#### [dı't3:] / (from) удерживать, останавливать; отпугивать

to deter smb. from trying again - удерживать кого-л. от новых /повторных/ попыток the weather deter red them from going for a picnic - погода помешала им устроить пикник

nothing will deter him - его ничто не остановит

#### deter

# deter [deter deters deterred deterring] BrE [dɪ'ts ]] NAmE [dɪ'ts ]]

(-rr-) transitive, intransitive ~ (sb) (from sth/from doing sth)

to make sb decide not to do sth or continue doing sth, especially by making them understand the difficulties and unpleasant results of their actions

verb

- I told him I wasn't interested, but he wasn't deterred.
- · The high price of the service could deter people from seeking advice.

## see also †deterrent

Verb forms: verb forms

| present simple               |                   |
|------------------------------|-------------------|
| I / you / we /they           | deter             |
|                              | BrE /d1'5:(r)/    |
|                              | NAmE /d1 'ta:r/   |
| he / she /it                 | deters            |
|                              | BrE /dz 'ta:z/    |
|                              | NAmE /d1 ta:rz/   |
| past simple, past participle | deterred          |
|                              | BrE /dz 'ta:d/    |
|                              | NAME /d1 't3:rd/  |
| -ing form                    | deterring         |
|                              | BrE /dɪˈˈbːrɪŋ/   |
|                              | NAME /d1 't3:r1ŋ/ |

#### Word Origin:

mid 16th cent.: from Latin deterrere, from de- 'away from' + terrere 'frighten'.

#### Example Bank:

- · The present system does little to deter corporate crime.
- These new rules are likely to deter people from coming forward for help.
- Will this harsher punishment effectively deter criminals?

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de ter /dɪ'tɜ : +'tɜ : /r BrE AmE verb (past tense and past participle deterred, present

#### participle deterring) [transitive]

[Date: 1500-1600; Language: Latin; Origin: deterrere, from terrere 'to frighten']

to stop someone from doing something, by making them realize it will be difficult or have bad results  $\Rightarrow$  deterrent: The company's financial difficulties have deterred potential investors.

#### deter somebody from (doing) something

The security camera was installed to deter people from stealing.

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In everyday English, people usually say put someone off rather than deter someone:

Don't let a few problems put you off.

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