

**friar** *n*1. *uct.*

1) монах (нищенствующего ордена)

friar's habit - монашеское одеяние

friar's hood - капюшон (*монаха*)2) (Friar) брат, фра (*употр. с именем*)Friar Tuck - брат Тук (*духовник Робин Гуда*)2. *pl uct.*

1) территория мужского монастыря

2) название части города, где расположен монастырь

**friar**

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**friar** [**friar friars**] *BrE* ['fraɪə(ɪ)] *AmE* ['fraɪə] *noun*a member of one of several Roman Catholic religious communities of men who in the past travelled around teaching people about Christianity and lived by asking other people for food (= by **begging**)**compare** ↑ **monk**Word Origin:Middle English: from Old French **frere**, from Latin **frater** 'brother'.**friar**

Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

**friar** /'fraɪə \$ -ə/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [countable][**Date:** 1200-1300; **Language:** Old French; **Origin:** frere 'brother', from Latin frater]

a member of a religious group of Catholic men, who travelled around in the past teaching about Christianity and who were very poor

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