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Translate

**verde** ⇄ = **green** ⇄

verde

adjective

1. green (*en general*)

- verde botella -> *bottle green*
- verde oliva -> *olive (green)*
- verde esmeralda -> *emerald (green)*
- poner verde a alguien (*informal*) -> *to run somebody down*

2. unripe, green (*poco maduro*) (*fruta*);

*green, wet behind the ears; in its early stages*



- *oneira verde* → *1,000 peseta note (peninsular Spanish)*

masculine noun

6. green (*color*)

plural masculine noun

also:

- *los Verdes* → *the Greens (partido)*

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verde [verr<sup>2</sup>-day]

noun

1. Green, verdure. (m)

2. Verdigris. (m)

3. Youth. (m)

4. Person in the bloom of age. (m)

5. Green barley or grass, given to horses or mules as a purge (*hierba*). (m)

- *Verde limÃ³n* → *bright green*
- *Verde botella* → *bottle green*
- *Verde pardo* → *brown green*

6. Plantain. (*Andes*) (m)

7. Country (*campo*). (*Caribbean & Mexico*) (m)

8. Policeman (*policÃa*). (*Caribbean*) (m)

- *Sentarse en el verde* → *to sit on the grass*

adjective

9. Green, of the color of plants.

10. Unripe (*fruta*), immature, not perfectly fresh (*legumbres*).

11. Young, blooming verdant.

- *Viejo verde* → *a dirty old man*

12. Loose, immodest, smutty, savoring of obscenity.

13. Poner verde a uno, to give somebody a dressing-down (*regaÃar*).

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## "verde" in the Phrasebook

Idiom

Give the green light to sth

The head teacher has given the green light to the introduction of the new scholarship programme.

to allow someone to do something or to give permission for something to happen

to be wet behind the ears

Dar luz verde para hacer algo

La directora de la escuela ha dado luz verde para introducir el nuevo programa de becas.

dejar a alguien hacer algo o permitir que algo suceda

estar verde

