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**PASS**

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## Intercambioidiomas

The next word in our vocabulary boost series is PASS. PASS is a high frequency verb that can be used as a synonym of *spend, live, have or give*. There are numerous collocations and phrasal verbs that are formed using PASS.

As recommended in our START method ([HERE](#)), you should always learn vocabulary as a short phrase and relate new words to synonyms and use them. Click ([HERE](#)) and ([HERE](#)) for advice on how to learn more vocabulary and [HERE](#) for an example of a great strategy to learn new words.



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Collocations:

To learn new collocations and word patterns you should create phrases using them and also do exercises ([HERE](#))

Pass the exam/test

Pass the course

Pass your driving test

Pass a landmark – go passed something without stopping

Pass the buck – not take responsibility for something

Pass for something – be taken for something

Pass the milk/water/bread – hand over to someone

A ski pass

A bus pass

Make a pass at someone – flirt with someone

Get a pass grade in

Get the pass mark in

Pass the ball to a teammate

Have a 5-day pass

Make a pass

A mountain pass – path/route



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Phrasal verbs:

The learning of phrasal verbs is best done using this method ([HERE](#))

Pass out – faint

*It was so hot that the kids were about to pass out*

Pass away – die (normally as a result of old age)

*My grandfather passed away at the age of 88*

Pass through – travel across

*We will not stay the night here; we are just passing through the region*

Pass up on – not choose

*We passed up (on) the opportunity to buy the house as the price was too high*

Pass around – distribute

*When you have looked at the document, you should pass it around the room*

Pass by – miss an opportunity

*It is an opportunity that you shouldn't let pass by*

Pass by – visit briefly

*We passed my Maria's house before going out*

Pass on – die

*The patient passed on at about 6pm*



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Pass on – give a message to someone

*Could you pass on a message to your boss, please?*

Pass off as – be mistaken for

*He passed off as a tourist*

To learn how to use PASS you need to practice and put these words and collocations into your own words to be able to remember them.