

**reconnaissance**[rɪ'kɒnɪs(ə)ns] *n*1. **воен.** разведка, рекогносцировка

reconnaissance mission - разведывательный полёт

reconnaissance aircraft - разведывательный самолёт

reconnaissance space vehicle - разведывательный космический аппарат

reconnaissance flare - а) светящая бомба; б) осветительная ракета

reconnaissance agency - орган разведки

reconnaissance intelligence - данные разведки; разведывательные данные

reconnaissance report - разведывательное донесение

reconnaissance party - разведывательная группа

reconnaissance officer - начальник разведки; офицер разведки

reconnaissance map - рабочая схематическая карта

reconnaissance survey - маршрутная съёмка

aerial reconnaissance - воздушная разведка; аэрофоторазведка

reconnaissance by fire - огневая разведка

reconnaissance in person - (личная) рекогносцировка

reconnaissance in strength /in force/ - разведка боем

2. 1) **спец.** разведка; исследование

map [ground] reconnaissance - рекогносцировка по карте [на местности]

lunar reconnaissance - исследование лунной поверхности

2) **геол.** предварительная или первоначальная разведка3. **прощупывание, зондирование**

to make a reconnaissance before opening negotiations - зондировать почву до начала переговоров

to make a reconnaissance of the work to be done - сделать предварительные намётки к предстоящей работе

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**re-con-nais-sance** [reconnaissance reconnaissances] *BrE* [rɪ'kɒnɪsɪns]*NAmE* [rɪ'kɑːnɪsɪs] (also *BrE* informal **recce**) (also *US* informal **recon**) **noun** countable, uncountable

the activity of getting information about an area for military purposes, using soldiers, planes, etc

- to make an aerial reconnaissance of the island
- Time spent on reconnaissance is seldom wasted.
- a reconnaissance aircraft/mission/satellite

See also: ↑**recce** ▪ ↑**recon**Word Origin:early 19th cent.: from French, from **reconnaître** 'recognize', from Latin **recognoscere** 'know again', from **re-** 'again' + **cognoscere** 'learn'.Collocations:**War and peace***Starting a war*

declare /make/wage war (on sb/sth)

go to war (against/with sb)

cause/spark/provoke/foment/quell unrest

incite/lead/crush/suppress a revolt/rebellion

launch/mount/carry out a surprise/terrorist attack

prevent/halt/represent an escalation of the conflict

be torn apart by/be on the brink of civil war

enter/invade/occupy sb's territory

lead/launch/resist/repel an invasion

*Military operations*

adopt/develop/implement/pursue a military strategy

carry out/execute/perform military operations/manoeuvres (*especially US*) maneuvers

send/deploy/station/pull back/withdraw troops

go on/fly/carry out a reconnaissance/rescue mission

train/equip/deploy army/military/combat units

lead/launch/conduct a raid/a surprise attack/an (air/airborne/amphibious) assault (on sb)

employ/use guerrilla tactics

conduct/wage biological/guerrilla warfare

fight/crush/defeat the rebels/the insurgency

suffer/inflict a crushing defeat

achieve/win a decisive victory

halt/stop the British/German/Russian advance

order/force a retreat

*Fighting*

join/serve in the army/navy/air force

be/go/remain/serve on active duty

serve/complete/return from a tour of duty

be sent to the front (line)  
attack/strike/engage /defeat/kill/destroy the enemy  
see/report/be engaged in heavy fighting  
call for/be met with armed resistance  
come under heavy/machine-gun/mortar fire  
fire a machine-gun/mortar shells/rockets (at sb/sth)  
shoot a rifle/a pistol/bullets/missiles  
launch/fire a cruise/ballistic/anti-tank missile  
use biological/chemical/nuclear weapons  
inflict/suffer/sustain heavy losses/casualties  
be hit/killed by enemy/friendly/artillery fire  
become/be held as a prisoner of war

*Civilians in war*

harm/kill/target/protect innocent/unarmed civilians  
cause/avoid/limit/minimize civilian casualties/collateral damage  
impose/enforce/lift a curfew  
engage in/be a victim of ethnic cleansing  
be sent to an internment/a concentration camp  
accept/house/resettle refugees fleeing from war  
fear/threaten military/violent reprisals  
commit/be accused of war crimes/crimes against humanity/genocide

*Making peace*

make/bring/win/achieve /maintain /promote peace  
call for/negotiate/broker/declare a ceasefire/a temporary truce  
sign a ceasefire agreement  
call for/bring/put an end to hostilities  
demand /negotiate /accept the surrender of sb/sth  
establish/send (in) a peacekeeping force  
negotiate /conclude/ratify/sign/accept/reject/break/violate a peace treaty

Example Bank:

- Spotter planes made a preliminary aerial reconnaissance of the island.

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[Date: 1800-1900; Language: French; Origin: reconnaître, from Latin recognoscere; ⇨ ↑recognize]

the military activity of sending soldiers and aircraft to find out about the enemy's forces:

- ˈ reconnaissance aircraft
- ˈ a reconnaissance mission
- ˈ wartime roles such as observation and reconnaissance

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