

# Etymology Project

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# Bacon



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- It originated from the Early Fourteenth Century and it's a noun
- Its pronounced /'bākən/, with the emphasis on the bā
- Comes from the old French word bakkon, which means “back meat”

- It means, meat from the back and sides of the pig.
- Now bacon the one of the most popular foods in the world.



# Pheasant

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- It's a noun.
- Its pronounce, /'fezənt/  
with the emphasis on the fez.
- It originate from the late  
thirteenth century
- It is an Old French word.

- The definition is: any of numerous large, usually long-tailed, Old World gallinaceous birds of the family Phasianidae.
- It was originally spelled feasant.
- That change in the late fourteenth century in England, it changed to the way it's currently spelled, pheasant.
- The male Pheasant is called a rooster and the female hens.

# Pictures of Pheasants



# John /jän/

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- It's a proper name from the mid twelfth century.
- It's a biblical name coming from John the Baptist.
- Also its one of the most common Christian names given.
- In England by early 14c it rivaled William in popularity.



# John

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- The definition of John is, “God is gracious, and generous.”
- In my family John has been the first name of the males for five generations.

# Works cited

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