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# Weekly Vocabulary

Round 2: Week 2

**Academic Word: community (n) /kə'mju:.nə.ti/**

**Meaning:** the people who live in a particular area, or a group of people who are considered as a unit because of their shared interests or background

**Collocations:** 'local community'  
'academic community'  
'to be part of a community'

**Examples:** There is a strong sense of community at Brunel University London as all departments are based on the single campus.



## General English Expression: 'I can't bear...'

**Meaning:** This is an informal way of saying that you really dislike or hate something.

**Example:** "I love going on holiday, but I can't bear waiting in airports."

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