philosopher Apresyan (En-Ru) [fı'lɒsəfə] n 1. 1) философ natural philosopher - a) естествоиспытатель б) физик 2) *уст.* алхимик the philosophers' /-'s/ stone - философскийкамень 2. человек с философскимподходом к жизни, «философ» philosopher Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed. phil·oso·pher AW [philosopher philosophers] BrE [fəˈ|psəfə(r)] * NAmE [fəˈlɑ□səfəˈr * noun 1. a person who studies or writes about philosophy • the Greek philosopher Aristotle 2. a person who thinks deeply about things · He seems to be a bit of a philosopher. Word Origin: Middle English: from a variant of Old French philosophe, via Latin from Greek philosophos 'lover of wisdom', from philein 'to love' + sophos 'wise'. Example Bank: · a talk by a distinguished moral philosopher • the 17th-century Dutch philosopher Spinoza · the great philosophers of ancient Greece · He was a fine writer, historian and philosopher. · Many of his followers regarded him as a true philosopher. · She seems to be a bit of a philosopher. · Was Marx a political, social or historical philosopher? • We studied the writings of the Greek philosopher Aristotle. · Whiteside was highly esteemed as an experimental philosopher.

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[Word Family: noun: †philosophy, †philosopher, advert †philosophically; adjective: †philosophical]

1. someone who studies and develops ideas about the nature and meaning of existence, truth, good and evil etc:

Plato, Aristotle, and other Greek philosophers

2. someone who thinks deeply about the world, life etc

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