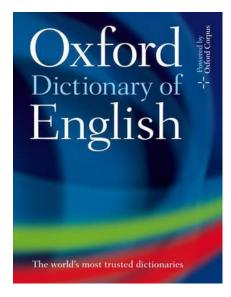




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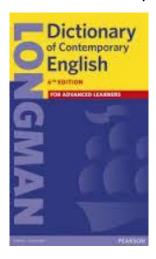
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- anime /'animei, 'anime/ ▶ noun [mass noun] Japanese film and television animation, typically having a science-fiction theme and sometimes including violent or explicitly sexual material. Compare with MANGA.
- ORIGIN 1980s: Japanese.
  - bento /'bɛntəʊ/ ▶ noun (pl. bentos) a lacquered or decorated wooden Japanese lunch box. a Japanese-style packed lunch, consisting of such items as rice, vegetables, and sashimi.
  - ORIGIN Japanese.

- cosplay /'kpzplei/ ▶ noun [mass noun] the practice of dressing up as a character from a film, book, or video game, especially one from the Japanese genres of manga or anime.
- ▶ verb [no obj.] engage in cosplay.
- DERIVATIVES cosplayer noun.
- ORIGIN 1990s: blend of costume and PLAY.
  - hikikomori /hɪˌkɪkə(ʊ)'mɔːri/ ➤ noun (pl. same) [mass noun] (in Japan) the abnormal avoidance of social contact, typically by adolescent males. [count noun] a person who avoids social contact.
  - ORIGIN Japanese, literally 'staying indoors, (social) withdrawal'.
  - **karaoke** /,karı'əʊki/ ▶ noun [mass noun] a form of entertainment, offered typically by bars and clubs, in which people take turns to sing popular songs into a microphone over pre-recorded backing tracks.
  - ORIGIN 1970s: from Japanese, literally 'empty orchestra'.
  - **kawaii** /kə'wʌɪ/ ▶ adjective (in the context of Japanese popular culture) cute: she paints elephants that are extremely kawaii.
  - ▶ noun [mass noun] the quality of being cute, or items that are cute.
  - ORIGIN Japanese.

- manga /'mangə/ ▶ noun [mass noun] a Japanese genre of cartoons, comic books, and animated films, having a science-fiction or fantasy theme and sometimes including violent or sexually explicit material.
- ORIGIN Japanese, from man 'indiscriminate' + ga 'picture'.
- otaku /əʊˈtɑːkuː/ ➤ noun (pl. same) (in Japan) a young person who is obsessed with computers or particular aspects of popular culture to the detriment of their social skills.
- ORIGIN Japanese, literally 'your house', alluding to the reluctance of such young people to leave the house.

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an-i-me /'ænimei, -mə/ n [U] Japanese CARTOONS and computer ANIMATION (=pictures, films etc produced using a computer) THESAURUS MOVIE → MANGA

man-ga /mængə/ n [U] Japanese COMIC books. The pictures in the stories usually go from right to left in the same way as Japanese writing, and the characters often have very large eyes. → ANIME

e-mo-ji /r'məudʒi \$ r'mou-/ n [C] an ICON, similar to an EMOTICON, used in electronic messages and on websites, originally in Japan

絵文字 emoji がようやく紙媒体の辞書にも入りました。絵文字も実は、日本が世界に広げた emotion を表現する表現方法です。

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