

sedentary['sed(ə)nt(ə)rɪ] *a*

1. 1) сидячий, малоподвижный

a sedentary state of mind - вялый ум

to lead a sedentary life - вести сидячий образ жизни

to be of a sedentary nature - быть малоподвижным по натуре

to be sedentary in one's habits - быть домоседом

2) сидячий, требующий сидения

sedentary work - сидячая работа

sedentary position - сидячее положение

2. *редк.* постоянный, постоянно пребывающий на одном месте3. *бот.* прикрепленный4. *зоол.* оседлый5. *геол.*

1) образованный на месте

2) элювиальный

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sed-en-tary *BrE* ['sedntri] ^m *NAmE* ['sednteri] ^m **adjective**

1. (of work, activities, etc.) in which you spend a lot of time sitting down

• a **sedentary job/occupation/lifestyle**

2. (of people) spending a lot of time sitting down and not moving

• He became increasingly sedentary in later life.

3. (**technical**) (of people or animals) that stay and live in the same place or area

• Rhinos are largely sedentary animals.

• a sedentary population

Word Origin:[**sedentary**] late 16th cent. (in the sense 'not migratory'): from French *sédentaire* or Latin *sedentarius*, from *sedere* 'sit'.**sedentary**

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sed-en-ta-ry /'sedəntəri \$ -teri/ *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m **adjective**[Date: 1500-1600; Language: French; Origin: *sédentaire*, from Latin *sedentarius*, from *sedere* 'to sit']1. **formal** spending a lot of time sitting down, and not moving or exercising very much**sedentary life/job/lifestyle etc**^m health problems caused by our sedentary lifestyles2. **technical** a sedentary group of people tend always to live in the same place:^m a sedentary people living north of the Danube**sedentary**

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