

## Actividades CADI VIRTUAL

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<b>Nombre de la actividad</b>	<b>INGLÉS AMERICANO VS. INGLÉS BRITÁNICO</b>
<b>Idioma</b>	Inglés
<b>Nivel</b>	Nivel general
<b>Objetivo</b>	Identificar palabras utilizadas en el inglés americano y el inglés británico que tienen el mismo significado.
<b>Competencia lingüística a desarrollar</b>	Vocabulario y ortografía. Comprensión escrita.
<b>Estrategias</b>	Identificar vocabulario en contexto a través de la lectura de enunciados que contienen palabras del inglés americano o británico que tienen el mismo significado.
<b>Actividades</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Leer una lista con palabras sinónimas del inglés americano y otra con palabras del inglés británico con el mismo significado.  Unir las dos listas de palabras con su sinónimo. Utilizar un diccionario de ser necesario, para conocer el significado del nuevo vocabulario.</li><li>2. Hacer lectura de unos enunciados y escribir sobre una línea si la palabra marcada pertenece al inglés americano (A) o al inglés británico (B).</li></ol>
<b>Feedback</b>	Se deja hoja resuelta para revisar respuestas.

# AMERICAN VERSUS BRITISH

## WORDS



### EXERCISE 1. Match the two columns:

AMERICAN		BRITISH
sneakers		bin
eraser		shop
sweater		underground / tube
trash can		university
faucet		cinema
couch		cooker
apartment		film
college		trainers
vacation		toilet
stove		autumn
gas		wardrobe
bathroom		tap
pants		lorry
pitcher		lift
drugstore		taxi
movie theater		trousers
movie		tin
elevator		rubber
sidewalk		drapes
subway		sofa
fall		pavement
cab		jumper
bar		pub
closet		holiday
can		motorway
license plate		jug
truck		number plate
curtains		flat
highway		chemist
store		petrol

**EXERCISE 2- Decide whether the sentence is written in British or American English.**

**A American    B British**

1. Emma bought a new pair of **trainers**. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Louisa left **college** a year ago. \_\_\_\_\_
3. May I use your **toilet**? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Mark is wearing a nice pair of **trousers**. \_\_\_\_\_
5. I need to stop at the **chemist** to buy some pills. \_\_\_\_\_
6. Why don't we go to the **cinema** tonight? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Don't use the stairs, use the **elevator** instead. \_\_\_\_\_
8. Mr. Smith drives his **lorry** from time to time. \_\_\_\_\_
9. She needs to buy two **tins** of beans. \_\_\_\_\_
10. Monica works as a waitress in a **pub**. \_\_\_\_\_
11. May I borrow your **eraser**? \_\_\_\_\_
12. Put on your **sweater**. It's cold outside. \_\_\_\_\_
13. There is a little juice in the **jug**. \_\_\_\_\_
14. We always go on **vacation** in the summer. \_\_\_\_\_
15. We take the **subway** to go to school. \_\_\_\_\_
16. Let's see a **film** tonight! \_\_\_\_\_
18. Throw these bottles in the **trash can**, please. \_\_\_\_\_
19. My flatmate is moving to a new **flat** next month. \_\_\_\_\_
20. Hang these suits in the **wardrobe**, please. \_\_\_\_\_
21. The **highway** is closed. Let's take that road. \_\_\_\_\_
22. They work in a nearby **bookshop**. \_\_\_\_\_
23. Is there a **gas** station near here? \_\_\_\_\_

## Answer sheets

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**EXERCISE 2- Decide whether the sentence is written in British or American English.**

**A American    B British**

1. Emma bought a new pair of **trainers**. **B**
2. Louisa left **college** a year ago. **A**
3. May I use your **toilet**? **B**
4. Mark is wearing a nice pair of **trousers**. **B**
5. I need to stop at the **chemist** to buy some pills. **B**
6. Why don't we go to the **cinema** tonight? **B**
7. Don't use the stairs, use the **elevator** instead. **A**
8. Mr. Smith drives his **lorry** from time to time. **B**
9. She needs to buy two **tins** of beans. **B**
10. Monica works as a waitress in a **pub**. **B**
11. May I borrow your **eraser**? **A**
12. Put on your **sweater**. It's cold outside. **A**
13. There is a little juice in the **jug**. **B**
14. We always go on **vacation** in the summer. **A**
15. We take the **subway** to go to school. **A**
16. Let's see a **film** tonight! **B**
18. Throw these bottles in the **trash can**, please. **A**
19. My flatmate is moving to a new **flat** next month. **B**
20. Hang these suits in the **wardrobe**, please. **B**
21. The **highway** is closed. Let's take that road. **A**
22. They work in a nearby **bookshop**. **B**
23. Is there a **gas** station near here? **A**