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# Weekly Vocabulary

Round 2: Week 13

**Academic Word:**    **adequate (adj)**    /'æd.ə.kwət/

Meaning:            to have enough of something or to be of a high enough quality

Collocations:      'less than adequate' / 'totally adequate' / 'an adequate amount of'

Examples:          The hospital does not have an adequate number of beds.



## General English Expression: 'better late than never'

Meaning:            Even if an action is being done late or a person is arriving late, it is better that it is happening at the later time than not at all.

Example:            "It took them a long time to understand that they had made a mistake, but better late than never."

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