

overcast

1. [ˈəʊvəkɑːst] *n*

- 1. облака, тучи; сплошная облачность
breaks in the overcast will give sunny periods - облачная погода с прояснениями (*прогноз погоды*)
- 2. обшивка, покров, обивка
- 3. сшивание через край
- 4. *диал.*
- 1) изгнанник
- 2) отбросы
- 5. *горн.* воздушный мост
- 6. *ав.* верхний из двух пересекающихся на одном уровне воздушных коридоров

2. [ˌəʊvəˈkɑːst] *a*

- 1. покрытый облаками; мрачный, хмурый (*о небе*)
- 2. печальный; угрюмый, мрачный
- 3. затянувшийся, зарубцевавшийся (*о шве, ране*)

3. [ˌəʊvəˈkɑːst] *v* (*overcast*)

- 1. 1) покрывать мраком, закрывать тучами; затемнять
- 2) покрываться мраком, закрываться тучами; темнеть
- 2. запошивать (*край*); сшивать через край
- 3. *редк.* покрывать (*что-л.*); набрасывать (*на что-л.*)
- 4. наложить шов (*на рану; тж.* to overcast a seam)

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over·cast [overcast overcasts overcasting] *BrE* [ˌəʊvəˈkɑːst] *NAmE*

[ˌoʊvərˈkæst] *adjective*

- covered with clouds; dull
- an **overcast sky/day**
- Today it will be dull and overcast.

Example Bank:

- The sky was overcast and we needed to use artificial light.

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dark with clouds:

- a chilly overcast day
- The sky was overcast and a light rain began to fall.
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- **cloudy** with a lot of clouds: The weather was cold and cloudy. | cloudy skies
- **grey** (*also gray American English*) grey in colour, because there are dark clouds – used especially in written descriptions: Mary looked out at the cold grey sky.
- **overcast** dark and completely covered with clouds: a chilly overcast day
- **leaden** *literary* a leaden sky is grey and full of dark clouds: Snow fell from a leaden sky.
- **gloomy** dark and cloudy, in a depressing way: The gloomy weather shows no sign of improving.
- **foggy** with thick low cloud that is difficult to see through. You use **foggy** especially about low-lying places: a foggy day in London in November
- **misty** with light low cloud that is difficult to see through. You use **misty** especially about places that are next to water or in the mountains: a cold misty morning
- **hazy** with air that looks cloudy, because there is smoke, dust, or mist in it: hazy sunshine

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