

This is a list of vocabulary items related to brain drain

Brain:

- a. The portion of the head which is the primary center for the regulation and control of bodily activities, receiving and interpreting sensory impulses, and transmitting information to the muscles and body organs. It is also the seat of consciousness, thought, memory, and emotion.
- b. Intellectual ability; mind: a dull **brain**; a quick **brain**.
- c. Intellectual power; intelligence. Often used in the plural: "he has **brains** and good looks."
- d. A highly intelligent person. "He's such a **brain**"

Brain drain:

A large emigration of individuals with technical skills or knowledge, normally due to conflict, lack of opportunity, political instability, or health risks.

Human capital flight:

Another terminology for **brain drain**. It is a parallel of *capital flight* which refers to the same movement of financial capital. It describes the emigration of "scientists and technologists" to North America and Europe from different developing countries.

Brain training:

Preparing highly skilled people needed for the development of a country. **Brain training** is related to an economic cost since training is sponsored by the government.

Brain gain:

to live in a different country.

There are strict limits on immigration (into the country)

The person who immigrates is an **immigrant**.

Highly-qualified:

Highly skilled, technically qualified people.

Developing country:

A poor or non industrial country that is seeking to develop its resources by industrialization. It has a relatively low standard of living, an undeveloped industrial base, and a moderate to low Human Development Index (HDI) score.

Developed country:

A country advanced in industrial capability, technological sophistication, and economic productivity. Modern terms synonymous with the term **developed country** include: "**industrialized countries, more developed countries** (MDC) **more economically developed countries**(MEDC), **advanced country** or **post-industrial country**."

Do the exercise below on the vocabulary related to brain drain**Choose the right words:**

1. A lot of countries are facing the challenge of human capital
2. Something should be done to..... this phenomenon.
3. One way to deal with this problem is to provide high and good working for highly people to keep them in their country.
4. Brain occurs when countries receive qualified people.