

capitulate

[kə'pɪtʃuleɪt, kə'pɪtʃuleɪt] v

1. капитулировать, сдаваться

to capitulate to overwhelming numbers - сдаться превосходящим силам

women's tears always make him capitulate - женские слёзы всегда заставляют его складывать оружие /уступать/

2. (with) *ycm.* вести переговоры, договариваться; заключать соглашение (с кем-л.)**capitulate**

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capitu-late [capitulate capitulates capitulated capitulating] BrE [kə'pɪtʃuleɪt]

" NAmE [kə'pɪtʃuleɪt] " verb

1. **intransitive** ~ (to sb/sth) to agree to do sth that you have been refusing to do for a long time**Syn:** ↑give in, **Syn:** ↑yield

• They were finally forced to capitulate to the terrorists' demands.

2. **intransitive** ~ (to sb/sth) to stop resisting an enemy and accept that you are defeated**Syn:** ↑surrender

• The town capitulated after a three-week siege.

Derived Word ↑capitulationVerb forms: verb forms

present simple	
I / you / we / they	capitulate
	BrE /kə'pɪtʃuleɪt/
	NAmE /kə'pɪtʃuleɪt/
he / she / it	capitulates
	BrE /kə'pɪtʃuleɪtɪz/
	NAmE /kə'pɪtʃuleɪtɪz/
past simple, past participle	capitulated
	BrE /kə'pɪtʃuleɪtɪd/
	NAmE /kə'pɪtʃuleɪtɪd/
-ing form	capitulating
	BrE /kə'pɪtʃuleɪtɪŋ/
	NAmE /kə'pɪtʃuleɪtɪŋ/

Word Origin:mid 16th cent. (in the sense 'parley, draw up terms'): from French *capituler*, from medieval Latin *capitulare* 'draw up under headings', from Latin *capitulum*, diminutive of *caput* 'head'.**capitulate**

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capitulate /kə'pɪtʃəleɪt, kə'pɪtʃuleɪt/ BrE " AmE " verb [intransitive][Date: 1600-1700; Language: Medieval Latin; Origin: past participle of *capitulare* 'to divide up into named parts', from Late Latin *capitulum* (⇒ ↑chapter); from the making of a peace agreement with several parts]1. **formal** to accept or agree to something that you have been opposing for a long time **SYN** give in:

" Helen finally capitulated and let her son have a car.

2. **formal** to accept defeat by your enemies in a war **SYN** surrender—**capitulation** /kə,pɪtʃə'leɪʃən, kə,pɪtʃu'leɪʃən/ **noun** [uncountable and countable]**capitulate**

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