

grammar

[ˈgræmə] *n*

1. грамматика (наука)

historical [comparative, general] grammar - историческая [сравнительная, общая] грамматика

categorial [context-free] grammar - категориальная [контекстно-свободная] грамматика

finite state grammar - автоматная грамматика, грамматика с конечным числом состояний

phrase-structure [transformational] grammar - грамматика непосредственно составляющих [трансформационная грамматика]

generative grammar - порождающая /генеративная/ грамматика

2. грамматика, грамматическая система (языка)

grammar book [lesson] - учебник [урок] грамматики

grammar rule - грамматическое правило

German grammar is said to be more difficult than English grammar - немецкая грамматика считается более трудной, чем английская

3. учебник грамматики

a modern English grammar - учебник грамматики современного английского языка

to read smth. in a grammar - прочесть что-л. в учебнике грамматики

4. грамматические навыки; правильная речь

to speak [to write] bad grammar - говорить [писать] с ошибками

that's not good grammar - так не говорят

he speaks fluently but his grammar is very bad - он говорит бегло, но делает очень много грамматических ошибок

5. основы (какой-л.) науки *и т. п.*

to learn the grammar of a subject - овладеть началами /основами/ предмета

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

gram·mar [grammar grammars] *BrE* [ˈgræmə(r)] ^m *NAmE* [ˈgræməɹ] ^m **noun**

1. uncountable the rules in a language for changing the form of words and joining them into sentences

- the basic rules of grammar

- English grammar

see also ↑generative grammar

2. uncountable a person's knowledge and use of a language

- His grammar is appalling.

- bad grammar

3. countable a book containing a description of the rules of a language

- a French grammar

Word Origin:

late Middle English: from Old French **gramaire**, via Latin from Greek **grammatikē (tekhnē)** '(art) of letters', from **gramma**, **grammat-** 'letter of the alphabet, thing written'.

Example Bank:

- People were too polite to correct my grammar when I spoke German.

- Spelling and good grammar are both very important.

- the complexities of English grammar

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

gram·mar **S3 W3** /ˈgræmə \$ -əɪ/ *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m **noun**

[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Old French; Origin: gramaire, from Latin grammatica, from Greek grammatikos 'of letters', from gramma; ⇨ ↑gram]

1. [uncountable] the rules by which words change their forms and are combined into sentences, or the study or use of these rules:

- Check your spelling and grammar.

- the rules of English grammar

2. [countable] a particular description of grammar or a book that describes grammar rules:

- A dictionary lists the words, a grammar states the rules.

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