

scab

1. [skæb] *n*
 1. струп, корка, короста
 2. чесотка, парша
 3. парша (*болезнь растений*)
potato scab - рак картофеля
 4. *сл.*
 - 1) штрейкбрехер
 - 2) рабочий, не желающий вступить в профсоюз
 5. *уст.* подлец; дрянь

2. [skæb] *v*

1. покрываться струпьями (*тж.* scab over)
2. *сл.* быть штрейкбрехером
3. тесать камень

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

scab [scab scabs scabbed scabbing] *BrE* [skæb] ^ˈ *NAmE* [skæb] ^ˈ **noun**

1. **countable** a hard dry covering that forms over a wound as it heals
2. **uncountable** a skin disease of animals
3. **uncountable** a disease of plants, especially apples and potatoes, that causes a rough surface
4. **countable** (*informal, disapproving*) a worker who refuses to join a strike or takes the place of sb on strike

Syn: ↑blacklegWord Origin:

Middle English (as a noun): from Old Norse **skabb**; related to dialect shab (compare with ↑shabby). The sense 'contemptible person' (dating from the late 16th cent.) was probably influenced by Middle Dutch **schabbe** 'slut'.

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scab /skæb/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ **noun** [countable][**Date:** 1200-1300; **Language:** Old Norse; **Origin:** skabb]

1. a hard layer of dried blood that forms over a cut or wound while it is getting better
2. an insulting word for someone who works while the other people in the same factory, office etc are on ↑strike

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