candy

1. [ˈkændɪ] *n*
  1. леденцы
  2. *амер.* конфеты(*любого сорта*)
  mixed candies - конфетныйнабор, ассорти
  five pieces of candy - пять конфет
  rock /sugar/ candy - леденцы
  candy store - кондитерская, кондитерский магазин
  ◇ like taking candy from a baby - *амер.* легче лёгкого, проще простого

2. [ˈkændɪ] *v*
  1) варить в сахаре
  2) засахаривать (*фрукты*)
  3) засахариваться (*о варенье и т. п.*)

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candy [**candy candies candied candying**] *BrE* [ˈkændi]   *NAmE* [ˈkændi]
noun uncountable, countable (pl. **candies**)(NAmE)
  sweet food made of sugar and/or chocolate, eaten between meals; a piece of this
  Syn: ↑sweet
  • a box of candy
  • a candy store
  • a candy bar
  • Who wants the last piece of candy?
  see also ↑arm candy, ↑eye candy
  I diom ↑like taking candy from a baby

  Word Origin:
  mid 17th cent. (as a verb): the noun use is from late Middle English sugar-candy, from French sucre candi **'crystallized sugar'**, from Arabic sukkar **'sugar'** + qandī **'candied'** , based on Sanskrit khaṇḍa **'fragment'** .

  Example Bank:
    • People were celebrating in the streets and handing out candy.
    • Taking the money would be like taking candy from a baby.
    • The kids made straight for the candy aisle.
    • a low-fat alternative to candy bars

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can dy S3 /ˈkændi/ *BrE*   *AmE*   *noun* (*plural* **candies**) [uncountable and countable]
  [Date: 1200-1300; Language: Old French; Origin: candi, from Arabic qandi *'covered with sugar'*, from qand *'sugar'*]

1. *American English* a sweet food made from sugar or chocolate:
      a box of candies
      a candy bar
      Do you want a piece of candy?
2. **mind/brain candy** *informal* something that is entertaining or pleasant to look at, but which you do not approve of because you think it is not serious:
      Most video games are just brain candy.

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  12500 **3532** MCW
  15000 **2870** COCA
  RANGE: **6k** CANDY ⁹¹⁸⁶
  candy ⁸⁴⁴⁶
  candies ⁷⁴⁰
  COCA 500k Unlemmatized

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