

entranceI
[ˈentrəns] *n*

1. 1) вход; входная дверь; въездные ворота

back entrance - чёрный ход

front entrance - парадный ход

entrance to the hall [to the cave] - вход в зал [в пещеру]

2) вход; въезд

free entrance and safe egress - свободный въезд и беспрепятственный выезд

no entrance - вход воспрещён; въезда нет

entrance to a country - въезд в страну

to block the entrance in the harbour - преграждать /блокировать/ вход в гавань

to force an entrance - ворваться, вломиться

2. 1) *театр.* выход

the entrance of an actor upon the stage - выход актёра на сцену

the young actor made only two entrances - у молодого актёра было только два выхода

2) (торжественный) выход

to await the entrance of the king - ожидать выхода короля

3) *муз.* вступление (*голоса, инструмента*)3. вступление (*в союз и т. п.*); поступление (*в школу и т. п.*)

his entrance to Princeton - его поступление в Принстонский университет

entrance to the college is by examination only - приём в колледж только по сдаче экзаменов

entrance into public life - выход на общественную арену

the entrance of an heir into his estate - вступление во владение наследством

entrance upon his twentieth year - ≅ ему пошёл двадцатый год

4. доступ, право входа

free entrance to ... - а) свободный доступ (*куда-л.*); б) бесплатный вход (*в кино и т. п.*)5. *с.-х.* леток (*в улье*)

II

[ɪnˈtrɑːns] *v*

1. привести в восторг, очаровать, заворожить

they listened entranced - они слушали как заворожённые

he was entranced with joy - он был вне себя от радости

2. приводить в состояние транса, экстаза, оцепенения

the snake entranced the rabbit with its gaze - кролик оцепенел под взглядом змеи

they were entranced with what the preacher said - слова проповедника привели их в экстаз

entrance

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• **entrance** 1 [entrance entrances entranced entrancing] *BrE* [ˈentrəns] ¹*NAmE* [ˈentrəns] ¹ nounsee also ↑entrance ²**DOOR/GATE**1. **countable** ~ (to sth) a door, gate, passage, etc. used for entering a room, building or place

• the entrance to the museum/the museum entrance

• A lighthouse marks the entrance to the harbour.

• the **front/back/side entrance** of the house• an **entrance hall/lobby**• I'll meet you at the **main entrance** .**compare** ↑exit _{n.} (1)**GOING IN**2. **countable, usually singular** the act of entering a room, building or place, especially in a way that attracts the attention of other people

• His sudden entrance took everyone by surprise.

• A fanfare signalled the entrance of the king.

• She **made her entrance** after all the other guests had arrived• The hero **makes his entrance** (= walks onto the stage) in Scene 2.3. **uncountable** ~ (to sth) the right or opportunity to enter a building or place

• They were refused entrance to the exhibition.

• The police were unable to **gain entrance** to the house.• (*BrE*) an **entrance fee** (= money paid to go into a museum, etc.)**BECOMING INVOLVED**4. **countable** ~ (into sth) the act of becoming involved in sth

• The company made a dramatic entrance into the export market.

TO CLUB/INSTITUTION5. **uncountable** permission to become a member of a club, society, university, etc

- a university entrance exam
- entrance requirements
- ~ (to sth) Entrance to the golf club is by sponsorship only.

compare ↑entry

Word Origin:

late 15th cent. (in the sense 'right or opportunity of admission'): from Old French, from **entrer** 'enter'.

Thesaurus:

entrance noun C

- I'll meet you at the main entrance.

door • **gate** • **doorway** • **gateway** • **mouth** • **way** •

Opp: exit

at the entrance/door/gate/mouth

in the entrance/doorway/gateway

front/back/side entrance/door/gate/way

Example Bank:

- He was waiting at the entrance to the cave.
- She made a grand entrance once all the guests were assembled.
- She stood firm, blocking the entrance.
- She stood in the entrance to the ward.
- Some of the protesters tried to gain entrance to the meeting.
- The band left by the rear entrance to escape photographers.
- The building has only one entrance.
- The little porch marked the entrance to a churchyard.
- There is a back entrance from West Street.
- While the front door is being repaired, please use the side entrance.
- an entrance ticket to the zoo
- her entrance into politics
- students hoping to gain entrance to college
- the entrance into the car park
- A life-sized mastodon greets visitors at the entrance to the museum.
- After so many years in show business he knew how to make an entrance.
- I'll meet you at the main entrance.
- Is there an entrance fee?
- The Prime Minister's entrance to the platform was greeted with loud cheers.
- The hero makes his entrance in scene two.
- The side entrance is no longer in use.
- They were refused entrance to the club.
- What are the entrance requirements for this course?

• **II. en-trance** 2 [**entrance** **entrances** **entranced** **entrancing**] *BrE* [ɪn'trɑːnʃ^{us}] *NAme* [ɪn'træns]^{us} **verb usually passive ~ sb**
(formal)

to make sb feel great pleasure and admiration so that they give sb/sth all their attention

Syn: ↑enthral

- He listened to her, entranced.

see also ↑entrance¹

Derived Word ↑entrancing

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	entrance
	<i>BrE</i> /ɪn'trɑːns/
	<i>NAme</i> /ɪn'træns/
he / she / it	entrances
	<i>BrE</i> /ɪn'trɑːnsɪz/
	<i>NAme</i> /ɪn'trænsɪz/
past simple, past participle	entranced
	<i>BrE</i> /ɪn'trɑːnst/
	<i>NAme</i> /ɪn'trænst/
-ing form	entrancing
	<i>BrE</i> /ɪn'trɑːnsɪŋ/
	<i>NAme</i> /ɪn'trænsɪŋ/

Word Origin:

late 16th cent. intrans **↑en-** **↑in-** 'into' **↑trance**

Example Bank:

- I was entranced by the bird's beauty.

entrance

I. **en** **trance**¹ **S3 W3** /'entrens/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *noun*[Word Family: **noun**: ↑entrance, ↑entrant, ↑entry; **verb**: ↑enter]

[Date: 1400-1500; Language: Old French; Origin: entrer; ⇨ ↑enter]

1. [countable] a door, gate etc that you go through to enter a place **OPP** exit**entrance to/of**" the main entrance to the school**front/back/side entrance**

" the station entrance

entrance hall/foyer/gate etc

2. [countable usually singular] the act of entering a place or room, especially in a way that people notice:

" Bridget made a dramatic entrance into the room.

3. [uncountable] the right or ability to go into a place

entrance to

" Entrance to the museum is free.

" Reporters even managed to gain entrance to her hotel." How much is the entrance fee (=money you pay to get in somewhere)?

4. [uncountable] permission to become a member of or become involved in a profession, university, society etc:

" the initial interview for entrance to the Civil Service

" entrance examinations

5. [countable] when a person, country, organization etc first becomes involved in a particular area of activity

entrance into

" The referendum blocked Switzerland's entrance into the European Economic Area.

6. **make your/an entrance** to come onto the stage in a play

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COLLOCATIONS

■ ADJECTIVES/NOUN + entrance

- **the main entrance** She found a parking space close to the hospital's main entrance.
- **the front/back/rear/side entrance** There is a long drive with steps leading to the front entrance.
- **a narrow entrance** I could see part of the yard through the narrow entrance.
- **a wide entrance** There was a wide entrance at the front of the building.
- **the hotel/hospital/museum etc entrance** Our taxi pulled up outside the hotel entrance.
- **the harbour entrance** *British English*, **the harbor entrance** *American English* We watched as the ferry approached the harbour entrance.
- **the tunnel entrance** At high tide, the tunnel entrance is totally submerged.

■ verbs

- **come/go/pass etc through an entrance** People passed in single file through the narrow entrance.
- **use an entrance** It's quicker to use the side entrance.
- **block an entrance** A large stone blocked the entrance to the tomb.

■ entrance + NOUN

- **an entrance hall** (=a room at the entrance to a building) He walked through the front door into the entrance hall.
- **an entrance lobby/foyer** (=an area at the entrance to a large building) There was no sign of her in the entrance foyer.
- **an entrance gate/door** Soldiers were guarding the entrance gate.

II. **en** **trance**² /ɪn'trɑːns/ -'træns/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *verb* [transitive usually passive] *literary*

[Date: 1500-1600; Origin: trance]

if someone or something entrances you, they make you give them all your attention because they are so beautiful, interesting etc:

" I was entranced by the sweetness of her voice.

—**entranced** *adjective* [not before noun]:

" She stopped, entranced.

—**entrancing** *adjective*:

" entrancing stories

entrance

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entrance 10797

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entries 3907

entry 11310

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