

ENGLISH

¿QUE TANTO SABES DE **BUSINESS ENGLISH?**



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READING: CUSTOMER SERVICE

READ THE TEXT BELOW AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS

In today's competitive business landscape, exemplary customer service is **indispensable**. It entails addressing the **multifaceted** needs and concerns of customers with **alacrity** and professionalism. Outstanding customer service can **culminate** in heightened customer satisfaction, **engendering** loyalty and **propelling** positive word-of-mouth **endorsements**. Integral components encompass active listening, empathy, **articulate** communication, and **adept** problem-solving skills. By comprehending and anticipating customer **exigencies**, businesses can cultivate a positive experience that not only encourages repeat business but also fortifies long-term client relationships.

ANSWER TIME: IN THE NEXT ANSWERS PAGE, WRITE THE DEFINITIONS OF THE WORDS IN BOLD AND MAKE EXAMPLES WITH THEM

ANSWERS PAGE

MATCH: BUSINESS TERMS

MATCH THE WORDS WITH THE DEFINITIONS

Scalability	 ROI	
Leverage	 Market Segmentation	
Synergy	 Benchmarking	
Value Proposition	 SWOT Analysis	

- **A.** The ability of a business to grow and manage increased demand.
- **B.** Comparing business processes to industry best practices.
- **C.** Return on Investment; evaluating investment efficiency.
- **D.** Dividing a market into distinct groups with shared characteristics.
- **E.** Analyzing strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats.
- **F.** The combined effect of two entities that exceeds the sum of their individual effects.
- **G.** The unique value a product or service offers to customers.
- **H.** Using borrowed capital for (an investment), expecting the profits made to be greater than the interest payable.

TERMINOLOGY: NATIONAL TERMS

TERMINOLOGY IS DIFFERENT ON EACH COUNTRY: TRANSLATE THE TERMS TO THEIR ENGLISH VERSION

IVA
 Hacienda
 Declaración de la renta
 Factura
 Impuesto sobre Sociedades
 Proveedor
 Activos
 Capital Social

CORRECT ANSWERS

PART 1: READING

Indispensable

- **Definition:** Absolutely necessary; essential.
- **Example:** Effective communication skills are indispensable for success in the business world.

Multifaceted

- **Definition:** Having many aspects or sides.
- **Example:** The marketing strategy is multifaceted, incorporating social media, email campaigns, and direct sales.

Alacrity

- **Definition:** Brisk and cheerful readiness.
- **Example:** She accepted the new project with alacrity, eager to showcase her skills.

Culminate

- **Definition:** Reach a climax or point of highest development.
- **Example:** Months of hard work will culminate in the product launch event next week.

Engendering

- **Definition:** Causing or giving rise to.
- **Example:** The company's new policy is engendering a positive work environment.

Propelling

- **Definition:** Driving or pushing forward.
- **Example:** Innovation is propelling the company to new heights in the tech industry.

Endorsements

- **Definition:** Public or official statements of support or approval.
- **Example:** Celebrity endorsements can significantly boost a brand's visibility and sales.

Articulate

- **Definition:** Having or showing the ability to speak fluently and coherently.
- **Example:** During the meeting, she was articulate in expressing her ideas and suggestions.

Adept

- **Definition:** Very skilled or proficient at something.
- **Example:** He is adept at negotiating deals, often securing favorable terms for the company.

Exigencies

- **Definition:** Urgent needs or demands.
- **Example:** The exigencies of the project required the team to work overtime to meet the deadline.





NOTE: THE ONLINE
CAMBRIDGE
DICTIONARY IS A
REALLY GOOD TOOL

PART 2: MATCH

- 1-C 5-A
- 2-D 6-H
- 3-B 7-F
- 4-E 8-G

PART 3: TERMINOLOGY

- 1. VAT (Value Added Tax)
- 2. Tax Agency (or Treasury)
- 3. Income Tax Return
- 4. Invoice

- **5. Corporate Tax**
- 6. Supplier
- 7. Assets
- 8. Share Capital