

partake

[pɑ:'teɪk] *v* **КНИЖН.** (*partook; partaken*) (*часто of*)

- принимать участие**
to partake of the hospitalities of smb. - воспользоваться чьим-л. гостеприимством
they partook of our triumph - они разделили наше торжество
for those wishing to partake in a number of walks we offer discount tickets - для желающих принять участие в нескольких пешеходных экскурсиях мы предлагаем билеты со скидкой
- отведать (чего-л.), поест**
to partake of the mutton - отведать баранины
to partake of a meal - а) пообедать, позавтракать *u m. n.* с кем-л.; let us partake of a meal before we part - давайте перед расставанием разделим трапезу; б) поест
- 1) напоминать (что-л.)**
it partakes somewhat of a fairy tale - это немного напоминает волшебную сказку
he largely partakes of the character of his father - его характер сильно напоминает характер отца
he partakes equally of the poet and of the philosopher - он в равной степени и поэт и философ
- 2) отдавать (чем-л.); иметь налёт (чего-л.)**
his theory partakes of charlatanism - его теория отдаёт шарлатанством
his manner partakes of insolence - его поведение граничит с наглостью

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par-take [partake partakes partook partaking partaken] *BrE* [pɑːtəkeɪk]

NAmE [pɑːrteɪk] *verb* (**par-took** *BrE* [pɑːtʊk] ; *NAmE* [pɑːrtʊk] **par-taken** *BrE* [pɑːtəkeɪkən] ; *NAmE* [pɑːrteɪkən]) (formal)

- intransitive ~ (of sth)** (old-fashioned or humorous) to eat or drink sth especially sth that is offered to you
• Would you care to partake of some refreshment?
- intransitive ~ (in sth)** (old-fashioned) to take part in an activity
• They preferred not to partake in the social life of the town.

Derived ↑partake of something

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	partake
	<i>BrE</i> /pɑː'teɪk/
	<i>NAmE</i> /pɑːr'teɪk/
he / she / it	partakes
	<i>BrE</i> /pɑː'teɪks/
	<i>NAmE</i> /pɑːr'teɪks/
past simple	partook
	<i>BrE</i> /pɑː'tʊk/
	<i>NAmE</i> /pɑːr'tʊk/
past participle	partaken
	<i>BrE</i> /pɑː'teɪkən/
	<i>NAmE</i> /pɑːr'teɪkən/
-ing form	partaking
	<i>BrE</i> /pɑː'teɪkɪŋ/
	<i>NAmE</i> /pɑːr'teɪkɪŋ/

Word Origin:

mid 16th cent.: back-formation from earlier partaker 'person who takes a part'.

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par-take /pɑːtəkeɪk/ *BrE* *AmE* *verb* (past tense **partook** /-'tʊk/, past participle

partaken /-'teɪkən/) [**intransitive**] *formal*

[Date: 1500-1600; Origin: partaker 'someone who partakes' (15-21 centuries), from part taker]

- to eat or drink something
partake of
Grandmother likes to partake of a small glass of sherry before lunch.
 - to take part in an activity or event **SYN participate**
partake in
a woman's fundamental right to partake in club affairs
- partake of something** *phrasal verb formal*
to have a certain amount of a particular quality

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- partake ⁵³⁸
- partaken ³¹
- partook ⁸⁷
- partakes ⁷⁵
- partaking ¹²⁷
- partaker ⁰
- partakers ¹⁷

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