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bro-chure [brochure brochures] BrE ['brəʊʃə(r)] ** NAmE [broʊ'ʃʊr] ** nou

a small magazine or book containing pictures and information about sth or advertising sth

- a travel brochure
- · Send for a free colour brochure today!

Word Origin:

mid 18th cent.: from French, literally something stitched, from brocher 'to stitch' (see ¹broach).

Example Bank:

- · Send for our illustrated brochure.
- Send for your free colour brochure today!
- The college produces a glossy brochure to advertise its training courses.

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bro chure /ˈbrəʊʃə, -ʃʊə \$ broʊˈʃʊr/ BrE ້ AmE noun [countable]

[Date: 1700-1800; Language: French; Origin: brocher 'to sew', from broche (\Rightarrow *brooch); because the pages are sewn together] a thin book giving information or advertising something:

a holiday brochure

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- booklet a very short book with paper covers that usually contains information on one particular subject: a free booklet on drug abuse | Have you read the information booklet?
- brochure a thin book with paper covers that gives information on something you may want to buy or advertises something: glossy holiday brochures | The hotel was nothing like it said it would be in the brochure. | The brochure shows you all the different types of washing machine.
- leaflet a small book or piece of paper, often only one or two folded pages, that advertises something or gives information on a particular subject: a leaflet about library services | They were handing out leaflets for the Socialist Party.
- pamphlet a very thin book with paper covers, in which someone writes about their opinions about something, or gives information about something: a political pamphlet | Paine wrote a pamphlet about slavery. | The pamphlet tells you all you need to know about growing cactuses.
- **prospectus** *especially British English* a thin paper book that advertises and gives information about a school, college, new business etc: I asked them to send me the college prospectus.
- flyer a small sheet of paper advertising something: People were giving out flyers advertising the fair.
- tract a thin short book, especially about a moral or religious subject a rather formal use: Two women were handing out religious tracts.

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