

leash *n*

- 1) привязь, цепь (для собаки); поводок
leash law - закон, запрещающий выпускать непривязанных собак
on the leash - на привязи; на поводке *и т. п.*
 - 2) *охот.* свора, привязь (для борзых и при соколиной охоте); смычок (для гончих)
 - 3) узда, строгий контроль
to hold /to have, to keep/ in leash - держать в узде; держать на (коротком) поводке; держать в строгости, в повиновении
to keep emotions in leash - не давать воли чувствам
2. *охот.* трое, тройка, три собаки, зайца *и т. п.*
a leash of foxes - три лисицы
◇ to strain at the leash - ≅ рваться в бой, сгорать от нетерпения

leash *v*

1. соединять, связывать
leashed by sacred ties - связанные священными узами
2. держать на привязи, на своре
to leash a dog - посадить собаку на привязь

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leash [leash leashes leashed leashing] *noun, verb* BrE [liːʃ] NAmE [liːʃ]

noun (especially NAmE) (BrE also **lead**)
a long piece of leather, chain or rope used for holding and controlling a dog
• All dogs must be kept **on a leash** in public places.

see strain at the leash **at** ↑strain *v.*

Word Origin:

Middle English: from Old French *lesse*, *laisse*, from *laissier* in the specific sense 'let run on a slack lead', from Latin *laxare* 'make loose', from *laxus* 'loose, lax'.

Example Bank:

- Once she was away from the road, she could let the dogs off the leash.

verb ~ sth

to control an animal, especially a dog, with a ↑lead

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	leash
	BrE /liːʃ/
	NAmE /liːʃ/
he / she / it	leashes
	BrE /liːʃɪz/
	NAmE /liːʃɪz/
past simple, past participle	leashed
	BrE /liːʃt/
	NAmE /liːʃt/
-ing form	leashing
	BrE /liːʃɪŋ/
	NAmE /liːʃɪŋ/

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See also: ↑lead

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I. leash¹ /liːʃ/ BrE AmE *noun* [countable] especially American English

[Date: 1200-1300; Language: Old French; Origin: *laisse*, from *laissier*; ⇒ ↑lease²]

1. a piece of rope, leather etc fastened to a dog's collar in order to control it **SYN lead** *British English*
on/off a leash

- * At her side on a leash trotted a small grey dog.
- * Never leave your dog off the leash outside a store.

2. **keep/have somebody on a leash** to control someone – used humorously:

- * Marcus keeps you on a short leash, does he?

II. leash² BrE AmE *verb* [transitive]

American English to put a leash on a dog

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