

bookie['bʊki] *n* *разг.*букмекер (*на скачках*)**bookie**

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

bookie [bookie bookies] *BrE* ['bʊki] ^m *NAmE* ['bʊki] ^m *noun* (informal)

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

I. bookie /'bʊki/ *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m *noun* [countable] *informal*

[Date: 1800-1900; Origin: bookmaker]

a ↑bookmaker

II. bookmaker /'bʊk,meɪkə \$ -ər/ *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m (also **bookie** *informal*) *noun* [countable]

[Date: 1800-1900; Origin: book 'list of bets made' (19-21 centuries) + maker]

someone whose job is to collect money that people want to risk on the result of a race, competition etc, and who pays them if they guess correctly

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