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Pronunciation: /ˈxin.der/

preposition

Meanings

behind, beyond

Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European **kém-tér-* ('down, back, along, over, through'), from **kóm* ('beside, near, by, with'). Cognate with Latin *contrā* ('back, against'), Old Welsh *cant* ('with, at, along'); > Modern Welsh *gan* ('with, by'), Ancient Greek *κατά* (*katá*) ('downwards').

An alternative theory by Orel derives the term from **hiz* ('this'), and thus from Proto-Indo-European **kís*.

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