

**militia**[mɪˈlɪʃə] *n*

1. милиция
2. *uclm.* народное ополчение; милиционная армия  
militia army - *uclm.* милиционная армия; территориальная армия

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**mili-tia** [militia militias] *BrE* [məˈlɪʃə] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAme* [məˈlɪʃə] <sup>ˈ</sup> **noun singular + singular or plural verb**

a group of people who are not professional soldiers but who have had military training and can act as an army

Word Origin:

late 16th cent.: from Latin, literally military service, from *miles*, *milit-* 'soldier'.

Example Bank:

- He said he would call out the state militia if the rebels did not surrender.
- The anarchists started to form volunteer militias.
- a highly armed militia

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[**Word Family:** **noun:** ↑militancy, ↑militant, the military, ↑militia, ↑militarism, ↑militarist; **adjective:** ↑military, ↑militant, ↑militaristic, ↑militarized; **adverb:** ↑militantly, ↑militarily]

[**Date:** 1500-1600; **Language:** Latin; **Origin:** 'military service', from *miles*; ⇨ ↑military<sup>1</sup>]

a group of people trained as soldiers, who are not part of the permanent army:

- ˈ He joined the local militia as soon as he was 16.
- ˈ a militia leader
- ˈ a left-wing militia group

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