

**masculine**1. ['mæskjʊlɪn] *n*1. *грам.*

1) мужской род

2) слово мужского рода

2. лицо мужского пола; мужчина; мальчик

2. ['mæskjʊlɪn] *a*

1. мужской

masculine attire - мужская одежда

masculine descent - потомство мужского пола

2. 1) *грам.* мужского рода

masculine noun - существительное мужского рода

2) *стих.* мужской (о рифме)

3. мужественный; сильный, энергичный

masculine features - мужественные черты лица

4. мужеподобный (о женщине)

**masculine**

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**mas·cu·line** [masculine masculines] *adjective, noun* BrE ['mæskjəlɪn] <sup>m</sup> NAmE

['mæskjəlɪn]

*adjective*

1. having the qualities or appearance considered to be typical of men; connected with or like men

• He was handsome and strong, and very masculine.

• That suit makes her look very masculine.

**compare** ↑feminine, ↑male2. (*grammar*) belonging to a class of words that refer to male people or animals and often have a special form

• 'He' and 'him' are masculine pronouns.

3. (*grammar*) (in some languages) belonging to a class of nouns, pronouns or adjectives that have masculine ↑gender, not ↑feminine or ↑neuter

• The French word for 'sun' is masculine.

Word Origin:late Middle English (in grammatical use): via Old French from Latin *masculus*, from *masculus* 'male'.Example Bank:

• She has a very masculine face.

• That's a typically masculine attitude!

• The ceremony is exclusively masculine.

• We assume that stereotypically masculine traits are more suited to the military.

• an environment which is heavily masculine

• the severely masculine cut of his suit

• women entering traditionally masculine domains such as construction

*noun*1. **the masculine singular** the ↑masculine ↑gender (= form of nouns, adjectives and pronouns)2. **countable** a ↑masculine word or word form**compare** ↑feminine, ↑neuterWord Origin:late Middle English (in grammatical use): via Old French from Latin *masculus*, from *masculus* 'male'.**masculine**

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**mas·cu·line** /'mæskjələn, 'mæskjʊlən/ BrE <sup>m</sup> AmE <sup>m</sup> *adjective*[Date: 1300-1400; Language: French; Origin: Latin *masculus*, from *masculus* 'male', from *mas* 'male']1. having qualities considered to be typical of men or of what men do **OPP feminine** :

• They're nice curtains, but I'd prefer something a little more masculine.

• She has a very masculine voice.

• Hunting was a typically masculine occupation.

2. in some languages, a masculine noun, ↑pronoun etc belongs to a class of words that have different ↑inflections from ↑feminine or ↑neuter words:

• The word for 'book' is masculine in French.

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## ■ relating to men

• **male adjective** a male teacher, singer etc is a man. Male jobs are the kind of jobs that men typically do: Most science teachers are male. | a male nurse | We are trying to recruit more women to do traditionally male jobs such as engineering.• **masculine** considered to be more typical of a man than of a woman: He had a very masculine face. | masculine aggression

- **manly** having the qualities that people expect and admire in a man, such as being brave and strong: He took off his shirt, revealing his manly chest. | It isn't considered manly to cry. | In the portrait, the King looked manly and in control. | He was bronzed and athletic, with manly features and a steady gaze.
- **macho** behaving in a way that is traditionally typical of men, for example by being strong and tough and not showing your feelings – used especially either humorously or to show disapproval: On the outside he may seem to be very macho but inside he's very sensitive. | Stallone always plays macho men. | He's far too macho to drink mineral water.

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## masculine

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