

**parsnip**['pa:snip] *n* бот.пастернак (*Pastinaca sativa*)◊ fine /fair, soft/ words butter no parsnips - **посл.** красивыми словами сыт не будешь; ≈ соловья баснями не кормят**parsnip****pars·nip** [parsnip parsnips] *BrE* ['pa:snɪp] *NAmE* ['pa:rsnɪp] noun  
countable, uncountable

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a long pale yellow root vegetable

Word Origin:late Middle English: from Old French *pasnaie*, from Latin *pastinaca* (related to *pastinare* 'dig and trench the ground'). The change in the ending was due to association with <sup>†</sup>*neep*.**parsnip**

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