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издавать восклицание «о»

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[əv] = O, o²

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

oh (also especially literary O) BrE [əʊ] ^m NAmE [oʊ] ^m exclamation

1. used when you are reacting to sth that has been said, especially if you did not know it before

- 'I saw Ben yesterday.' 'Oh yes, how is he?'
- Oh dear! What's happened now?
- You can't come tonight? Oh well, see you next week then.
- 'Emma has a new job.' 'Oh, has she?'

2. used to express surprise, fear, joy, etc.

- Oh, how wonderful!
- Oh no, I've broken it!

3. used to attract sb's attention

- Oh, Sue! Could you help me a moment?

4. used when you are thinking of what to say next

- I've been in this job for, oh, about six years.

See also: ↑O

Word Origin:

[oh] mid 16th cent.: variant of O.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

oh /əʊ \$ oʊ/ BrE ^m AmE ^m interjection

[Date: 1500-1600; Origin: O 1]

1. used when you want to get someone's attention or continue what you are saying:

- Oh, look, I think that's Harry over there.
- Milk, cereal, juice – oh, and put lettuce on the list too.

2. used when you are giving an answer to a question:

- 'Have you met his wife?' 'Oh, yes, I know her quite well.'
- 'I hope Jenny won't be angry.' 'Oh, no, don't worry about that.'

oh, okay/all right

- 'Can you lend me ten pounds?' 'Oh, all right, but only until tomorrow.'

3. used to make a slight pause when you are speaking:

- I met your friend in town, oh, what's her name?

4. used to show that you are very happy, angry, disappointed etc about something:

- Oh, aren't those flowers gorgeous!
- Oh, how awful!
- Oh, no! I've left my keys in the car!

oh, good/great

- Oh, good, you're still here.

oh, God/oh, dear etc

- Oh, God, I forgot all about it!
- Oh, well, nevermind.

5. used to show that you are surprised about something:

- 'Frances has left her husband, you know.' 'Oh, has she?'
- Oh, I didn't know that.

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Frequency Pack

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