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Command words

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## INTRODUCTION

Command words are the words and phrases used in exams and other assessment tasks that tell students how they should answer the question. The following command words list contains words and their meanings that are relevant to this subject:

### **Analyse**

Separate information into components and identify their characteristics.

### **Consider**

Review and respond to given information.

### **Discuss**

Present key points about different ideas or strengths and weaknesses of an idea.

### **Explore**

Investigate without preconceptions about the outcome.



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