

**Greek****1. [gri:k] n**

1. грек; гречанка

the Greeks - *собир.* греки

2. греческий язык

modern Greek - современный греческий язык

◇ gay /merry, mad/ Greek - весельчак; весёлый собутыльник; гуляка

it is Greek to me - это для меня совершенно непонятно, ≅ это для меня китайская грамота

it's a case of Greek meeting Greek - это - схватка равных

when Greek meets Greek (then comes the tug of war) - когда встречаются достойные соперники, большого сражения не миновать

**2. [gri:k] a**

греческий

Greek architecture - греческая архитектура, греческий стиль в архитектуре

Greek era - греческое летоисчисление

Greek type - *полигр.* греческий шрифт◇ Greek gift *см.* gift I ◇

at /on/ the Greek calends - до греческих календ, никогда

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**Greek** [**Greek** **Greeks**] *BrE* [gri:k] *NAmE* [gri:k] **noun****1. countable** a person from modern or ancient Greece**2. uncountable** the language of modern or ancient Greece**3. countable** (*NAmE*) a member of a ↑**fraternity** or a ↑**sorority** at a college or university**Idiom:** ↑it's all Greek to meWord Origin:Old English Grēcas 'the Greeks', from Latin **Graeci** (the name given by the Romans to the people who called themselves the Hellenes), from Greek **Graikoi**, which according to Aristotle was the prehistoric name of the Hellenes.**Greek**

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**I. Greek**<sup>1</sup> /gri:k/ *BrE* *AmE* **adjective**

relating to Greece, its people, or its language:

Greek yoghurt

**II. Greek**<sup>2</sup> *BrE* *AmE* **noun**[**Date:** 800-900; **Language:** Latin; **Origin:** Graecus, from Greek Graikos]**1. [countable]** someone from Greece**2. [uncountable]** the language used in modern or ancient Greece**3. [countable]** *American English* a member of a ↑**sorority** or ↑**fraternity** at an American college or university**4. it's all Greek to me** *informal* used to say that you cannot understand something