

insular

1. [ˈɪnsjʊlə] *n*
житель острова, островитянин
2. [ˈɪnsjʊlə] *a*
 1. 1) островной
insular climate - островной климат
insular fortress - крепость на острове
 - 2) (Insular) относящийся к Британским островам
 2. изолированный
insular building - стоящее в стороне здание
 3. 1) замкнутый, сдержанный
2) ограниченный, узкий; предубеждённый
 4. *мед.* островковый, инсулярный

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in-su-lar *BrE* [ˈɪnsjələ(r)] ^ˌ *NAmE* [ˈɪnsələ] ^ˌ **adjective**

1. (**disapproving**) only interested in your own country, ideas, etc. and not in those from outside
 - The British are often accused of being insular.
 2. (**technical**) connected with an island or islands
 - the coastal and insular areas
- Derived Word ↑ **insularity**

Word Origin:

[**insular insularity**] mid 16th cent. (as a noun denoting an islander): from late Latin *insularis*, from *insula* 'island'.

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[Date: 1500-1600; Language: Late Latin; Origin: *insularis*, from Latin *insula* 'island']

1. interested in your own group, country, way of life etc and no others – used to show disapproval ⇒ **parochial** :
 - ˌ an insular community
 - ˌ the insular world of the law
 2. **formal** relating to or like an island
- insularity** /ˌɪnsjəˈlærəti, ˌɪnsjʊˈlærəti \$ -sə-, -fə-/ **noun** [uncountable]

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