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**4 term Foundation and International Year One,
Pre-Masters with Pre-sessional English and Academic English**

Pre-arrival task

Task:

In each of the sets below, one word or phrase is different.

Look at each set and decide which one is different and why.

Example

e.g. apple orange carrot banana

'Carrot' is the answer because all the others are fruits.

Now have a go at the groups below:

Think about grammar, spelling, style, meaning, or pronunciation,

Good luck

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|---|-------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|
| 1 | increase | go up | drop | rise |
| 2 | In addition | however | also | additionally |
| 3 | significant | big | sizeable | substantial |
| 4 | key issue | hot issue | important issue | major issue |
| 5 | advise | record | import | export |
| 6 | necessary | accommodation | separate | problem |