

**shrub**

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 [[ʃrʌb] *n*  
 кустарник, куст

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[[ʃrʌb] *n*  
 1. шраб, фруктовый сок с водкой *и т. п.*  
 rum shrub - шраб на роме, ромовый шраб  
 2. *амер.* шраб, фруктовый сок с водой и уксусом  
 raspberry shrub - малиновый шраб

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**shrub** [shrub shrubs] *BrE* [[ʃrʌb] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAmE* [[ʃrʌb] <sup>ˈ</sup> *noun*

a large plant that is smaller than a tree and that has several ↑stems of wood coming from the ground

**Syn:** ↑bush

- evergreenshrubs
- shrub roses

Word Origin:

Old English scrubb, scrybb 'shrubbery'; compare with West Flemish schrobbe 'vetch', Norwegian skrubba 'dwarf cornel' (a type of dogwood), also with the noun ↑scrub senses 2 and 3.

Example Bank:

- Overgrown deciduous shrubs can be cut back at this time of year.
- Tender shrubs don't grow well here.
- The bed is planted with flowering shrubs.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[*Language:* Old English; *Origin:* scrybb]

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**THESAURUS**

- **plant** a living thing that has leaves and roots and grows in earth, especially one that is smaller than a tree: Don't forget to water the plants. | Plants grow towards the sun. | Botanists examined plant species from around the world.
- **herb** a small plant that is used to improve the taste of food, or to make medicine: Sprinkle the dish with chopped fresh herbs. | medicinal herbs (=used as medicine) | The shop sells an interesting range of herbs and spices.
- **weed** a wild plant growing where it is not wanted that prevents crops or garden flowers from growing properly: She was pulling up weeds in her garden. | Herbicides can be used to prevent and control weeds.
- **bulb** a root shaped like a ball that grows into a flower or plant: She planted hundreds of daffodil bulbs.
- **shrub** a small bush with several woody stems: flowering shrubs | Rosemary is an evergreenshrub.

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