat

Calendar

Competence

Currency

Development

Destiny

Dynasty

Editor

Emolument

Emphasis

Evidence

Experiment

Faculty

Come to the book now, come to page number ninety, I want one of you to lead us just as I do make up your mind, I will say who wants to and stand up and do it just as I am doing and all of you follow you, but just now follow me please first ok come with me.

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These mispronunciations, if we might call them so, can be heard in many parts of the country. Sometimes these mispronunciations may be peculiar to a particular region or linguistic group only. The lists of words given in this book are remedial in nature and help students and other users from different parts of India, rather than to just one specific region or group.

Now read the following words aloud giving extra emphasis on the syllable in capital letters.

1. Nouns (with main stress on the antepenultimate syllable)

ABdomen

ACcident

ACronym



ADvocate

Agency

ABdomen

ABdomen

ACcident

ACcident

ACronym

ACronym

ADjective

ADjective

ADvocate


ADvocate

Agency

Agency

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ALgebra	ALlergy	ALmanac
amBASsador	aMErica	AMnesty
aNAllysis	Anarchy	ANcestor
Anecdote	anTIpathy	anTIthesis
ANtonym	Apathy	aPOlogy
aPOStrophe	apPEarance	APpetite
APTitude	ARgument	AStronaut
ATtitude	BALcony	BIgamy
 BUletin	BUreaucrat	CAalendar
CANada	CAnopy	CARNival

ALgebra

ALgebra

ALlergy

Allergy

ALmanac

Almanac

Who wants to do now please lead us, stand up take the book you will say it first and we will follow you and I am like this, I will go through the class.

ABdomen

Begin with amBASSador

Ambassador

Ambassador

AMErica

AMErica

AMnesty

AMnesty

ANAlysis

ANAlysis

Anarchy

Anarchy

ANcestor

ANcestor

Anecdote

Anecdote

Low. It is a pre final quote, quote with syllable is a pre final quote, so it will be Anecdote, go on.

AnTIpathy

AnTIpathy

AnTIthesis

AnTIthesis

ANtonym

ANtonym

Apathy

Apathy

APOlogy

APOlogy

APOStrophe

APOStrophe

APOStrophe

APOStrophe

yeah

ApPEarance

ApPEarance

APpetite

APpetite

APtitude

APtitude

ARgument

ARgument

AStronaut

AStronaut

ATtitude

Attitude

Ok you can sit down next who will like to lead us yes please begin with B.

BALcony

BALcony

BIgamy

Bigamy

Or Bigamy you can say yes ok go on.

BUretin

BUretin

BUreaucrat

Bureaucrat

BUreaucrat

BUreaucrat

CAlendar

CAlendar

CAnada

CAnada

CAnopy

CAnopy

CARnival

CARnival

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CARpenter	CATHolic	CHAracter
CInema	CItizen	CLEmency
COmedy	COMpetence	comPOsitor
COMpromise	CONsonant	CONtinent
CUcumber	CURrency	curRICulum
CUStomer	CYlinder	DEmocrat
DEStiny	deVElopment	Dlvidend
DYnamite	DYnasty	DYsentergy
ECStasy	Editor	EFfluent
 Element	Elephant	Emigrant
Eminence	eMolument	EMphasis

CARpenter

CARpenter

CATHolic

Catholic

CHAracter

CHAracter

CHAracter

CHAracter

Cinema

Cinema

You have to say Cinema

Cinema

Go on

Citizen

CItizen

CLEmency

CLEmency

COmedy

COmedy

COMpetence

COMpetence

ComPOsitor

ComPOsitor

COMpromise

COMpromise

CONsonant

CONsonant

CONTinent

CONTinent

CUcumber

CUcumber

CURrency

CURrency

CurRICulum

CurRICulum

CUStomer

CUStomer

CYlinder

Cylinder

Ok you can sit down, next please.

DEmocrat

DEmocrat

DEStiny

DEStiny

DeVELOpment


Development

Development

Development

Just you hold your book like this ok and also you look into camera, so that others when they use it they know who they are following. Correct go on and take your time, there is no need to hurry. The one lesson I want to learn from this course from the rest of the life is when you are in a formal situation, when you really need to be at your best speak slowly, please.

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COMpromise	CONsonant	CONtinent
CUcumber	CURrency	curRICulum
CUSlomer	CYlinder	DEmocrat
DEStiny	deVELOpment	DIdidend
DYnamite	DYNasty	DYsentry
ECStasy	Editor	EFfluent
Element	Elephant	Emigrant
Eminence	eMolument	EMphasis
emPORium	encycloPEdia	ENterprise
 elope	Etiquette	Evidence
EXPENditure	exPERiment	exPERience

Dividend

Dividend

DYNasty

Dynasty

Dynasty come again

DYnasty

Dynasty

DYnamite

Dynamite

Go on.

DYsentry

DYsentry

Or you can say Dysentery

DYsentry

ECStasy

ECStasy

Editor

Editor

Effluent

Effluent

Element

Element

Elephant

Elephant

Emigrant

Emigrant

It is Emigrant go slow once again.

Emigrant

Emigrant

Eminence

Eminence

EMOLument

EMOLument

Emphasis

Emphasis

EmPORium

EmPORium

EncycloPEdia

EncycloPEdia

ENterprise

ENterprise

ENvelope

ENvelope

Etiquette

Etiquette

Etiquette

Etiquette

Go on

Evidence

Evidence

EXPENDiture

EXPENDiture

ExPERiment

ExPERiment

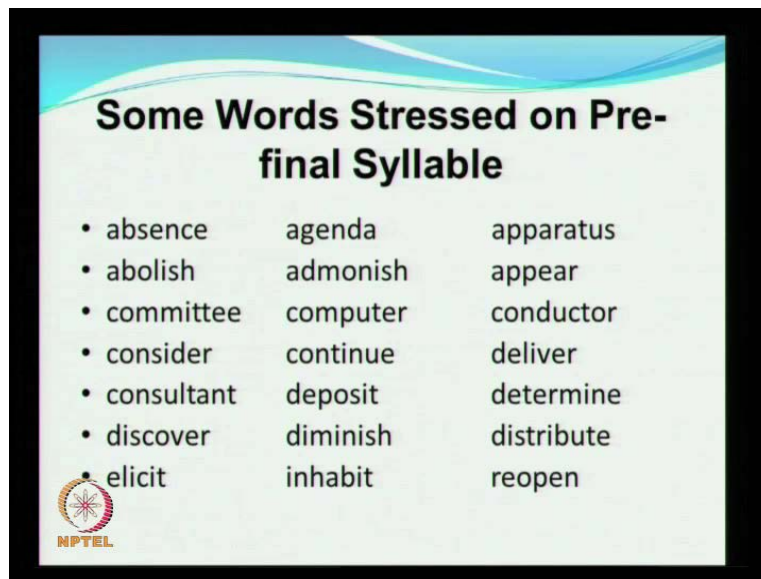
ExPERience

Experience

You can sit down, you know we cannot do all of this book in the class everyday, what am try to do here is to show to you to tell you how you can relearn something or learn something which we have not learnt which we ought to have learnt had do we gone to good English teachers you know unlike me you know if we had those part as I told you, I think beginning that in India we have taught to a lot of written English I do not think there is any students where we miss spelt in words am I right. Say yes or no have you recent past have anyone told you have tmisspelt the words? Anybody we take particular care of spelling in English teachers in this country, but we have not drawn your attention that these words can also been pronounced in a particular manner you know we are an overcrowded country over populated country, we do not have enough schools enough teachers it is not possible that everything can be done in a school or in a college, but if you are particular if you think these areas of knowledge are important for us then you can do you can learn these things on your own.

Can I have your attention Kiran? So, you know you must pay attention to some of these aspects of English language as well. The question is how can I do it in a few weeks this is one good way you know the cliché is you know that drill is very boring it may be boring but it also makes it also a hole in your head and once you get ten words of a particular pattern, it is quite likely that relevant word would automatically follow that pattern, so in the hostel in groups or individually do not overdo it, do not do it for two hours every day you will go mad, as I told it is boring thing. But five minutes between lunch and the class five minutes between breakfast and the class five minutes between playground and your room, if you pick up this book and do some fifty or twenty words with or without your friends, you will find that in less than of few weeks you are getting not only those words right, which are part of the drill you get other words on that pattern also right. Let us look at the next pattern.

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Words on some pre-final syllable, lovely who said that ok good you know a scientist predicts you are a scientist may god bless you, I will do this first and then you will follow me ready or are you bored already please say something shall we go?

Yes sir

Shall we

Yes sir

Right please follow me.

Absence

Absence

Agenda

Agenda

Apparatus

Apparatus

Abolish

Abolish

Admonish

Admonish

And while doing this will never be in a hurry, it is like a pooja. You may not do pooja for a long time, may not do prayer for a long time. Do it only for one minute, that one minute must be total concentration, total, you know you must be totally with the deity you are praying. Similarly do it only for 5 minutes but do it in a relaxed manner ok not in a hurry do not say Absence, Agenda, Apparatus ok not that way. Do only three words if you have time only for these three words. Am I clear to you? Right follow me please

Abolish

Abolish

Admonish

Admonish

Appear

Appear

Committee

Committee

Computer

Computer

Conductor

Conductor

Consider

Consider

Continue

Continue

Deliver

Deliver

Consultant

Consultant

Deposit

Deposit

Determine

Determine

Discover

Discover

Diminish

Diminish

Distribute

Distribute

Elicit

Elicit

Inhabit

Inhabit

Reopen

Reopen

I want you to do together without me. Please begin

Absence

Agenda

Apparatus

Abolish

Admonish

Appear

Committee

Computer

Conductor

Consider

Continue

Deliver

Consultant

Deposit

Determine

Discover

Diminish

Distribute

Elicit

Inhabit


Reopen

Let us look at some more words of the same pattern shall we please open on page number ninety two, ninety three sorry please come to page number 93 towards the bottom of the page, I will say it first and you will say it next. Are we together I will found that page please then I will expect somebody else to take over from me everybody please do not think somebody else is going to lead raise your hand and stand up and let the class follow you this is one good way of learning public speaking this is one good way of relearning or learning pronunciation of English, if you continue you feel shy or lazy or hesitant or reluctant you will not it has much from life or from the class as you could otherwise you have to dare, you have to venture you have to make good effort, so when I say next I want to see several answers right but please follow me now.

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Read the following words aloud in the manner suggested.

2. Nouns (with main stress on the penultimate syllable)

ABsence	Adult	ADverb
ADvent	aGENda	Agent
AlBIno	Any	appaRAtus
ARchives	aROma	asBESTos
atTORney	baNAna	BENZene
BENZine	BIceps	BIshop
 Carol	caTHEdral	CAthode
CElRtain	CLImate	COMfort

ABsence

ABsence

Adult

Adult

Sorry once again.

ABsence

ABsence

Adult

Adult

ADverb

ADverb

ADvent

ADvent

AGENda

AGENda

Agent

Agent

AIBIno

AIBIno

Any

Any

AppaRAtus

AppaRAtus

ARchives

ARchives

ARoma

ARoma

AsBEStos

AsBEStos

AtTORney

Attorney

Can somebody please take off from me, you first then you next.

BaNAAna

BaNAAna

BENzene

BENzene

BENZine

BENZine

BIceps

BIceps

BIshop

BIshop

CArol

CArol

CaTHEdral

CaTHEdral

CAthode

CAthode

CERtain

CERtain


CLImate

CLImate

COMfort

COMfort

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CObalt	comMITtee	COMpass
COMplex	comPUter	conDUCTor
COLleague	COLlege	comPARTment
CONsort	conSULTant	CONvent
CONvoy	corresPONDence	CREdence
CREScent	CREole	CYclone
CYmbal	deCOrum	dePARTure
DePENDant	dePOsit	deTERgent
 diagnosis	DIAlect	DIALOGue
DIfference	dipLOma	diREctor

CObalt

CObalt

ComMITtee

ComMITtee

COMpass

COMpass

COMplex

COMplex

ComPUter

ComPUter

ConDUCtor

ConDUCtor

COLleague

COLleague

COLlege

COLlege

ComPARTment

ComPARTment

CONsort

CONsort

ConSULtant

ConSULtant

CONvent

CONvent

CONvoy

CONvoy

CorresPONdence

CorresPONdence

CREdence

CREdence

CREScnt

CREScnt

CREScnt

CREScnt

That is CREScnt come again say it again.

CREScnt

CREScnt

CREole

CREole

That is CREole just follow me just a second.

CREScnt

CREole

CREScnt

CREole

CREScnt

CREole

CREScnt

CREole

Go to the next

CYclone

CYclone

CYMbal

CYMbal

DeCOrum

Decorum

You can take next please.

DePARture

DePARture

DePENdent

DePENdent

DePOsit

DePOsit

DeTERgent

DeTERgent

DiagNOsis

DiagNOsis

DIAlect

DIAlect

DIAlogue

DIAlogue

That is DIAlogue.

DIFference

DIFference

DipLOma

DipLOma

DiREcTor

Director

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DIFference	dipLOma	diREcTor
DUpIex	Echo	ecoNOmics
emPLOYment	enCLOsure	ENtrance
ENzyme	Ethos	Evening
eXAMple	exPOsure	fiANce
fiASco	FORmat	forMica
FRigate	FURlong	GADget
HARvest(n,v)	HAzard	haemoGLOBin
HONey	hoRIzon	HUman
 HUNdred	HUSband	HYgiene
iDEa	Image	INcome

DUpIex

Duplex

Duplex yes

Echo

Echo

EcoNOmics

EcoNOmics

EmPLOYment

EmPLOYment

EnCLOsure

EnCLOsure

ENtrance

ENtrance

ENzyme

ENzyme

Ethos

Ethos

Evening

Evening

EXAMple

EXAMple

ExPOsure

ExPOsure

You can sit down next who can take over.

FiANcé

FiANcé

FiASco

Fiasco

Go slow yes.

FORmat

FORmat

ForMica

ForMica

Or forMica

FRigate

FRigate

That is FRigate. Does anyone knows where this word comes from? Ship.What kind of ship.

Battle ship.

FURlong

FURlong

GADget

GADget

HARvest(n,v)

HARvest(n,v)

HAzard

HAzard

HaemoGLOBin

HaemoGLOBin

HOney

HOney

HoRIzon

HoRIzon

HoRIzon

HoRIzon

HUman

HUman

HUNdred

HUman

HUSband

HUSband

HYgiene

Hygiene

HYgiene

Hygiene

Next somebody raised hand this side next yes please last bench please.

IDea

IDea

Image

Image

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FRigate	FURlong	GADget
HARvest(n,v)	HAzard	haemoGLOBin
HOney	hoRIzon	HUman
HUNdred	HUSband	HYgiene
iDEa	Image	INcome
INdex	INsect	INset
InsPECTor	inSURance	INterest
InTESTine	ISland	JUDGEment
KNOWledge	LAdy	LIbel



INcome

Income

INdex

INdex

INsect

INsect

INset

INset

InsPEctor

InsPEctor

InSURance

InSURance

INterest

INterest

InTEStine

InTEStine

InTEStine

InTEStine

Ok go on

ISland

ISland

JUDGEment

JUDGEment

KNOWledge

KNOWledge


LAdy

LAdy

Libel

Libel

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Licence	LINGuist	LUGgage
lieuTEnant	MAGnet	MERchant
MOment	moMENTum	MOney
MORTar	MOUNtain	MUSic
MUStard	MUTton	NECtar
neuROsis	NIttrate	NOMad
NONsense	NOthing	NOtice
noVEMber	NUIsance	NYlon
oA sis	obSErver	ORphan
 paGOda	paPAya	PArent
PEAc ock	PE nance	PE on

Licence

Licence

LINGuist

LINGuist

LUGgage

LUGgage

LieuTEnant

LieuTEnant

LieuTEnant

LieuTEnant

MAGnet

Ok go on

MAGnet

MERchant

MERchant

MOment

MOment

MoMENTum

MoMENTum

MOney

MOney

MORtar

MORtar

MOUNtain

MOUNtain

MUSic

MUSic

MUStard

MUStard

Ok thank you can sit down.

MUTton

MUTton

I will ask the next person to do it, little later you see what we have looked at so far are nouns there are lots of words just I said here abolish, admonish, demolish. There are lots of words on the main stress in the pre final syllable on the penultimate syllable, can you please open on page number ninety seven please towards the end of the book, towards the end of the page, sorry towards the end of the page, have you found it, everybody please have you found it everybody please. I will say it first you will say it next these are verbs ok and we have large number of frequently occurring verbs in English which are main stress on the pre final syllable it is very important, we relearn them or learn them properly, please follow me.

ABOLish

ABOLish

AdMONish

AdMONish

ApPEar,

ApPEar

AsSEMble,

AsSEMble

AsTONish

AsTONish

BELOW

BELOW

Actually there should be another L there, you know when you shout loud why are you bellowing or you cows or other animals bellow so this is misprint, please I will get it right, follow me.

ConSIder

ConSIder

ConTInue

ConTInue

DeLIver

DeLIver

Deposit

Deposit

DeTERmine

DeTERmine

DeVElop

DeVElop

DiMinish,

DiMinish

DisCOver

DisCOver

DisTEMper

DisTEMper

Ok who can take next you raised your hand yes please.

DisTINGuish

DisTINGuish

DisTRIBute

DisTRIBute

Edit

Edit

ELIcit

ELIcit

EmBArrass

EmBArrass

EnCIRcle

EnCIRcle

EnDANger

EnDANger

ENter

ENter

EsTABlish,

EsTABlish

ExAmine

ExAmine

ExHibit

ExHibit

Exile

Exile

ExTINGuish

ExTINGuish

Finance

Finance

Finish

Finish

FLOUrish

FLOUrish

FOREcast

FLOUrish

GOvern

GOvern

That is GOvern.

GOvern

HARvest

HARvest

HJjack

HJjack

IMAgine

IMAgine

InHAbit

InHAbit

InHErit

InHErit

InHIbit

Inhibit

Somebody else please you and then you.

INjure

INjure

InTERpret

InTERpret

License

License

Go slow.

OFFer

OFFer

ORder

ORder

PErish

PErish

PROfit

PROfit

ProHibit

ProHibit

PROmise

PROmise

PROSper

PROSper

PUBlish

PUBlish

PUnish

PUnish

PURchase

PURchase

ReMEMber

ReMEMber

ReOpen

ReOpen

RePLEnish

RePLEnish

REvel

REvel

SIlence

SIlence

SurRENDER

SurRENDER

SWALlow

SWALlow

TRESpass

TRESpass

TRIumph

TRIumph

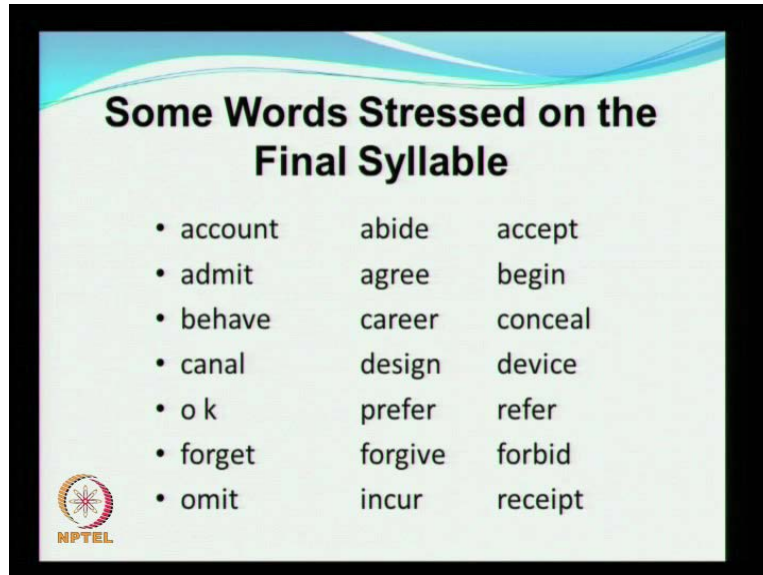
Visit

VIsit

Just as we have lots of words pre-pre final syllable or on the pre final syllable similarly, we also have lots of words with main stress on the final syllable both nouns, verbs, adjectives, actually it may be good idea for spend some time during the weekend and see what kind of words take stress on the final syllable and what kind of English words take stress on other syllable a pattern

is, today obvious if you spend some time just looking at these words. I do not want to tell you, because I want you to have the joy of discovering, they are not very difficult things at all, let us look at some words which have a stress on the final syllable, I will say it first and you will follow me are you ready.

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Account

Account

Abide

Abide

Accept

Accept

Admit

Admit

Agree

Agree

Begin

Begin

I want to draw your attention to the fact that stressed syllables in English are very prominent, the un stressed syllable or relatively un stressed syllables are hardly heard, but this stressed syllable is very prominently pronounced, so we do not say account, we say account we do not say abide, we say abide what do we say abide.

Abide

So bring that distinction very clearly follow me.

Admit

Admit

Agree

Agree

Begin

Begin

Behave

Behave

Career

Career

Conceal

Conceal

Canal

Canal

Design

Design

Device

Device

OK

OK

In India we say it is all light in our languages ok or when we speak to friends but in formal occasion places like conferences, classroom presentations it should be Okay what should it be Okay

Okay

Prefer

Prefer

Refer

Refer

Forget

Forget

Forgive

Forgive

Forbid

Forbid

Omit

Omit

Incur

Incur

Receipt

Receipt

Now go without me. Please one two three begin.

Account

Abide

Accept

Admit

Agree

Begin

Behave

Career

Conceal

Canal

Design

Device

OK

Prefer

Refer

Forget

Forgive

Forbid

Omit

Incur

Receipt

Some words main stress on the final syllable adjective, adverbs. Once again as I told you we are not doing the entire book in the class, partly because we do not have time and partly because it is not necessary, I expect that you will spend some time beginning today until about the end of this course doing this drill by yourself and you see the result, it is dramatic and do you remember the Ganesh Reddy tape I played you. Do you remember the tape do you remember the boy named Ganesh Reddy speak before the course and after the course, it is this what it did and for lots of students did since then but sadly not every students is that, they have done this drill seriously and got it right it. Please follow me on page number 99 ok page number 99 some verbs with main stress on the final syllable, I will say it first you will say it next.

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Now read the following words aloud with proper stresses in the suggested manner.

5. Verbs (with main stress on the final syllable)

aBIDE	abSORB	abSTAIN
acCEPT	acQUIT	adJUST
adMIRE	adMIT	afFECT
AGREE	appreHEND	arRANGE
arREST	asSESS	atTEST
augMENT	beGET	beGIN
beHAVE	capSIZE	caREER
caRESS	colLAPSE	comMIT
conCEAL	conCEDE	conCEIVE



aBIDE

aBIDE

abSORB

abSORB

abSTAIN

abSTAIN

acCEPT

acCEPT

acQUIT

acQUIT

adJUST

adJUST

adMIRE

adMIRE

adMIT

adMIT

afFECT

affect

Who can take over from me.

Agree

Agree

appreHEND

appreHEND

appreHEND

appreHEND

arRANGE

arRANGE

arREST

arREST

asSESS

asSESS

atTEST

atTEST

augMENT

augMENT

beGET

beGET

beGIN

beGIN

beHAVE

beHAVE

capSIZE

capSIZE

caREER

caREER

caRESS

caRESS

colLAPSE

colLAPSE

comMIT

comMIT

conCEAL

conCEAL

conCEDE

conCEDE

conCEIVE

conCEIVE

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conCLUDE	conCUR	conDENSE
conDOLE	conFER	conFESS
conFIDE	conFINE	conFIRM
conFORM	conFOUND	conFRONT
conFUSE	conNECT	conSIST
conSTRAIN	conTEST	contraDICT
conVENE	conVERT	conVEY
ConVINCE	CorRECT(v,a)	corRUPT(v,a)
creATE	creMATE	deCAY
deCIDE	deCLARE	deCLINE(v,a)
 CREE(n,v)	deFER	deFINE
deLAY	deLETE	deMAND (n,v)

conCLUDE

conCLUDE

conCUR

conCUR

conDENSE

conDENSE

conDOLE

conDOLE

conFER

Confer

Next who will next. Somebody please, no one from this rows behind please.

conFESS

conFESS

conFIDE

conFIDE

conFINE

conFINE

Go slow

conFIRM

conFIRM

conFORM,

conFORM

conFOUND

conFOUND

Go slow take your time.

conFRONT

conFRONT

conFUSE

conFUSE

conNECT

conNECT

conSIST

conSIST

conSTRAIN

conSTRAIN

conTEST

conTEST

contraDICT

contraDICT

contraDICT

contraDICT

conVENE

conVENE

conVERT

conVERT

conVEY

conVEY

conVINCE

conVINCE

corRECT

corRECT

Next anyone, it is time we will stop here, look at page number, there is an exercise on page number 107 when we meet here on Wednesday, I will ask each of you to do some words from here just pronounce these words and I expect you to get them right, please do this drill and you will find at you will became you English will become still better. Thank you have a good day.