

**proclaim**

[prə'kleɪm] *v*

1. объявлять; провозглашать  
to proclaim war - объявить войну  
to proclaim a republic - провозгласить республику
2. 1) объявить вне закона *и т. п.*  
to proclaim smb. (to be) a traitor - объявить кого-л. изменником /предателем/  
to proclaim smb. an outlaw - объявить кого-л. вне закона
- 2) запрещать (*собрания и т. п.*)
3. осуждать
4. обнародовать, доводить до всеобщего сведения, опубликовывать  
to proclaim the news - обнародовать сообщение; сообщить новость
5. свидетельствовать, показывать  
his accent proclaimed him a foreigner/that he was a foreigner/ - (его) произношение выдавало в нём иностранца по его произношению было ясно, что он иностранец  
his face proclaims his guilt - по его лицу видно, что он виноват
6. объявлять чрезвычайное положение  
the whole country is proclaimed - в стране объявлено чрезвычайное положение
7. превозносить, расхваливать публично  
to proclaim the Lord - воздать хвалу господу

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**pro-claim** [proclaim proclaims proclaimed proclaiming] *BrE* [prə'kleɪm] <sup>m</sup>

*NAmE* [prə'kleɪm] <sup>m</sup> **verb** (formal)

1. to publicly and officially tell people about sth important

**Syn:** ↑declare

- ~ **sth** The president proclaimed a state of emergency.
- The day was proclaimed a public holiday.
- ~ **that...** The charter proclaimed that all states would have their own government
- ~ **sb/sth/yourself + noun** He proclaimed himself emperor.
- ~ **sb/sth/yourself to be/have sth** Steve checked the battery and proclaimed it to be dead.
- ~ **how, what, etc...** The senator proclaimed how shocked he was at the news.
- + **speech** 'We will succeed,' she proclaimed.

2. to show sth clearly; to be a sign of sth

- ~ **sth** This building, more than any other, proclaims the character of the town.
- ~ **sb/sth + noun** His accent proclaimed him a Scot.
- ~ **sb/sth to be/have sth** His accent proclaimed him to be a Scot.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	proclaim
	BrE /prə'kleɪm/
	NAmE /prə'kleɪm/
he / she / it	proclaims
	BrE /prə'kleɪmz/
	NAmE /prə'kleɪmz/
past simple, past participle	proclaimed
	BrE /prə'kleɪmd/
	NAmE /prə'kleɪmd/
-ing form	proclaiming
	BrE /prə'kleɪmɪŋ/
	NAmE /prə'kleɪmɪŋ/

Word Origin:

late Middle English proclame, from Latin **proclamare** 'cry out', from **pro-** 'forth' + **clamare** 'to shout'. The change in the second syllable was due to association with the verb **claim**.

Example Bank:

- His boyish looks seemed to proclaim his inexperience.
- His classic boyish looks seemed to proclaim his good humour and openness.
- I hereby proclaim June 12 as a computer-free day.
- She boldly proclaimed that her goal was to win the championship.
- She proclaimed her innocence to the world.
- She repeatedly proclaimed her devotion to the cause.
- The district unilaterally proclaimed its independence from the national government
- They continue to proclaim their innocence.
- Charles II was proclaimed King in May 1660.

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**pro-claim** /prə'kleɪm \$ prou-/ *BrE* <sup>m</sup> *AmE* <sup>m</sup> **verb** [transitive] *formal*

[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Old French; Origin: proclamer, from Latin proclamare, from clamare 'to cry out']

1. to say publicly or officially that something important is true or exists ⇨ **proclamation** :

" The President proclaimed the republic's independence.

**proclaim that**

" Protesters proclaimed that the girl was innocent.

**proclaim somebody something**

" His son was immediately proclaimed King.

**2. to show something clearly or be a sign of something:**

" The stripes on her uniform proclaimed her seniority.

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