

instead[ɪnˈsted] *adv*

вместо, взамен

this will do instead - это годится взамен, это подойдёт для замены

if you cannot go, let him go instead - если вы не можете пойти, пусть он пойдёт вместо вас

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

in·stead *BrE* [ɪnˈsted] ^ˈ *NAmE* [ɪnˈsted] ^ˈ *adverb*

in the place of sb/sth

- Lee was ill so I went instead.
- He didn't reply. Instead, he turned on his heel and left the room.
- She said nothing, preferring instead to save her comments till later.

Word Origin:[**instead**] Middle English (originally as two words): from †**in** + †**stead**.**instead**

Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

in·stead *S1 W1* /ɪnˈsted/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *adverb*

1. **instead of somebody/something** used to say what is not used, does not happen etc, when something else is used, happens etc:

- You probably picked up my keys instead of yours.
- Could I have tuna instead of ham?
- Instead of being annoyed, he seemed quite pleased.

2. used to say what is done, when you have just said that a particular thing is not done:

- Geoff didn't study law. Instead, he decided to become an actor.
- If Jo can't attend the meeting, I could go instead.

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- **instead** used when saying that a particular thing is used or happens and not another thing, or that someone does something and not another person: There were no single rooms, so I booked a double instead. | Chris couldn't go to the meeting, so I said that I would go instead. | Can I have soup instead of salad? | I really wished it had been me instead of him.
- **rather than** instead of something or someone - often used when someone does something instead of doing another thing, because it seems better or more suitable: Rather than driving around all day looking for somewhere to park, why don't you take a bus into town? | A lot of people are choosing to rent rather than buy their own homes. | I'd say it was warm rather than hot. | It might be better if you asked him rather than me.
- **in somebody/sth's place** having the position or role that something or someone else once had: The factory was demolished and flats were built in its place. | If I refused to go, they would send someone else in my place.
- **on behalf of somebody/on sb's behalf** instead of someone or as their representative: She asked the doctor to speak to her parents on her behalf. | He collected the award on behalf of his sister.
- **in favour of British English, in favor of American English** used when something is not chosen or used, because something else seems much better: The original plan was abandoned in favour of a new proposal. | She was rejected for the job in favor of a more experienced teacher.
- **in preference to formal** used when something is chosen or used because it seems much better than something else: What makes customers choose one brand in preference to another?

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