

invade

[ɪn'veɪd] v

- 1) вторгаться, нападать; захватывать, занимать, оккупировать; насильственно овладевать
to invade a country - вторгнуться в страну; оккупировать страну
- 2) врываться
- 3) нахлынуть; наводнить, заполнить
tourists invaded the city - город наводнили /в город нахлынули/ туристы
grasshoppers invaded the fields - на поля напали кузнечики
2. охватывать, овладевать (о чувствах)
a sense of loneliness invaded her - ею овладело чувство одиночества
terror invaded our minds - нас охватил ужас
3. посягать (на что-л.)
to invade another person's rights - посягать на чьи-л. права
4. поражать; распространяться (о болезни)
gangrene invades the healthy tissue - гангрена поражает здоровую ткань

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in-vade [invade invades invaded invading] BrE [ɪn'veɪd] * NAmE [ɪn'veɪd] *

verb

1. **intransitive, transitive** to enter a country, town, etc. using military force in order to take control of it
• Troops invaded on August 9th that year.
• ~ **sth** When did the Romans invade Britain?
2. **transitive ~ sth** to enter a place in large numbers, especially in a way that causes damage or confusion
• Demonstrators invaded the government buildings.
• As the final whistle blew, fans began invading the field.
• The cancer cells may invade other parts of the body.
3. **transitive ~ sth** to affect sth in an unpleasant or annoying way
• Do the press have the right to **invade her privacy** in this way?

see also ↑invasion, ↑invasive

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	invade
	BrE /ɪn'veɪd/
	NAmE /ɪn'veɪd/
he / she / it	invades
	BrE /ɪn'veɪdɪz/
	NAmE /ɪn'veɪdɪz/
past simple, past participle	invaded
	BrE /ɪn'veɪdɪd/
	NAmE /ɪn'veɪdɪd/
-ing form	invading
	BrE /ɪn'veɪdɪŋ/
	NAmE /ɪn'veɪdɪŋ/

Word Origin:

late Middle English (in the sense 'attack or assault (a person)'): from Latin *invadere* from *in-* 'into' + *vadere* 'go'.

Thesaurus:

invade verb I, T

- When did the Romans invade Britain?
- occupy • conquer • take • capture • seize • attack • storm • |formal annex •**
invade/occupy/conquer/seize/attack/annex a **country/region**
invade/occupy/conquer/take/capture/seize/attack/storm a **town/city**
troops/soldiers invade/occupy/take/capture/seize/attack/storm a place
a **country** invades/occupies/conquers/attacks/annexes a place

Example Bank:

- Does the press have the right to invade her privacy in this way?
- You feel tense with worrying thoughts constantly invading your sleep.

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[Date: 1400-1500; Language: Latin; Origin: *invadere* from *vadere* 'to go']

1. **[intransitive and transitive]** to enter a country, town, or area using military force, in order to take control of it:
The Romans invaded Britain 2000 years ago.
2. **[transitive]** to go into a place in large numbers, especially when you are not wanted:
Every summer, the town is invaded by tourists.
Fans invaded the pitch at half time.
3. **[transitive]** to get involved in something in an unwanted and annoying way:
What right does he have to invade my privacy?
Patients are given the feeling that they mustn't try to invade medical territory (=try to deal with things that are not their

responsibility).

⇒ †invasion

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THESAURUS

■ to attack a place

- **attack** to use weapons to try to damage or take control of a place: The village was attacked by enemy warplanes. | We will attack at dawn.
- **invade** to enter a country and try to get control of it using force: The Romans invaded Britain 2,000 years ago.
- **storm** to suddenly attack a city or building that is well defended by getting inside it and taking control: Elite troops stormed the building and rescued the hostages.
- **besiege** /bɪ'siːdʒ/ to surround a city or building with soldiers in order to stop the people inside from getting out or from receiving supplies: In April 655, Osman's palace was besieged by rebels.

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