

bread1. [bred] *n*

1. 1) хлеб

stale [new] bread - чёрствый [свежий] хлеб

white bread - белый хлеб

brown bread - а) хлеб из непросеянной муки (*в Великобритании*); б) тёмный хлеб из пшеницы *или* ржи, смешанной с кукурузой

black bread - чёрный хлеб

a slice of bread - ломтик хлеба

to raise /to set/ bread - ставить тесто на дрожжах

2) *собир.* пища, еда

2. 1) средства к существованию

to make /to earn/ one's bread - зарабатывать на хлеб

2) *сл.* деньги, гроши

◇ daily bread - хлеб насущный

bread and wine - причастие

bread and salt - хлеб-соль

bread upon the waters - добрые дела /благоденствия/, совершаемые бескорыстно, без расчёта на оплату

to take the bread out of smb.'s mouth - отбивать хлеб у кого-л.

to eat the bread of affliction - ≅ хлебнуть горя

to eat the bread of idleness - вести праздную жизнь

to break bread - а) есть; б) *церк.* причащаться

to break bread with smb. - а) разделить трапезу с кем-л.; б) пользоваться чьим-л. гостеприимством

bread buttered on both sides - благоприятные обстоятельства, обеспеченность, достаток

to know on which side one's bread is buttered - знать свою выгоду, быть себе на уме; ≅ губа не дура, знает, что сладко

to quarrel with one's bread and butter - действовать вопреки своей выгоде

half a loaf is better than no bread - *посл.* ≅ на безрыбье и рак рыба

2. [bred] *v*

обваливать в сухарях, панировать

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bread [bread breads breaded **bre**ading] *BrE* [bred] ^m *NAmE* [bred] ^m **noun**

uncountable

1. a type of food made from flour, water and usually ↑yeast mixed together and baked

• a loaf/slice/piece of bread

• white/brown/wholemeal bread

see also ↑crispbread, ↑French bread, ↑gingerbread

2. (old-fashioned, slang) money

more at your daily bread **at** ↑daily *adj.*, half a loaf is better than no bread **at** ↑half *det.*, know which side your bread is buttered **at**

↑know *v.*, the best thing since sliced bread **at** sliced

| **idiom** | take the bread out of somebody's mouth

Word Origin:

Old English brēad, of Germanic origin; related to Dutch brood and German Brot.

Example Bank:

- He had to live on bread and water for two weeks.
- People started going up to receive the bread and wine.
- She tore off a large hunk of bread.
- This bread is going stale.
- What would you like on your bread?
- a plate of bread and butter
- bread thickly spread with peanut butter
- bread thickly spread with plum jam
- loaves of crusty French bread
- some nice crusty white bread
- the smell of freshly baked bread

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[Language: Old English]



1. a type of food made from flour and water that is mixed together and then baked:
 - Would you like some bread with your soup?
 - a loaf of brown bread
 - a piece of bread and butter
2. **your/sb's bread and butter** *informal* the work that provides you with most of the money that you need in order to live:
Writing is my bread and butter.
3. **know which side your bread is buttered on** *informal* to know which people to be nice to in order to get advantages for yourself
4. *old-fashioned informal* money

COLLOCATIONS

■ adjectives

- **fresh** Eat the bread while it's nice and fresh.
- **stale** (=hard and no longer fresh) This bread's stale – shall I throw it away?
- **crusty** (=having a hard crust that is nice to eat) Serve the soup with crusty bread.
- **mouldy** *British English, moldy American English* (=covered with a green substance that grows on old food) All there was in the house was a loaf of mouldy old bread.
- **white/brown bread** Would you like white bread or brown bread?
- **wholewheat bread** (also **wholemeal bread** *British English*) (=bread made with flour that contains all of the grain)
Wholemeal bread is good for you.
- **home-made /home-baked bread** I love home-made bread.

■ phrases

- **a slice/piece of bread** Can I have another slice of bread?
- **a loaf of bread** He's gone to buy a loaf of bread.
- **a chunk of bread** (=a piece that you pull off a loaf instead of cutting it) He tore off a chunk of bread and dipped it in the sauce.

■ verbs

- **make/bake bread** We usually make our own bread.
- **cut/slice bread** Could you cut some bread?

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