

token

1. 1) знак; символ

a token of respect [of regard, of affection] - знак уважения [привязанности, любви]
in token of - и знак (чего-л.)

black is a token of mourning - чёрный цвет - символ траура

his actions are a token of his sincerity - его действия свидетельствуют о его искренности

2) симптом

the tokens of a disease - симптомы болезни

3) случай употребления (слова в тексте)

2. подарок на память; сувенир

give it to me as a going-away token - подари мне это на память

3. 1) признак, примета

to give some token of intelligence - обнаружить признаки ума

2) опознавательный знак

freemason's token - масонский знак

4. талон, жетон

this token will admit you to the swimming pool - по этому жетону вы можете пройти в плавательный бассейн

5. *уст.* знамение

◇ by the same token, by this /that/ token - к тому же; кроме того; лишнее доказательство того, что

more by token - *диал.* более того

2. ['tɒkən] *a*

символический; формальный номинальный

token acceptance - символическое признание

token concession - символическая уступка

token coin = token money

token gesture - символический /условный/ жест

token smile - подобие улыбки

token resistance - видимость сопротивления

token occupation - *воен.* частичная оккупация

token desegregation - *амер.* символическая десегрегация; символический приём в «белую» школу двух-трёх негров

token compliance with the desegregation order - *амер.* формальное подчинение приказу о десегрегации

token imports - *эк.* импорт незначительных количеств товара, символический импорт

token vote - *парл.* голосование символической суммы ассигнований с последующим её уточнением

token strike - предупредительная забастовка

3. ['tɒkən] *v*

служить знаком; символизировать

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token [token tokens] *noun, adjective* *BrE* ['tɒkən] [ⓘ] *NAmE* ['tɒkən] [ⓘ]

noun

1. a round piece of metal or plastic used instead of money to operate some machines or as a form of payment

• a parking token

2. (*BrE*) a piece of paper that you pay for and that sb can exchange for sth in a shop/store

• a £20 **book/record/gift token**

3. a piece of paper that you can collect when you buy a particular product and then exchange for sth

• Collect six tokens for a free T-shirt.

4. something that is a symbol of a feeling, a fact, an event, etc.

Syn: ↑expression, **Syn:** ↑mark

• Please accept this small gift **as a token of** our gratitude.

Word Origin:

Old English tǣc(e)n, of Germanic origin; related to Dutch **teken** and German **Zeichen**, also to ↑**teach**.

Example Bank:

• We hope you will accept this book as a small token of our appreciation.

Idiom: ↑**by the same token**

adjective only before noun

1. involving very little effort or feeling and intended only as a way of showing other people that you think sb/sth is important, when really you are not sincere

• The government has only made a token gesture towards helping the unemployed.

• There was one token woman on the committee (= a woman who is included in the group to make it look as if women are always included, although that is not true) .

• When he suggested going into business on their own, she put up only a token resistance.

2. done as a symbol to show that you are serious about sth and will keep a promise or an agreement or do more later

• The government agreed to send a small token force to the area.

• a one-day token strike

3. (of a small amount of money) that you pay or charge sb only as a symbol, because a payment is expected

Syn: †nominal

- We charge only a token fee for use of the facilities.

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I. **toʊken**¹ /'təʊkən \$ 'toʊ-/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *noun* [countable]

[*Language:* Old English; *Origin:* tacen, tacn 'sign, token']

1. a round piece of metal that you use instead of money in some machines

2. *formal* something that represents a feeling, fact, event etc

a **token of your gratitude/respect/appreciation etc**

Please accept this gift as a small token of our appreciation. ⇨ **by the same token** at †**same**¹⁽⁷⁾

3. **book/record/gift token** *British English* a special piece of paper that you can exchange for a book, record etc in a shop **SYN gift certificate** *American English:*

a £10 book token

II. **toʊkən**² *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *adjective* [only before noun]

1. a token action, change etc is small and not very important, and is usually only done so that someone can pretend that they are dealing with a problem:

The government thinks it can get away with token gestures on environmental issues.

2. **token woman/black etc** someone who is included in a group to make everyone think that the group has all types of people in it, when this is not really true

3. done as a first sign that an agreement, promise etc will be kept and that more will be done later:

A small token payment will keep the bank happy.

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