

perky[ˈpɜːki] *a*

1. весёлый, бойкий

perky woman - разбитная бабёнка

2. дерзкий, самоуверенный, наглый

perky little nose - задорный носик

perky little miss - дерзкая /самоуверенная/ девчушка

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

perky [ˈpɜːki] *BrE* [ˈpɜːki] *NAme* [ˈpɜːrki] *adjective*

(perki-ier, perki-est) (informal)

cheerful and full of energy

• She hasn't been her usual perky self lately.

Derived Word ↑perkiness**perky**

Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

perky /ˈpɜːki/ *BrE* *AmE* *adjective informal*

[Date: 1800-1900; Origin: perk 'to behave confidently and cheerfully', ⇒ ↑perk]

confident, happy, and active:

a perky salesgirl

—perkily *adverb*—perkiness *noun* [uncountable]**perky**

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