

orientation

[ˌɔːrɪən'teɪʃ(ə)n, ɔːrɪən'teɪʃ(ə)n]-n

- 1) ориентировка, ориентация, ориентирование
imperfect orientation - плохая ориентировка
- 2) ориентирование (*карты, планшета и т. п.*)
2. направление, курс; ориентация
the present orientation of the country's policy - нынешний (внешне)политический курс страны
3. координирование
4. **воен.** политическая информация
orientation officer - **амер. воен.** офицер по пропаганде среди личного состава
5. 1) направление на восток
2) расположение (*относительно чего-л.*); направление в определённую сторону
6. **мор.** определение места (*судна*)
7. **психиатр.** способность разобратся в окружающем мире

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orien-ta-tion **AW** [orientation orientations] **BrE** [ˌɔːrɪənˈteɪʃən] **NAmE**[ˌɔːrɪənˈteɪʃən] **noun**

1. **uncountable, countable** the type of aims or interests that a person or an organization has; the act of directing your aims towards a particular thing
 - The course is essentially theoretical in orientation.
 - ~ **to/towards sth** Companies have been forced into a greater orientation to the market.
2. **uncountable, countable** a person's basic beliefs or feelings about a particular subject
 - **religious/political orientation**
 - a person's **sexual orientation** (= whether they are attracted to men, women or both)
3. **uncountable** training or information that you are given before starting a new job, course, etc
 - an orientation course
4. **countable (technical)** the direction in which an object faces
 - The orientation of the planet's orbit is changing continuously.

Word Origin:

mid 19th cent.: apparently from ↑orient.

Example Bank:

- He belonged to a group with a specific religious and political orientation.
- People over 55 tended to have a strong leisure orientation.
- The classes are essentially theoretical in orientation.
- Their whole orientation is towards greater involvement of the community.
- We need to change our philosophical orientation.
- legislation forbidding discrimination on the grounds of sexual orientation

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orien-ta-tion **AC** /ˌɔːrɪənˈteɪʃən, ɔːri-ˈʃən/ **BrE** ^ˈ **AmE** ^ˈ **noun formal**

[Word Family: verb: ↑orient; noun: ↑orientation]

1. [**uncountable and countable**] the type of activity or subject that a person or organization seems most interested in and gives most attention to
 - orientation towards/to**
 - The company needs to develop a stronger orientation towards marketing its products.
 - How can we get students to adopt a serious orientation to learning?
 - orientation of**
 - He was unhappy with the commercial orientation of the organization.
2. [**uncountable and countable**] the political opinions or religious beliefs that someone has
 - political/religious orientation**
 - The meeting is open to everyone, whatever their political or religious orientation.
 - The party has a broadly socialist orientation.
3. **sexual orientation** the fact that someone is ↑heterosexual or ↑homosexual:
 - Discrimination on the grounds of sexual orientation is still far too widespread.
4. [**uncountable**] a period of time during which people are trained and prepared for a new job or course of study:
 - This is orientation week for all the new students.
5. [**countable**] the angle or position of an object, or the direction in which it is facing

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