

**syllable****1. ['sɪləb(ə)]** *n*

1. 1) слог

words of one syllable - односложные слова [*см. тж.* ◇ ]

2) звук, слово

not a syllable - ни звука, ни слова

don't mention a syllable of this - не упоминай ничего /ни звука/ об этом

**2. мельчайшая часть, деталь (сказанного, написанного)**

I know every syllable of the matter - я знаю это дело до мельчайших подробностей

◇ in words of one syllable - (выраженный) просто, ясно, недвусмысленно [*см. тж.* 1, 1)]

in words of one syllable it means ... - проще говоря, это значит ...

**2. ['sɪləb(ə)]** *v*

произносить по слогам

**syllable**

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**syl·la·ble** [**syllable syllables syllabled syllabing**] *BrE* ['sɪləb] <sup>m</sup> *NAmE* ['sɪləb]**noun**

any of the units into which a word is divided, containing a vowel sound and usually one or more consonants

- a word with two syllables
- a two-syllable word
- 'Potato' is stressed on the second syllable.

**see** in words of one syllable **at** ↑**word** <sub>n.</sub>Word Origin:late Middle English: from an Anglo-Norman French alteration of Old French **sillabe**, via Latin from Greek **sullabē**, from **sun-** 'together' + **lambanein** 'take'.Example Bank:

- Normally the stress falls on the first syllable of a word.
- Put the stress on the second syllable.
- She split the word up into syllables so that he could have a go at spelling it.
- We stress the second syllable of the word.
- You'll have to spell it out to him, using words of one syllable.
- nonsense syllables such as 'fa-la'.
- the final syllable of 'Oregon'
- words that have three or more syllables

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

**syl·la·ble** /'sɪləbəl/ *BrE* <sup>m</sup> *AmE* <sup>m</sup> **noun** [countable][**Date:** 1300-1400; **Language:** Old French; **Origin:** sillabe, from Latin, from Greek syllabe, from syllambanein 'to gather together', from syn- (⇒ ↑**syn-**) + lambanein 'to take']

a word or part of a word which contains a single vowel sound

⇒ **in words of one syllable** at ↑**word**<sup>1</sup>(18)**syllable**

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