

Which word in which category?

The **Cambridge Learner's Dictionary** includes some of the latest words to have entered the English language, such as *Chelsea tractor* and *cyberslacking*. You can find these and other very new words in a special section at the front of the dictionary (see pages xviii-xx), and other more established new words in the main dictionary.

A. The new words below are all in the **Cambridge Learner's Dictionary**. Use the dictionary to help you put each word in the correct category.

aromatherapy	e-ticket	wireless	agritourism	hard drive	picture messaging	voice-activated
ecotourism	cosmetic surgery	echinacea	low-calorie	e-learning	fridge-freezer	MRI
carbon emissions	convenience food	eco-friendly	climate change	offline	repetitive strain injury	
Bluetooth™	greenhouse gas	over-fishing	blog	personal trainer	spell-check	fat tax

Health	Technology	Environment	Food and drink

B. Work with a partner and answer the questions. Give reasons for your answers.

1. Which of the words in the table in exercise 'A' do you already know?
2. Which words do you think will stay in the language permanently?
3. Which words do you think will disappear after a period of time?
4. Study the words in each category. What changes in society do the words in each category suggest?
5. Do you have the equivalent of any of these words in your own language?
6. Which words are easy to remember?

C. Look at the 'new words' section at the front of the **Cambridge Learner's Dictionary**. Can you find any extra new words to put in each of the categories in exercise 'A'? Add any you find to the table.

