eclectic

- **1.** [I'klektik] *n*
- эклектик
- 2. [I'klektik] a
 - 1. эклектический
 - eclectic method [system, school] эклектический метод [-ая система, школа]
 - 2. амер. ист. лечащий травами
 - eclectic medicine лечение травами
 - eclectic physician врач-травник

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eclec-tic [eclectic eclectics] BrE [I'klektIk] NAmE [I'klektIk] (formal)

not following one style or set of ideas but choosing from or using a wide variety

- · She has very eclectic tastes in literature.
- His house is an eclectic mixture of the antique and the modern. Derived Words teclectically = teclecticism

Word Origin:

late 17th cent. (as a term in philosophy): from Greek eklektikos, from eklegein 'pick out', from ek 'out' + legein 'choose'.

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I. e clec tic¹/I'klektIk/ BrE AmE adjective

[Date: 1600-1700, Language: Greek, Origin: eklektikos, from eklegein 'to choose']

including a mixture of many different things or people, especially so that you can use the best of all of them SYN diverse:

- galleries with an eclectic range of styles and artists
- an eclectic mixture of 18th and 19th century furniture

-eclectically /-kli/ adverb

-eclecticism /-tisizem/ noun [uncountable]

II. eclectic² BrE^{*} AmE noun [countable]

formal someone who chooses the best or most useful parts from many different ideas, methods etc

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