

sideline

1. ['saɪdlaɪn] *n*

- 1) боковая линия
- 2) *спорт.* боковая линия (*площадки*)
- 3) *обыкн. pl* места за пределами спортивной площадки, арены, поля *и т. п.*
his injury put him on the sidelines for the rest of the season - травма вывела его из игры до конца сезона
- 4) *обыкн. pl* места зрителей, позиция человека, не участвующего в игре, в акции *и т. п.*
to be on the sidelines - быть пассивным наблюдателем (*чего-л.*)
2. *ж.-д.* боковая ветка
3. 1) побочная работа; побочные занятия
to breed poultry as a sideline - разводить кур для дополнительного заработка
- 2) дополнительная группа товаров (*в ассортименте магазина*)
a grocery store with a sideline of household furnishings - бакалейная лавка, торгующая также хозяйственными товарами
4. верёвка для спутывания (*лошадей и т. п.*)

2. ['saɪdlaɪn] *v*

- 1) стреножить (*лошадь*)
- 2) связывать, ограничивать возможности
an injury to his arm sidelined him for two weeks - травма руки вывела его из игры на две недели

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side·line [sideline sidelines sidelined sidelining] *noun, verb* *BrE* ['saɪdlaɪn] ¹

NAmE ['saɪdlaɪn] ²

noun

1. **countable** an activity that you do as well as your main job in order to earn extra money
• His hobby of winemaking was fast becoming a profitable sideline.
2. **sidelines** *plural* the lines along the two long sides of a sports field, ↑tennis ↑court, etc. that mark the outer edges; the area just outside these
• The coach stood on the sidelines yelling instructions to the players.

Example Bank:

- He decided to turn his hobby into a lucrative sideline.
- He had found himself a nice little sideline painting windows.
- She is developing a nice little sideline in babysitting for friends.
- The restaurant started out as a sideline to his main business.

Idiom: ↑on the sidelines

verb usually passive

1. ~ **sb** to prevent sb from playing in a team, especially because of an injury
• The player has been sidelined by a knee injury.
2. ~ **sb** to prevent sb from having an important part in sth that other people are doing
• The vice-president is increasingly being sidelined.

Verb forms:

| verb forms | |
|------------------------------|--------------------|
| present simple | |
| I / you / we / they | sideline |
| | BrE / 'saɪdlaɪn/ |
| | NAmE / 'saɪdlaɪn/ |
| he / she / it | sidelines |
| | BrE / 'saɪdlaɪnz/ |
| | NAmE / 'saɪdlaɪnz/ |
| past simple, past participle | sided |
| | BrE / 'saɪdaɪnd/ |
| | NAmE / 'saɪdaɪnd/ |
| -ing form | siding |
| | BrE / 'saɪdaɪnɪŋ/ |
| | NAmE / 'saɪdaɪnɪŋ/ |

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I. **side·line** ¹ /'saɪdlaɪn/ *BrE* ² *AmE* ² *noun*

1. **[countable]** an activity that you do as well as your main job or business, in order to earn more money
as a sideline
• Zoë does a bit of freelance photography as a sideline.
 2. **on the sidelines** not taking part in an activity even though you want to or should do
stand/stay/remain etc on the sidelines
• You can't stay on the sidelines for ever; it's time you got involved.
 3. **sidelines** *[plural]* the area just outside the lines that form the edge of a sports field
on the sidelines
• Wenger stood on the sidelines shouting instructions.
 4. **[countable]** a line at the side of a sports field, which shows where the players are allowed to play
- II. **sideline** ² *BrE* ² *AmE* ² *verb* [T, usually passive]

if you are sidelined, you are unable to play in a sports game because you are injured, or unable to take part in an activity because you are not as good as someone else:
" Owen was once again sidelined through injury.

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