

universal1. [ju:nɪ'ver's(ə)s] *n*1. **спец.** универсалия

universals of language, linguistic universals - языковые универсалии

2. **филос.**

1) (the universal) всеобщее, общее

2) метафизическое бытие

3) «сам», это

2. [ju:nɪ'ver's(ə)s] *a*

1. 1) всеобщий

met with universal applause - встреченный всеобщим одобрением

universal rule - правило, не имеющее исключений

universal suffrage - всеобщее избирательное право

universal and over-all disarmament - всеобщее и полное разоружение

universal agent - генеральный агент /представители/

2) широко распространённый

a universal practice among primitive people - обычай, широко распространённый среди первобытных людей

war causes universal misery - война приносит всем страдания

television provides universal entertainment - телевидение развлекает широкую публику

3) всемирный

universal importance - мировое значение

universal money - **полит.-эк** всемирные деньги

Universal Postal Union - Всемирный почтовый союз

universal gravitation - **физ.** всемирное тяготение

2. 1) универсальный

universal donor - универсальный донор

universal joint - **mex.** кардан, универсальный шарнир

he has a universal mind - у него универсальный ум

Leonardo da Vinci was a universal genius - Леонардо да Винчи был гением-универсалом

2) лог. универсальный

universal class [sentence] - универсальный класс [-ое высказывание]

universal quantifier - квантор общности

3. **филос.** мировой

universal spirit - мировой дух

universal cause - а) первопричина; б) бог, творец

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universal**uni·ver·sal** [universal universals] *BrE* [ju:nɪ'ver's(ə)s] *NAmE* [ju:nɪ'ver's(ə)s]**adjective**

1. done by or involving all the people in the world or in a particular group

- Such problems are a universal feature of old age.
- Agreement on this issue is almost universal
- universal suffrage** (= the right of all the people in a country to vote)

2. true or right at all times and in all places

- universal facts about human nature

Derived Word **↑universality**Word Origin:late Middle English: from Old French, or from Latin **universalis**, from **universus** 'combined into one, whole', from **uni-** 'one' + **versus** 'turned' (past participle of **vertere**).Example Bank:

- These practices remain universal among the islanders.
- a plan that is universal in scope
- supposedly universal standards
- A representative assembly is a near universal feature of modern democracies.
- Initially there was no universal agreement about what constituted a group.
- The country held its first general election with universal suffrage in 1931.
- The increase in crime has been a universal phenomenon.
- The party wanted to introduce a universal health care system.
- There was universal disgust at what he had done.

universal**u·ni·ver·sal** **W3** /ju:nɪ'ver's(ə)s, ju:nɪ'ver's(ə)s/ *-3ərl-BrE* *AmE* **adjective**

1. involving everyone in the world or in a particular group:

- free universal health care
- These stories have universal appeal.
- a topic of universal interest
- a democracy based on universal suffrage (=when every adult has the right to vote)

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2. true or suitable in every situation:

a universal truth

—**universally** *adverb*

—**universality** /ju'nevər'saliti/ *noun* [uncountable]

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