

# Vocabulary

## Collocations with make

| Word                        | Meaning (English)   | Example   | Meaning (Russian)  |
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| <b>make a mess</b>          | To make a place untidy or dirty; to create a difficult, complicated situation; to produce a large amount of something (e.g. animal waste) | <i>The children made a mess in the kitchen while baking cookies. The company's financial troubles made a real mess of their expansion plans. The dog made a mess on the carpet.</i> | Создавать беспорядок, грязь; создавать трудную ситуацию; производить много чего-либо (например, экскрементов животных) |
| <b>make a noise</b>         | To produce a loud sound   | <i>The construction workers made a lot of noise early in the morning.</i>   | Создавать шум / идиома – жаловаться громко   |
| <b>make a phone call</b>    | To call someone on the telephone  | <i>I need to make a phone call to my friend to discuss our plans.</i>   | Сделать телефонный звонок  |
| <b>make/be friends with</b> | To develop a friendly relationship with someone   | <i>It's important for children to make friends at school.</i>   | Заводить друзей  |
| <b>make the bed</b>         | To tidy and straighten the bedding  | <i>I always make my bed in the morning before leaving the house.</i>  | Заправлять постель   |
| <b>make someone smile</b>   | To cause someone to feel happy and cheerful   | <i>Your kind words made me smile today.</i>   | Заставлять кого-либо улыбаться   |
| <b>make a joke</b>          | To say something funny or amusing, sometimes inappropriately about a serious matter   | <i>He made an insensitive joke about the accident that upset many people.</i>   | Рассказывать шутку, иногда неуместно о чём-то серьезном  |
| <b>make an effort</b>       | To try hard to do something   | <i>I will make every effort to complete the project on time.</i>  | Прилагать усилия   |
| <b>make a mistake</b>       | To do something incorrectly or wrongly  | <i>Everyone makes mistakes, it's a part of learning.</i>  | Совершать ошибку   |

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| <b>make a meal of sth</b>  | to spend a lot of time, energy, etc. doing sth in a way that other people think is unnecessary and/or annoying                | <i>I enjoy making meals for my family to show my love. She made a real meal of cleaning the house, taking hours to do a simple task.</i>                        | Чрезмерно тратить время, энергию и т.д. на что-либо, что другие считают ненужным и/или раздражающим, хватить через край              |
| <b>make a lot of money</b>   | To earn a large amount of money   | <i>Some people make a lot of money working in the tech industry.</i>  | Зарабатывать много денег, не только заработок, но и другие способы получения денег, например, инвестиции, бизнес, азартные игры т.д. |
| <b>make a decision</b><br>(on / about sth)  <br>decision (to do sth)           | To choose a course of action  | <i>I need to make a decision about which university to attend.</i>  | Принимать решение<br>make progress   |
| <b>make progress</b>   | To move forward or advance, the process of improving or developing, or of getting nearer to achieving or completing something | <i>With hard work and dedication, you can make progress in your career.</i><br><b>slow / steady / rapid / good / economic / scientific / technical progress</b> | Добиваться прогресса   |
| <b>make arrangements</b><br>(for smth) / with sb                               | To plan or organize something, agreement that you make with sb that you can both accept                                       | <i>I need to make arrangements for my sister's birthday party. /<b>come to an arrangement</b></i>   | Делать приготовления, приходить к соглашению   |
| <b>make an agreement with sb</b>   | To come to a mutual understanding   | <i>The two companies made an agreement to work together. /<b>reach an agreement</b></i>   | Заключать соглашение   |
| <b>make a suggestion</b><br>(for / about / on sth)  <br>suggestion (that ... ) | To propose an idea or plan  | <i>I'd like to make a suggestion about how we can improve the project.</i>  | Делать предложение   |
| <b>make a cup of tea</b>   | To prepare a cup of tea   | <i>I'll make a cup of tea for us to enjoy while we chat.</i>  | Заваривать чашку чая   |

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| <b>make war</b>                      | To engage in armed conflict   | <i>Some countries make war to resolve political disputes.</i>   | Вести войну   |
| <b>make an attempt</b>               | To try to do something  | <i>I will make another attempt to solve the problem.</i>  | Предпринимать попытку   |
| <b>make the best of</b>              | To make the most of a situation   | <i>Even though the weather is bad, let's make the best of it and go for a walk.</i>   | Использовать наилучшим образом ситуацию                               |
| <b>make an excuse</b>                | To give a reason for not doing something  | <i>He made an excuse for being late to the meeting.</i>   | Придумывать оправдание  |
| <b>make a profit</b>                 | To earn more money than was spent   | <i>The company aims to make a profit from selling its products.</i>   | Получать прибыль  |
| <b>make a loss</b>                   | To spend more money than was earned   | <i>The business made a loss last year due to high costs.</i>  | Нести убытки  |
| <b>make love</b>                     | To engage in sexual activity  | <i>Married couples often make love to express their affection.</i>  | Заниматься любовью  |
| <b>make the most of</b>              | To take full advantage of a situation   | <i>Let's make the most of our vacation and explore as much as possible.</i>   | Использовать максимально ситуацию                                     |
| <b>make a good or bad impression</b> | To create a positive or negative opinion in someone's mind  | <i>It's important to make a good impression during a job interview.</i>   | Производить хорошее или плохое впечатление                            |
| <b>make a success of</b>             | To achieve success in something   | <i>With hard work and dedication, he made a success of his business.</i>  | Добиваться успеха   |
| <b>make a point of</b>               | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To make a special effort to do something</li> <li>To state or emphasize an opinion, idea, or detail</li> </ol> | <p><i>I make a point of exercising regularly to stay healthy.</i></p> <p><i>The speaker made a point of highlighting the importance of the issue.</i></p> | <p>Делать особое усилие /</p> <p>Высказывать мнение, идею, деталь</p> |

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| <b>make allowances for</b>      | <p>make allowances (for sb) to allow sb to behave in a way that you would not usually accept, because of a problem or because there is a special reason</p> <p>to consider sth, for example when you are making a decision or planning sth</p> | <p>We should make allowances for the fact that he is new to the job.</p> <p>The budget made allowance for inflation. The plan makes no allowance for people working at different rates.</p> | Делать поправки, учитывать обстоятельства                             |
| <b>make a gesture</b>           | To make a symbolic action  | He made a gesture of goodwill by donating to the charity.   | Делать жест   |
| <b>make a face</b>              | To distort one's facial features to express an emotion   | The child made a face when he tasted the bitter medicine.   | Корчить гримасу   |
| <b>make fun of</b>              | To laugh at or mock someone  | It's not nice to make fun of people who are different.  | Насмеяться над кем-либо   |
| <b>make a fuss of</b>           | To give a lot of attention and affection to someone  | The grandparents always make a fuss of their grandchildren when they visit.   | Баловать, "суетиться", вокруг, проявляя чрезмерную заботу и внимание. |
| <b>make a go (a success) of</b> | To succeed in doing something  | With hard work and determination, he made a go of his new business venture.   | Добиваться успеха   |