

**browse**

1. [bravz] *n*
  1. молодой побег, отпрыск
  2. ощипывание молодых побегов
  3. просмотр; разглядывание
2. [bravz] *v*
  1. (on) объедать, ощипывать листья, молодые побеги
  2. 1) пастись; щипать траву
  - 2) стравливать
  3. 1) пролистать, проглядеть
  - 2) просматривать, неспешно выбирать (*книги в магазине, библиотеке*)
  - 3) разглядывать товары (*в витрине, на прилавке*)
  - 4) *вчт.* просматривать

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**I. browse** [browse browses browsed browsing] *BrE* [brauz] <sup>u</sup> *NAmE* [brauz]

*verb*

1. **intransitive, transitive** to look at a lot of things in a shop/store rather than looking for one particular thing
  - You are welcome to come in and browse.
  - ~ **sth** She browsed the shelves for something interesting to read.
2. **intransitive, transitive ~ (through) sth** to look through the pages of a book, newspaper, etc. without reading everything
  - I found the article while I was browsing through some old magazines.
3. **intransitive, transitive ~ (sth) (computing)** to look for information on a computer, especially on the Internet
4. **intransitive ~ (on sth) (of cows, ↑goats, etc.)** to eat leaves, etc. that are growing high up

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	browse
	<i>BrE</i> /braʊz/
	<i>NAmE</i> /braʊz/
he / she / it	browses
	<i>BrE</i> /braʊzɪz/
	<i>NAmE</i> /braʊzɪz/
past simple, past participle	browsed
	<i>BrE</i> /braʊzd/
	<i>NAmE</i> /braʊzd/
-ing form	browsing
	<i>BrE</i> /braʊzɪŋ/
	<i>NAmE</i> /braʊzɪŋ/

Word Origin:

late Middle English (in sense 4): from Old French *broster*, from *brost* 'young shoot', probably of Germanic origin.

Example Bank:

- a browse through the catalogue

**II. browse** *noun singular*

- The gift shop is well worth a browse.

Main entry: ↑*browse*<sub>derived</sub>

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**browse** /brauz/ *BrE* <sup>u</sup> *AmE* <sup>u</sup> *verb*

[Date: 1500-1600; Origin: Probably from early French *brouster*, from *broust* 'bud, shoot']

1. **[intransitive]** to look through the pages of a book, magazine etc without a particular purpose, just looking at the most interesting parts
    - browse through**
      - Jon was browsing through the photographs.
  2. **[intransitive and transitive]** to look at the goods in a shop without wanting to buy any particular thing
    - browse around**
      - The trip allows you plenty of time for browsing around the shops.
      - tourists browsing the boutiques and souvenir stalls
  3. **[intransitive and transitive]** to search for information on a computer or on the Internet:
    - a feature that allows you to browse your hard drive and choose the graphic you want to display
  4. **[intransitive]** if a goat, ↑*deer* etc browses, it eats plants
- browse** *noun* [singular]:
- We had a quick browse around the shops.

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browser 1455  
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384 **35187**<sup>421</sup> *vv0*  
66 **86964**<sup>77</sup> *nn1*

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