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adj.

1. Of, relating to, or characteristic of a horse.
2. Of or belonging to the family Equidae, which includes the horses, asses, and zebras.

[Latin *equīnus*, from *equus*, horse; see **ekwo-** [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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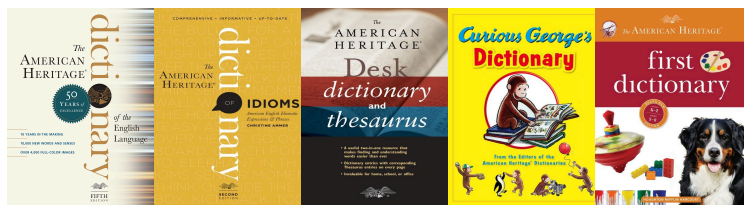
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