



Auto-da-fé

Origin: Portuguese

Meaning:

The burning to death of people condemned as heretics by the Inquisition.



Voracious

Origin: Latin

Meaning:

Devouring or eager to devour large quantities of food.



Source: learnersdictionary.com

Echt

Origin: German

Meaning:

True, genuine, real.



Source: caitlynswhimsicalwhirlwind.blogspot.com

Aegis

Origin: Greek

Meaning: Under the protection of.



Source: slideshow.com

A la carte

Origin: French

Meaning:

With a separate price for each item.



Source: TripAdvisor

Alma mater

Origin: Latin

Meaning:

An institution one has graduated from.



Source: theconversation.com

Avant-garde

Origin: French

Meaning:

New and experimental ideas and methods in art, music, or literature.



Blitzkrieg

Origin: German

Meaning:

Rapid, intensive attack, used to describe sudden military offensives.



Doppelgänger

Origin: German

Meaning:

An apparition or double of a living person.



Source: The Telegraph

Fiasco

Origin: Italian

Meaning:

A complete failure, especially a ludicrous or humiliating one.



Realpolitik

Origin: German

Meaning:

Opportunistic politics that concerns itself with selfadvancement as the sole driving principle.



Source: Mumbai Mirror

Tabula rasa

Origin: Latin

Meaning: An absence of preconceived

ideas; a clean slate.



Bête Noire

Origin: French

Meaning:

A dreaded or detested person or thing.



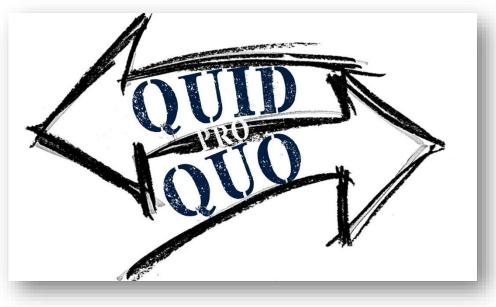
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Quid pro quo

Origin: Latin

Meaning:

A favour or advantage granted in return for something.



Source: wickenslaw.com

Plethora

Origin: Greek

Meaning:

A large or excessive amount of something.



Source: alkiremarketing.com

Faux Pas

Origin: French

Meaning:

an embarrassing or tactless act or remark in a social situation.



Source: textappeal.com

Bon Vivant

Origin: French

Meaning:

A person who lives luxuriously and enjoy good food and drink.



Source: brookeandjubalradio.com

Find the origin of these word!

- I. Laissez-faire
- 2. Habeas corpus
- 3. Hoi polloi
- 4. Fait accompli

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