

**bingo**I  
['bɪŋɡə] *n*бинго (*игра типа лото*)bingo palace - клуб *или* игорный дом для бинго

## II

['bɪŋɡə] *int сл.*бах! (*выражает внезапность или сильный удар*)

we are all set when, bingo, I get this letter - мы устроились и вдруг - бах! Я получаю это письмо

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**bingo** [bingo bingos] *noun, exclamation* *BrE* ['bɪŋɡə] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAme* ['bɪŋɡo] <sup>ˈ</sup>*noun uncountable*

a game in which each player has a card with numbers on. Numbers are called out in no particular order and the first player whose numbers are all called out, or who has a line of numbers called out, wins a prize

- to play bingo
- a bingo hall

Word Origin:

1920s (as an interjection): of unknown origin.

Culture:

In Britain bingo used to be thought of as a game for older people but is now popular also with the young. In the 1970s many large buildings such as cinemas were converted into **bingo halls**. It was traditional to have special names for numbers as they were read out. For example, 66 was 'clickety-click' and 88 was 'two fat ladies'. Now the numbers are produced by a computer and the old names are rarely used.

Example Bank:

- Tuesdays are bingo night at the club.

**exclamation** used to express pleasure and/or surprise because you have found sth that you were looking for, or done sth that you were trying to do

- The computer program searches, and bingo! We've got a match.

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I. **bingo**<sup>1</sup> /'bɪŋɡə/\$ -gou/ *BrE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *AmE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *noun* [uncountable]

a game played for money or prizes, in which numbers are chosen by chance and called out, and if you have the right numbers on your card, you win:

<sup>ˈ</sup> Vera won £20 at bingo.

II. **bingo**<sup>2</sup> *BrE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *AmE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *interjection*[Date: 1900-2000; Origin: *bing* 'sound of something being hit' (1900-2000)]

used when you have just done something successfully and are pleased:

<sup>ˈ</sup> Bingo! That's the one I've been looking for.

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