

Vocabulary check: South America

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Out cold	Sheared off
Polaroid camera	Walkman recorder
malaria	Fumes

Anthropologist (noun)

Definition:

Someone who studies people in the past and present

In context:

The anthropologist investigated how the Incas live.

Splint (noun)

Definition:

A material that supports broken bone.

In context:

The doctor put a splint on
the broken bone

Out cold (verb)

Definition:

Someone passed out/unconscious

In context:

The person was out cold on the floor.

Sheared off (verb)

Definition:

Cut off/broke

Synonym:

The key sheared off in the lock

Polaroid camera (noun)

Definition:

A camera that takes pictures and prints them straight away.

In context:

The man used a polaroid camera to take a picture of a view

Walkman (noun)

Definition:

An old music player

In Context

The girl listen to her music on the Walkman.

Malaria (noun)

Definition:

An illness you can catch from mosquitos

In context:

Katie thought she might have malaria

fumes (noun)

Definition:

A strong smell that comes off a fire and other things

In context: The fumes from the fire could be smelt for miles around.