

recede

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[rɪ'si:d] v

1. 1) отступать, пятиться
to recede a few paces - сделать несколько шагов назад, отступить на несколько шагов
- 2) удаляться; ретироваться
the ship recedes from the shore - корабль удаляется от берега
to recede into the background - а) отойти/отступить на задний план; б) (по)терять значение /интерес
to recede from a position - сдать позицию; пойти на попятный
to recede from view - скрыться из глаз
2. (from) отказываться, отрекаться, отступить (*от своих слов, взглядов и т. п.*)
to recede from an opinion [from a promise] - отказаться /отречься/ от своего мнения [от обещания]
to recede from a contract [from an agreement] - отступить от контракта [от соглашения]
3. клониться назад; быть скошенным, срезанным
the cliff recedes abruptly from its base upwards - утёс резко сужается к вершине
4. 1) убывать, спадать, идти на убыль (*особ. о воде*)
the high water receded - вода спала, паводок пошёл на убыль
- 2) идти на убыль, сходиться на нет
his power [his influence] seems to have receded - его власть [его влияние], видимо, сходит на нет
his capacities seem to have receded - его способности слабеют
5. забываться, стираться в памяти; отступать в прошлое
memories of childhood recede - воспоминания детства исчезают из памяти
as the months passed, her face receded from his mind - прошли месяцы, и он начал забывать её лицо
6. падать, понижаться (*о ценах, акциях*)
prices have receded - цены понизились

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возвращать захваченное; возвращать владельцу

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re·cede [recede recedes receded receding] BrE [rɪ'siːd] AmE [rɪ'siːd]

verb

1. **intransitive** to move gradually away from sb or away from a previous position
 - The sound of the truck receded into the distance.
 - She watched his receding figure.
2. **intransitive** (*especially of a problem, feeling or quality*) to become gradually weaker or smaller
 - The prospect of bankruptcy has now receded (= it is less likely).
 - The pain was receding slightly.
3. **intransitive** (*of hair*) to stop growing at the front of the head
 - a middle-aged man with **receding hair/a receding hairline**
4. **intransitive** a ~ chin a chin that slopes backwards towards the neck

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	recede
	BrE /rɪ'siːd/
	NAme /rɪ'siːd/
he / she / it	recedes
	BrE /rɪ'siːdɪz/
	NAme /rɪ'siːdɪz/
past simple, past participle	receded
	BrE /rɪ'siːdɪd/
	NAme /rɪ'siːdɪd/
-ing form	receding
	BrE /rɪ'siːdɪŋ/
	NAme /rɪ'siːdɪŋ/

Word Origin:

late 15th cent. (in the sense 'depart from a usual state or standard'): from Latin **recedere**, from re- 'back' + **cedere** 'go'.

Example Bank:

- His footsteps receded into the distance.
- The January flood waters receded as fast as they had risen.
- The pain was gradually receding.
- The water receded back to its mysterious depths.
- These worries now receded from his mind.

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re·cede /rɪ'siːd BrE AmE verb [intransitive]

[Date: 1400-1500; Language: Latin; Origin: recedere, from cedere 'to go']

1. if something you can see or hear recedes, it gets further and further away until it disappears
recede into

footsteps receding into the distance

2. if a memory, feeling, or possibility recedes, it gradually goes away:

" The pain in his head gradually receded.

3. if water recedes, it moves back from an area that it was covering:

" The flood waters finally began to recede in November.

4. if your hair recedes, you gradually lose the hair at the front of your head:

" He was in his mid-forties, with a receding hairline.

5. **receding chin** a chin that slopes backwards

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