

**tattoo**

I

1. [tæɪˈtuː, təɪˈtuː-] *n*1. *воен.*

1) сигнал вечерней зори

to beat /to sound/ the tattoo - играть /бить/ вечернюю зорю

2) время вечерней зори

2. *воен. разг.* показательные выступления, демонстрация ружейных приёмов *и т. п.*

3. барабанная дробь

to beat a tattoo of triumph on one's chest - с торжествующим видом отбивать барабанную дробь у себя на груди

4. 1) стук

to beat a tattoo on the door - стучать /барабанить/ в дверь

to beat a tattoo on the table, to beat the devil's tattoo - барабанить пальцами по столу

2) отбивание такта (*ногой, пальцами и т. п.*)2. [tæɪˈtuː, təɪˈtuː-] *v*1. играть *или* бить вечернюю зорю

2. барабанить

3. 1) барабанить пальцами

2) отбивать такт

II

1. [tæɪˈtuː, təɪˈtuː-] *n*

татуировка

2. [tæɪˈtuː, təɪˈtuː-] *v*

татуировать; наносить татуировку

II

[ˈtætuː] *n*

индийский пони

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**tat·too** [tattoo tattoos tattooed tattooing] *noun, verb* *BrE* [təˈtuː] *NAmE*

[tæˈtuː]

*noun* (pl. **tat·toos**)

1. a picture or design that is marked permanently on a person's skin by making small holes in the skin with a needle and filling them with coloured ink

• His arms were covered in tattoos.

• She has a tattoo of a tiger on her shoulder.

2. (*especially BrE*) an outdoor show by members of the armed forces that includes marching, music and military exercises

• the Edinburgh military tattoo

3. *usually singular* a rapid and continuous series of taps or hits, especially on a drum as a military signal

• The drummers beat a tattoo each morning.

• Her fingers tapped a light tattoo on the table.

• George felt his heart begin to beat a tattoo against his ribs.

Word Origin:*n.* senses 2 to 3 mid 17th cent. tap-too Dutch *taptoe!* 'close the tap (of the cask)!'*n.* sense 1 and *v.* mid 18th cent. Tahitian Tongan Samoan *ta-tau* Marquesan *ta-tu*Collocations:**Clothes and fashion***Clothes***be wearing** a new outfit/bright colours/fancy dress/fur/uniform**be (dressed) in** black/red/jeans and a T-shirt/your best suit/leather/silk/rags (= very old torn clothes)**be dressed for** work/school/dinner/a special occasion**be dressed as** a man/woman/clown/pirate**wear /dress in** casual/designer/second-hand clothes**wear** jewellery/(*especially US*) jewelry/accessories/a watch/glasses/contact lenses/perfume**have** a cowboy hat/red dress/blue suit **on****put on/take off** your clothes/coat/shoes/helmet**pull on/pull off** your coat/gloves/socks**change into/get changed into** a pair of jeans/your pyjamas/(*especially US*) your pajamas*Appearance***change/enhance/improve** your appearance**create/get/have/give** sth a new/contemporary/retro look**brush/comb/shampoo/wash/blow-dry** your hair**have/get** a haircut/your hair cut/a new hairstyle**have/get** a piercing/your nose pierced**have/get** a tattoo/a tattoo done (on your arm)/a tattoo removed**have/get** a makeover/cosmetic surgery**use/wear/apply/put on** make-up/cosmetics

## Fashion

follow/keep up with (the) fashion/the latest fashions  
 spend/waste money on designer clothes  
 be fashionably/stylishly/well dressed  
 have good/great/terrible/awful taste in clothes  
 update/revamp your wardrobe  
 be in/come into/go out of fashion  
 be (back/very much) in vogue  
 create a style/trend/vogue for sth  
 organize /put on a fashion show  
 show/unveil a designer's spring/summer collection  
 sashay/strut down the catwalk/(NAmE also) runway  
 be on/do a photo/fashion shoot

### Example Bank:

- He sported a barbed-wire tattoo on his left arm.
- I took to wearing a temporary tattoo on my ankle.
- I've decided to get my tattoo removed.
- She had a tattoo of a swallow on her shoulder.
- She's having a tattoo done on her leg.

## verb

to mark sb's skin with a **tattoo**

- ~ **A on B** He had a heart tattooed on his shoulder.
- ~ **B (with A)** His shoulder was tattooed with a heart.

### Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	tattoo
	BrE /təˈtuː/
	NAmE /tæˈtuː/
he / she / it	tattoos
	BrE /təˈtuːz/
	NAmE /tæˈtuːz/
past simple, past participle	tattooed
	BrE /təˈtuːd/
	NAmE /tæˈtuːd/
-ing form	tattooing
	BrE /təˈtuːɪŋ/
	NAmE /tæˈtuːɪŋ/

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### Example Bank:

- He had snakes and dragons tattooed on his arms
- His body was heavily tattooed.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

I. **tatˈtuː**<sup>1</sup> /təˈtuː, tæˈtuː/ BrE<sup>ˈ</sup> AmE<sup>ˈ</sup> *noun* (plural **tattoos**)

[Sense 1: Date: 1700-1800; Language: Tahitian; Origin: tatau]

[Sense 2-3: Date: 1600-1700; Language: Dutch; Origin: taptoe, from tap toe! 'taps shut!']



1. [countable] a picture or writing that is permanently marked on your skin using a needle and ink:  
 He has a tattoo of a snake on his left arm.

2. [countable] an outdoor military show with music, usually at night

3. [singular] a fast continuous beating of a drum, or a sound like this

II. **tattoo**<sup>2</sup> BrE<sup>ˈ</sup> AmE<sup>ˈ</sup> *verb* [transitive]

to mark a permanent picture or writing on someone's skin with a needle and ink:

" She's got a heart tattooed on her right shoulder.

—tattooed *adjective*:

" heavily tattooed arms

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## tattoo

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