

**forerunner**

[ˈfɔːrɪnə] *n*

1. предшественник; предтеча
  2. предвестник
- heavy clouds, the forerunners of a storm - тяжёлые тучи, предвещающие бурю
3. вестник, герольд

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**fore-run-ner** [forerunner forerunners] *BrE* [ˈfɔːrɪnə] *AmE* [ˈfɔːrɪnɚ]

**noun** ~ (of sb/sth)

a person or thing that came before and influenced sb/sth else that is similar; a sign of what is going to happen

- Country music was undoubtedly one of the forerunners of rock and roll.
- He is recognized as the forerunner of all modern-day British Prime Ministers.
- An early penalty goal proved the forerunner of a disastrous performance by Scotland.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

**fore-run-ner** /ˈfɔːrɪnə/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [countable]

1. someone or something that existed before something similar that developed or came later

**forerunner of**

Babbage's engine was the forerunner of the modern computer.

2. a sign or warning that something is going to happen

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