

Etymology

Words: Ocean, dolphin, and Grace

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Ocean



- [oh-shuh n]
- A body of salt water that covers earth's surface.
- Any bodies of water, known as the Atlantic, Pacific, Indian, Arctic, and Antarctic oceans.
- Origin: 1250–1300, Middle English ocean.

Dolphin



- ◉ [dol-fin, dawf-]
- ◉ Any marine mammals, having a fishlike body, numerous teeth, and the front of the head extended into a beaklike point.
- ◉ Origin: 1300–50, Middle English dolphyn.

Grace

- ◉ [grays]
- ◉ Elegance, manner, motion, action, ease, kindness, or forgiveness.
- ◉ Origin: 1125–75, Middle English Grace.

Resources

- ◉ <http://dictionary.reference.com/>
- ◉ <http://www.behindthename.com/>
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