

secondary**1. ['sekənd(ə)rɪ] n**

1. 1) подчинённый
- 2) представитель, действующий по поручению (кого-л.)
- 3) сановник второго ранга (*обыкн. в духовном звании*)
2. *эл.* вторичная обмотка (*трансформатора*)
3. *физ.* вторичная частица; вторичный электрон

2. ['sekənd(ə)rɪ] a

1. 1) второй (*по порядку, по времени и т. п.*)
secondary teeth - постоянные зубы
secondary base - *воен.* промежуточная база
- 2) средний
secondary education - среднее образование
secondary school - средняя школа
secondary (school) text-book - учебник для средней школы

2. второстепенный

- secondary post - скромная должность
a very secondary matter - второстепенный вопрос; дело, не представляющее важности
of secondary importance - второстепенной важности
secondary evidence - *юр.* косвенное доказательство

3. вторичный, производный

- secondary salt - *хим.* вторичная соль
secondary blast effect - вторичное воздействие ударной волны (*атомного взрыва*)
the secondary meaning of a word - производное значение слова
secondary sexual characteristics - *биол.* вторичные половые признаки
secondary tenses - *лингв.* вторичные времена
secondary winding - *эл.* вторичная обмотка
secondary compound - *лингв.* сверхсложное слово

4. побочный, неглавный, второстепенный

- secondary cause - побочная причина
secondary reaction - *хим.* побочная реакция

5. дополнительный, добавочный

- secondary title - подзаголовок
secondary target - *воен.* а) запасная /дополнительная/ цель; б) цель, поражаемая во вторую очередь
secondary target area - *воен.* дополнительный район обстрела
secondary fuel filter - *авт.* фильтр тонкой очистки
secondary ploughing - *с.-х.* двоение, двойка (*пашни*)

6. вспомогательный, подсобный

- secondary bibliography - библиография библиографий
secondary armament - а) вспомогательная артиллерия б) *мор.* противоминная артиллерия
secondary attack - а) наступление на вспомогательном направлении, вспомогательный удар; б) группировка для вспомогательного удара
secondary crossing - *воен.* а) вспомогательная переправа; б) демонстративная переправа
secondary landing - высадка вспомогательного десанта

7. *геол.* мезозойский

- secondary epoch /era/ - мезозойский период

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sec·ond·ary [**secondary** **secondaries**] *BrE* ['sekəndrɪ] ^m *NAmE* ['sekəndəri] ^m

adjective

- 1.** less important than sth else
 - That is just a **secondary consideration** .
 - Experience is what matters— age is of **secondary importance** .
 - ~ **to sth** Raising animals was only secondary to other forms of farming.
- 2.** happening as a result of sth else
 - a secondary infection
 - a secondary effect
 - a secondary colour (= made from mixing two primary colours)
- 3.** **only before noun** connected with teaching children of 11-18 years
 - secondary teachers
 - the secondary curriculum

compare ↑elementary, ↑primary, ↑tertiary

Derived Word ↑secondarily

Word Origin:late Middle English: from Latin **secundarius** 'of the second quality or class', from **secundus** 'following, second', from the base of **sequi** 'follow' .

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sec **ond** **ar** **y** **S3** **W2** /'sekəndəri \$ -deri/ *BrE* *AmE* *adjective*

1. **secondary education/schooling/teaching etc** the education, teaching etc of children between the ages of 11 and 16 or 18 ⇨ **tertiary**

2. not as important as something else ⇨ **primary**:

" the novel's secondary characters

secondary to

" Writing was always secondary to spending time with my family.

be of secondary importance/be a secondary consideration

" Cost is the important thing – any benefits for the user are a secondary consideration.

—**secondarily** *adverb*

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- **unimportant** not important: The exact details are unimportant. | Girls' education was seen as unimportant.
- **of no/little importance** not important, or not very important. These phrases sound a little more formal than **unimportant**: If you're capable of doing the job, your age is of no importance. | It's of little importance whether or not this story is true.
- **minor** small and not very likely to have an important effect - used especially about changes, problems, injuries, damage, or differences: I've made a few minor changes. | The driver suffered minor injuries. | These are just minor problems.
- **trivial** very unimportant and not worth worrying about or spending time on: They had a disagreement about some trivial matter. | She tends to get upset about trivial things.
- **insignificant** very small and unimportant, especially when compared to other things: Her own problems seemed insignificant. | The amount of carbon they produce is relatively insignificant.
- **negligible** extremely small and not important - used especially about effects, amounts, differences, or risks: So far, the program has had a negligible effect. | The difference in price is negligible.
- **secondary** not as important as something else: These issues are of secondary importance. | For many women, a career is secondary to being mother.

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