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n.

1. also **in·gres·sion** (in-grēs̄h ən) A going in or entering.
2. Right or permission to enter.
3. A means or place of entering.

[Middle English *ingresse*, from Latin *ingressus*, from past participle of *ingredī*, to enter : *in-*, in; see [IN](#)² + *gradī*, to step; see [ghredh-](#) [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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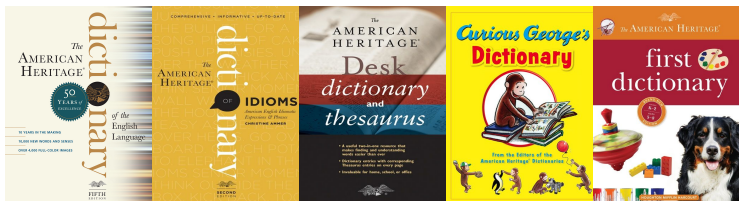
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