

# blade s3

/bleɪd/

**noun** [countable]

**1** the flat cutting part of a tool or weapon → **edge:**

**blade of**

*The blade of the knife flashed in the moonlight.*

*a razor blade*

**2** the flat wide part of an object that pushes against air or water:

*the blade of an oar*

**3 blade of grass**

a single thin flat piece of grass

**4** the metal part on the bottom of an ICE-SKATE

→ SHOULDER BLADE

**Word origin**

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