

praxis

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English

Etymology

From Ancient Greek πρᾶξις (*prâxis*, “action, activity, practice”)

Pronunciation

- IPA^(key): /ˈpɹæk.sɪs/

Noun

praxis (*countable and uncountable, plural **praxes** or **praxes***)

- The practical application of any branch of learning.
- (*drama*) The deliberate action of a rational being.
- (*philosophy*) The synthesis of theory and practice, without presuming the primacy of either
- Custom or established practice.
- An example or form of exercise, or a collection of such examples, for practice.

Related terms

- [praxic](#)
- [praxeology](#)

Translations

practical application of learning

drama: deliberate action of a rational being

philosophy: synthesis of theory and practice

custom or established practice

example or form of exercise for practice

Latin

Etymology

Borrowed from [Ancient Greek](#) πρᾶξις (*prâxis*).

Pronunciation

- (*Classical*) IPA^(key): /ˈpraːk.sɪs/ , [ˈpraːk.sɪs]

Noun

prāxis *f* (*genitive* **prāxeōs**); *third declension*

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Declension

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Descendants

- Italian: [prassi](#)

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Spanish


Noun

praxis *f* (*plural* **praxis**)

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Swedish

Pronunciation

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Noun

praxis^c

1. practice, custom, the usual way to do things

*teori och **praxis***

theory and practice

2. case law, previous court decisions as a base for legal judgement

*Hovrättens dom strider mot Europadomstolens**praxis**.*

The verdict of the court of appeal is in conflict with the practice of the European Court of Human Rights.

See also

- praktik
- rättsfall

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