#### doodle I

**1.** ['du:dl] *n* pase.

1. болван; бездельник

#### 2. чёрточка, палочка, закорючка; бессмысленный рисунок

#### 2. ['du:dl] V

## 1. разе. машинально рисовать, чертить (что-л.), думая совсем о другом

to doodle with a pen - рассеянно рисовать ручкой

2. диал. надувать, обманывать

II

['du:dl] v шотл.

играть на волынке

**II** ['du:dl] *n* 

член, мужской половой орган

#### doodle

- I. doo·dle [doodle doodles doodled doodling] BrE ['du□dl <sup>\*</sup> NAmE ['du□dl <sup>\*</sup> verb intransitive
- to draw lines, shapes, etc, especially when you are bored or thinking about sth else
- I often doodle when I'm on the phone.

#### Verb forms: verb forms

TO D FOR THE		
present simple		
I / you / we /they	doodle	
	BrE / 'du:dl/	
	NAmE / 'du:dl/	
he / she /it	doodles	
	BrE / 'du:dlz/	
	NAmE / du:dlz/	
past simple, past participle	doodled	
	BrE / 'du:dld/	
	NAME / duidld/	
-ing form	doodling	
	BrE / 'du:dlm/	
	NAME / duidling/	

#### Word Origin:

early 17th cent. (originally as a noun denoting a fool, later as a verb in the sense 'make a fool of, cheat'): from Low German dudeltopf, dudeldopp 'simpleton'. Current senses date from the 1930s.

#### Example Bank:

· She had doodled all over her class notes.

#### II. doo·dle noun

Main entry: <sup>†</sup>doodle<sub>derived</sub>

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## **doo dle** /'du dl BrE AmE verb [intransitive]

[Date: 1600-1700, Origin: Perhaps from doodle 'to make fun of', from Low German dudeltopf 'stupid person]

to draw shapes, lines, or patterns without really thinking about what you are doing:

Brad was doodling on a sheet of paper.

# -doodle noun [countable]

## THESAURUS

- draw to make a picture, pattern etc using a pen or pencil: The children were asked to draw a picture of their families. | I'm going to art classes to learn how to draw.

sketch /sket / to draw a picture of something or someone quickly and without a lot of detail: Roy took a pencil and sketched the bird quickly, before it moved.

• illustrate to draw the pictures in a book: It's a beautiful book, illustrated by Arthur Rackham.

- doodle /'du dl to draw shapes or patterns without really thinking about what you are doing: He was on the phone, doodling on his notepad as he spoke.

• scribble to draw shapes or lines without making a definite picture or pattern. Small children do this before they have learned to draw or write: At the age of two, she loved scribbling with crayons and coloured pencils.

• trace to copy a picture by putting a piece of thin paper over it and drawing the lines that you can see through the paper: First trace the map, and then copy it into your workbooks.

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