

**album**['ælbəm] *n*

1. 1) альбом
- 2) альбом пластинок
2. 1) долгоиграющая пластинка; долгоиграющий диск
- 2) магнитофонная запись длительного звучания
3. антология, сборник (*стихов, миниатюр и т. п.*)
4. *амер.* книга посетителей
5. альбом для вырезок (*из газет, журналов и т. п.*)
6. (белая) таблица (*для записи эдиктов, списков сенаторов и судей в Древнем Риме*)

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**album** [album albums] *BrE* ['ælbəm] <sup>u</sup> *NAmE* ['ælbəm] <sup>u</sup> **noun**

1. a book in which you keep photographs, stamps, etc
  - a photo album
  - an online album (= a website where you can store and view photographs)
2. a collection of pieces of music released as a single item, usually on a CD, ↑*cassette*, or on the Internet
  - the band's latest album
  - an online album (= an album that you can listen to on the Internet)

**compare** ↑*single*Word Origin:

early 17th cent.: from Latin, neuter of *albus* 'white' used as a noun meaning a blank tablet. Taken into English from the German use of the Latin phrase *album amicorum* 'album of friends' (a blank book in which autographs, drawings, poems, etc. were collected), it was originally used consciously as a Latin word.

Collocations:**Music***Listening*

**listen to/enjoy/love/be into** music/classical music/jazz/pop/hip-hop, etc.  
**listen to the radio/an MP3 player/a CD**  
**put on/play** a CD/a song/some music  
**turn down/up** the music/radio/volume/bass  
**go to** a concert/festival/gig/performance/recital  
**copy/burn/rip** music/a CD/a DVD  
**download** music/an album/a song/a demo/a video

*Playing*

**play** a musical instrument/the piano/percussion/a note/a riff/the melody/a concerto/a duet/by ear  
**sing** an anthem/a ballad/a solo/an aria/the blues/in a choir/soprano/alto/tenor/bass/out of tune  
**hum** a tune/a theme tune/a lullaby  
**accompany** a singer/choir  
**strum** a chord/guitar

*Performing*

**form/start/get together/join/quit/leave** a band  
**give** a performance/concert/recital  
**do** a concert/recital/gig  
**play** a concert/gig/festival/venue  
**perform** (*BrE*) at/in a concert/(*especially NAmE*) a concert  
**appear** at a festival/live  
**go on/embark on** a (world) tour

*Recording*

**write/compose** music/a ballad/a melody/a tune/a song/a theme song/an opera/a symphony  
**land/get/sign** a record deal  
**be signed to/be dropped** by a record company  
**record/release/put out** an album/a single/a CD  
**be top of/top** the charts  
**get to/go straight to/go straight in at/enter** the charts at number one

Example Bank:

- His latest album comes out in the spring.
- I keep the photographs in an album.
- It's the singer's first solo album.
- She has not put out a new album this year.
- The band is working on a concept album about Nostradamus.
- The singer recorded her second album in Los Angeles.
- Their best-selling album has won three awards.
- Their new album has been getting good reviews.
- You can download an entire album with a click of a mouse.

**album**al|bum **S3 W3** /'ælbəm/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [countable][Date: 1600-1700; Language: Latin; Origin: *'unused surface for writing on'*, from albus *'white'*]

1. a group of songs or pieces of music on a ↑CD, tape etc:

▪ The band plan to release their new album next week.

2. a book that you put photographs, stamps etc in:

▪ a photograph album

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