

cartilage

[ˈkɑːt(ə)lɪdʒ] *n*

хрящ

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

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car·til·age [cartilage cartilages] *BrE* [ˈkɑːtɪlɪdʒ] *NAme* [ˈkɑːrtɪlɪdʒ] *noun*

uncountable, countable

the strong white **tissue** that is important in support and especially in joints to prevent the bones rubbing against each other

- I've damaged the cartilage in my knee.



Word Origin:

late Middle English: from French, from Latin *cartilago*, *cartilagin-*.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

car·ti·lage /ˈkɑːtɪlɪdʒ, ˈkɑːtɪlɪdʒ, ˈkɑːrɪlɪdʒ/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [uncountable and countable]

[Date: 1400-1500; Language: Latin; Origin: cartilago]

a strong substance that can bend, which is around the joints in your body and in your outer ear

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