

alphabet1. ['ælfəbet] *n*

1. алфавит азбука

the English [Russian] alphabet - английский [русский] алфавит

the phonetic alphabet - фонетический алфавит

2. основы (науки); элементарные знания (в какой-л. области)

alphabet of chemistry - азбука /начатки, основы/ химии

3. *св.* кодовый набор (при передаче данных; *мж.* code alphabet)2. ['ælfəbet] *v amer.* = *alphabetize***alphabet**

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

al·pha·bet [alphabet alphabets] *BrE* ['ælfəbet] *NAmE* ['ælfəbet] noun

a set of letters or symbols in a fixed order used for writing a language

- Alpha is the first letter of the Greek alphabet.

Word Origin:early 16th cent.: from late Latin **alphabetum**, from Greek **alpha**, **bēta**, the first two letters of the Greek alphabet.Example Bank:

- How many letters are there in the Greek alphabet?

alphabet

Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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a set of letters, arranged in a particular order, and used in writing

the **Greek/Roman etc alphabet**

the international phonetic alphabet

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