

# Word Bank

## TELEPHONE

**Question:** Which 5 words below are kinds of phones?



- A** answer the phone *phr.*  
area code *n.*
- B** bad connection *n.*  
busy *adj.*  
busy signal *n.*
- C** call *n., v.*  
caller *n.*
- ▶ cell phone *n.*  
collect call *n.*  
connect *v.*  
cordless phone *n.*  
“Could I speak to...?”  
country code *n.*
- D** dial *v.*  
dial tone *n.*
- directory *n.*  
disconnect *v.*
- E** extension number *n.*
- H** hang up *v.*  
“Hello.”  
hold *v.*  
hold on *v.*  
“Hold the line.”  
home phone *n.*
- I** international call *n.*
- L** land line *n.*  
leave a message *phr.*  
local call *n.*  
long distance *adj.*
- M** make a call *phr.*  
missed call *n.*  
mobile phone *n.*
- O** office number *n.*  
on hold *phr.*  
operator *n.*  
operator assisted *adj.*
- P** pay phone *n.*  
person-to-person *adj.*  
phone bill *n.*
- phone book *n.*  
phone booth *n.*  
phone call *n.*  
phone card *n.*  
phone company *n.*  
phone line *n.*  
phone number *n.*  
pick up *v.*  
prank call *n.*  
public phone *n.*
- R** recharge *v.*  
redial *v.*  
ring *n., v.*  
ring tone *n.*
- S** “Speaking.”  
SIM card *n.*
- T** take a message *phr.*  
telemarketer *n.*  
text *v.*  
text message *n.*  
toll free *adj.*
- V** voice mail *n.*
- W** wrong number *n.*
- Y** yellow pages *n.*

**Aims** Supplementary vocabulary building

**Level** Intermediate to Advanced

**ANSWER KEY***My Notes*

**Question:** “Which 5 words below are kinds of phones?”

cell phone; cordless phone; home phone;  
pay phone; public phone