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**etc**

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**etc.** *BrE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *AmE* <sup>ˈ</sup> (also **etc** *British English*) /et 'setərə/ *adverb***(et cetera)** used in writing after a list to show that there are many other similar things or people that you could have added:

▪ a shop which sells cards, calendars, wrapping paper etc

**etc. etc.** (=used when you are rather bored or annoyed by the list you are giving)

▪ The letter says pay at once, they've reminded us before etc. etc.

**REGISTER**When writing essays, articles, or business letters, people usually avoid using **etc.** or **etcetera**, and write the sentence another way using **such as**:▪ *feelings of jealousy, anger, hatred, etc.* → feelings such as jealousy, anger, or hatred

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**THESAURUS**▪ **etc.** used when you want to say that there are many other examples of things of the same kind. The full form is **et cetera**, but this is rarely used. Don't use **etc.** in essays or formal writing: They asked me about my past experience, qualifications etc. |

Precise details of times, dates etc. should be recorded.

▪ **such as** used before one or more nouns to say that there are many other examples of the same kind. It is better to use **such as** rather than **etc.** in essays and formal writing: It is best to avoid drinks such as tea, coffee or alcohol. | a distressing event such as the break-up of a marriage▪ **to name (but) a few** used after examples of something when saying that there are many more you could have mentioned: Our daily activities include tennis, swimming, darts, snooker to name but a few.▪ **and so on** *spoken* used in spoken English when you want to say that there are other examples of things of the same kind. Don't use **and so on** in essays or formal writing – it sounds too vague: You can do things to look after yourself in the way of diet, exercise, not smoking and so on.▪ **and many others** and many other people or things: The book includes poems by Christina Rossetti, William Blake and many others. | The college offers courses in maths, physics, computer science and many others.**etc**

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