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British to American
English: A Dictionary and
Guide to the English
Language--perfect for
every academician, whiz-
kid or bookworm looking
to conquer the language
barrier. "The Americans
are identical to the British
in all respects except, of

course, language." ~
Oscar Wilde Whether
you're travelling to Great
Britain or the United
States of America, or you
just want to understand
the differences in our
common language
divided, this unique
dictionary will answer all
of your questions. The
book contains a wide
array of British terms and
expressions and their
American equivalents;
coupled with a history of
the language, numerous
examples of its everyday
usage such as making
small talk, and customs

and etiquette. BRITISH vs.
AMERICAN ENGLISH. A
LIFESAVER? The guide
provides copious amounts
of valuable material by
covering the differences
between the British and
American English accents,
pronunciation, grammar,
spelling, as well as an A-Z
on idioms, a glossary of
common differences and
variations in slang, and
metaphors. The English
language is a West
Germanic language that
was first spoken in early
medieval England, and is
now the global lingua
franca. Travel back in

time to find out how the earliest spoken dialects of English were brought to Great Britain by Anglo-Saxon settlers back in the 5th century. Explore how English is closely related to the Frisian languages, and learn how its vocabulary has been significantly altered by other Germanic languages, including Latin and in particular French, after the Norman conquest of England in the 11th century. Part language guide, part cultural study. It's a superb addition to every

English language learner and linguists library. Filled with extensive quotations from authentic, real-life English from both sides of the pond (the Atlantic Ocean), this is an easy-to-follow, precise and organised guide which tackles the differences, and the similarities between the grammar of British and American speakers. The book is especially effective and useful for learners with no prior knowledge of linguistics, as it demonstrates the grammatical differences

and provides a sound account of contemporary English in use. William compares the customs, manners, and practical scenarios of everyday life in the United Kingdom and the United States. Furthermore, he wraps up with a humorous list of expressions that in one country are innocent, but that can be quite vulgar or suggestive in the other. Two large glossaries help travellers translate from British to American English with meanings such as: Flick knife (switchblade) Fringe

(bangs) Lorry (truck)
 Patience (solitaire) Peg
 (clothespin) Tollgate
 (turnpike) And more! Any
 visitor to Old Blighty or
 Uncle Sam can be brought
 right up to speed with the
 this handy A to Z on the
 most commonly used and
 the not so commonly used
 English words that can
 often cause confusion,
 bedlam, red faces and
 even cost you money if
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 definitions of more than
 12,000 slang and informal
 expressions from various
 sources, ranging from
 golden oldies such as . . .
 golden oldie, to recent
 coinages like shizzle
 (gangsta), jonx (Wall

Street), and ping (the
 Internet). Each entry is
 followed by examples
 illustrating how an
 expression is used in
 everyday conversation
 and, where necessary,
 International Phonetic
 Alphabet pronunciations
 are given, as well as
 cautionary notes for
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 taboo expressions. This
 edition also features a
 fascinating introduction
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 expressions by standard
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