

conscript

1. [kɔnskrɪpt] *n*
призванный на военную службу, новобранец

2. [kɔnskrɪpt] *a*
призванный на военную службу, мобилизованный
conscript army - армия, созданная на основе закона о воинской повинности

3. [kən'skrɪpt] *v*
1. призывать на военную службу, мобилизововать
2. мобилизовать (рабочую силу, капитал)

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

con-script [conscript conscripts conscripted conscripting] *verb, noun*verb *BrE* [kən'skrɪpt] ; *NAmE* [kən'skrɪpt] (especially *BrE*) (*NAmE* usually *draft*) usually passive ~ sb (into sth)

to make sb join the armed forces

Syn: call up

- He was conscripted into the army in 1939.
- to be conscripted for military service

Verb forms:

| verb forms | |
|------------------------------|---------------------|
| present simple | |
| I / you / we /they | conscript |
| | BrE /kən'skrɪpt/ |
| | NAmE /kən'skrɪpt/ |
| he / she /it | conscribes |
| | BrE /kən'skrɪptz/ |
| | NAmE /kən'skrɪptz/ |
| past simple, past participle | conscripted |
| | BrE /kən'skrɪptɪd/ |
| | NAmE /kən'skrɪptɪd/ |
| -ing form | conscribing |
| | BrE /kən'skrɪptɪŋ/ |
| | NAmE /kən'skrɪptɪŋ/ |

Word Origin:

late 18th cent. (as a noun): from French **conscrit**, from Latin **conscriptus**, past participle of **conscribere ‘enrol’**. The verb is a back-formation from ↑**conscription**.

noun *BrE* ['kɔnskrɪpt] ; *NAmE* ['kaɒnskrɒpt] (especially *BrE*) (*US* usually *draft·ee*)

a person who has been conscripted to join the armed forces

- young army conscripts
- **conscript soldiers/armies**

compare ↑volunteerWord Origin:

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See also: ↑draft • ↑draftee

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I. conscript¹ /kən'skrɪpt/ *BrE* *AmE* *verb* [transitive]

[Date: 1800-1900; Language: Latin; Origin: **conscriptus**, past participle of **conscribere ‘to make a member of something’**, from com- (⇒ COM-) + scribere ‘to write’]

1. to make someone join the army, navy etc **SYN** *draft American English*
conscript somebody into something

Young Frenchmen were conscripted into the army and forced to fight in Algeria.

2. to make someone become a member of a group or take part in a particular activity **SYN** *recruit*

II. conscript² /'kɒnskrɪpt/ \$ /'kən'skrɪpt/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [countable]

[Date: 1800-1900; Language: French; Origin: **conscrit**, from Latin **conscriptus**; ⇒ ↑**conscript** ¹]

someone who has been made to join the army, navy etc **SYN** *draftee American English*:

a young army conscript

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