

pilgrim /ˈpɪlɡrɪm/ *noun*

a person who travels a long way to a place because it has a special religious meaning

pilgrimage /ˈpɪlɡrɪmɪdʒ/ *noun*

a journey that a PILGRIM makes

pill /pɪl/ *noun*

a small round hard piece of medicine that you swallow → **SAME MEANING tablet**: *Take one of these pills before every meal.*

pillar**pillar** /ˈpɪlə(r)/ *noun*

a tall strong piece of stone, wood or metal that holds up a building

pillow /ˈpɪləʊ/ *noun*

a soft thing that you put your head on when you are in bed

pillowcase /ˈpɪləʊkeɪs/ *noun*

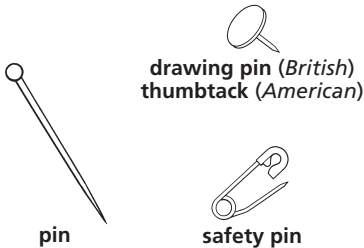
a cover for a PILLOW

pilot 0 ➔ /ˈpaɪlət/ *noun*

a person who flies a plane → Look at Picture Dictionary page P12.

pimple /ˈpɪmpl/ *noun*

a small spot on your skin

pins

drawing pin (British)
thumbtack (American)

safety pin

pin 1 0 ➔ /pɪn/ *noun*

a small thin piece of metal with a flat part at one end and a sharp point at the other. You use a **pin** for holding things together or fixing one thing to another. → Look also at **drawing pin** and **safety pin**.

pin 2 /pɪn/ *verb* (pins, pinning, pinned /pɪnd/)

1 to fix things together with a pin or pins: *Could you **pin** this notice to the board?*

2 to hold somebody or something so that they cannot move: *He tried to get away, but they **pinned** him against the wall.*

pinch**pinch** 1 /pɪntʃ/ *verb* (pinches, pinching, pinched /pɪntʃt/)

1 to press somebody's skin tightly between your thumb and finger: *Don't **pinch** me – it hurts!*

2 (British, informal) to steal something: *Who's **pinched** my pen?*

pinch 2 /pɪntʃ/ *noun* (plural pinches)

1 the act of pressing somebody's skin tightly between your thumb and finger: *He gave me a **pinch** on the arm to wake me up.*

2 an amount of something you can hold between your thumb and finger: *Add a **pinch** of salt to the soup.*

pine /paɪn/ (also pine tree /ˈpaɪn triː/) *noun*

a tall tree with thin sharp leaves (called **needles**) that do not fall off in winter

pineapple /ˈpaɪnæpl/ *noun*

a big fruit that is yellow inside and has a rough brown skin → Look at Picture Dictionary page P8.

ping-pong /ˈpɪŋ pʌŋ/ *noun* (no plural)

a game where players hit a small light ball over a net on a big table → **SAME MEANING table tennis**

pink 0 ➔ /pɪŋk/ *adjective*

with a light red colour: *a pink jumper*

► **pink** *noun* (no plural): *She was dressed in pink.*

pins and needles /ˌpɪnz ən ˈniːdlz/ *noun* (plural)

a feeling that you sometimes get in a part of your body when you have not moved it for a long time

pint /paɪnt/ (abbr. pt) *noun*

a measure of liquid (= 0.57 litres). There are eight **pints** in a **gallon**: *a pint of beer* ◊ *two pints of milk*

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