

parsley

['pɑ:slɪ] *n* *botm.*

петрушка (*Petroselinum gen.*)

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

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pars·ley *BrE* ['pɑːslɪ] *NAmE* ['pɑːrsli] *noun*
uncountable



a plant with curly green leaves that are used in cooking as a **↑herb** and to decorate food

- fish with parsley sauce

see also **↑cow parsley**

Word Origin:

[**parsley**] Old English *petersilie*, via late Latin based on Greek *petroselinon*, from *petra* 'rock' + *selinon* 'parsley', influenced in Middle English by Old French *peresil*, of the same origin.

Example Bank:

- The eggs are sprinkled with coarsely chopped parsley.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[**Date:** 1000-1100; **Language:** Vulgar Latin; **Origin:** *petrosilium*, from Latin *petroselinum*, from Greek, from *petros* 'stone' + *selinon* 'celery']

a herb with curly leaves, used in cooking or as decoration on food

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