



The Parts of a Dictionary

- Headword**
The word being defined in each entry of the dictionary or the word being defined.
- Headword marker**
The symbol used to mark the beginning of a new entry or to indicate that the headword is spelled differently.
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- Entry**
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- Definition or Usage**
The explanation of the word and any other information that is provided for the word. Some dictionaries use a special symbol to indicate that the headword is spelled differently.
- Form or Grammatical**
The information that is provided for the word, such as the part of speech, the plural form, and the comparative and superlative forms. Some dictionaries use a special symbol to indicate that the headword is spelled differently.
- Form (Morphological) and Special Forms**
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