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n.

1.

a. A student or a recent graduate undergoing supervised practical training.

b. A physician who has recently graduated from medical school and is learning medical practice in a hospital under supervision, prior to beginning a residency program.

2. One who is interned; an internee.

v. in·terned, in·tern·ing, in·terns

v.intr.

To train or serve as an intern.

v.tr. (also ĩn-tûrn)

To confine, especially in wartime.

[French *interne*, from Latin *internus*, internal; see [INTERNAL](#).]

in tern·ship' n.

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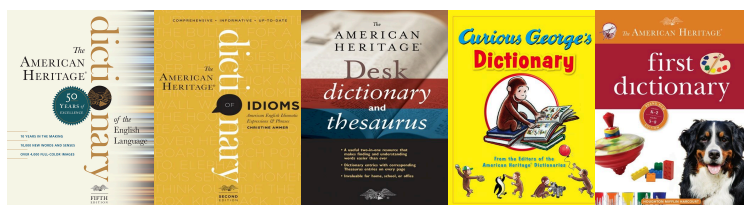
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