

beforehand1. [bɪ'fɔːhænd] *a predic*

заблаговременный

to be beforehand with a suggestion - иметь наготове предложение

2. [bɪ'fɔːhænd] *adv*

заранее, вперёд; заблаговременнo авансом

to pay rent beforehand - *редк.* платить за квартиру авансом

to make preparations beforehand - делать заблаговременные приготовления

one must see to it beforehand - об этом надо позаботиться заранее

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

be fore-hand *BrE* [bɪ'fɔːhænd] ¹ *NAmE* [bɪ'fɔːrhænd] ² *adverb*

earlier, before sth else happens or is done

- two weeks/three days/a few hours beforehand
- I wish we'd known about it beforehand
- He warned me beforehand what to expect.

Word Origin:[beforehand] Middle English (originally as two words): from ¹before + ¹hand; probably influenced by Old French *avant main*.**beforehand**

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before something else happens or is done:

- The police need to be briefed beforehand on how to deal with this sort of situation.
- When you give a speech, it's natural to feel nervous beforehand.

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- **before** earlier than something or someone: She could read before she started school. | Do you want to have a shower before me?
- **prior to** *formal* before something happens: Please arrive at the airport two hours prior to departure.
- **by** no later than a particular time or date: The children are usually in bed by 9 o'clock. | We have to be out of our hotel room by 10 o'clock.
- **earlier** before now, or before the time you are talking about: I saw her earlier. | I had sent the letter earlier in the week.
- **previously** before now, or before a time in the past: He previously worked as an electrician. | The show starred a previously unknown actress called Jennifer Aniston.
- **in advance** before something happens – used especially when talking about the arrangements for something: Let me know in advance if you are going to be late. | The landlord wants three months' rent in advance.
- **beforehand** (also **ahead of time**) before something happens, especially so that you are ready: I wish we had known about all this beforehand. | It's always best to decide beforehand how much you want to pay.

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