

**Part 1: LISTENING British English “How to Sound Posh”**

	<b>Difficult word/phrase</b>	<b>Easier replacement</b>
1	posh	fancy
2	accent	special way of speaking/mark that shows emphasis
3	archaic	outdated
4	perhaps	maybe
5	similar	almost the same
6	bombarded	overloaded and overwhelmed with bullets, questions, requests, etc
7	allies	friends
8	specific	particular
9	the spectrum of	the range of
10	enunciation	clear speaking
11	splendid	great
12	ay	yes
13	indeed	in fact
14	articulation	clear speech/flexibility
15	absolutely	completely and totally
16	sentence	series of words that make sense and that have a subject and a verb
17	pronounce	say
18	pronounced	obvious
19	task	job

21	posher	fancier
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**Watch this video:**

[https://youtu.be/NjORh\\_1kDw](https://youtu.be/NjORh_1kDw)

**Part 2: READING and SPEAKING****Work in pairs and read the dialogue:**

YOUNG MAN: Hi there!

OLD MAN: Good evening!  
It's nice to be here ... that sort of thing ...

YOUNG MAN: I ... I'm sorry, who ... who are you?  
I'm here to do the Received Pronunciation, the RP posh accent.

OLD MAN: I believe you must be mistaken, I'm here to do the RP accent.

YOUNG MAN: Oh ... certainly we can work together, I don't mind  
If ... if it's ok with you.

OLD MAN: Very well, if we must ...

YOUNG MAN: Ok! Well, I suppose I'll represent the more modern RP,  
basically people who wish to  
show a level of intelligence or class in their speech  
will generally speak as I do.  
And I suppose you'd represent the more archaic,  
old-fashioned RP ...

OLD MAN: Old-fashioned?! I should wash your mouth up with soap and water!  
Yes, .. well...  
Perhaps, you should begin by telling them what RP is and is not.

YOUNG MAN: Ok, well, RP goes by many different names  
Standard English, Oxford English,  
The Queen's English, BBC English..  
Well, it is true, in the past,  
BBC news reporters were expected to speak in a similar style to the Queen.  
They would speak very upper-class.  
For example :  
Good evening! ...

**Part 3: VOCABULARY**

Write the number of the matching definition:

_____posh	<b>1:</b> fancy
_____accent	<b>2:</b> special way of speaking/mark that shows emphasis
_____bombaraded	<b>3:</b> outdated
_____allies	<b>4:</b> maybe
_____archaic	<b>5:</b> almost the same
_____specific	<b>6:</b> overloaded and overwhelmed with bullets, questions, requests, etc
_____similar	<b>7:</b> friends
_____perhaps	<b>8:</b> particular

**Part 4: GRAMMAR – Irregular Verbs**

Watch this video again: <https://youtu.be/gZzKe1BC2XU>

Read the verbs on this list: *Irregular Verbs Complete List*:

<https://www.gingersoftware.com/content/grammar-rules/verbs/list-of-irregular-verbs/>

Then do the verb exercises here (irregular verbs = oregelbundna verb): <https://webbapp.liber.se/focus-on-english-8/#/10-grammar>