# for 1 of 5 preposition

fər, (ˈ)fȯr Southern also (ˈ)fär

Synonyms of *for* ›

**1 a** → used as a function word to indicate purpose

> a grant *for* studying medicine

**b** → used as a function word to indicate an intended goal

> left *for* home
>
> acted *for* the best

**c** → used as a function word to indicate the object or recipient of a perception, desire, or activity

> now *for* a good rest
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> run *for* your life
>
> an eye *for* a bargain

**2 a** : as being or constituting

> taken *for* a fool
>
> eggs *for* breakfast

**b** → used as a function word to indicate an actual or implied enumeration or selection

> *for* one thing, the price is too high

https://www.merriam-webster.com/dictionary/for