

# fiddlehead *(fid-dle-head)*

## Definition

n 1 a carved decoration on a ship's bow; curved like the scroll of a violin head; 2 the young coiled frond of various species of ferns eaten as a vegetable

## Example Sentence

The carpenter worked on the **fiddlehead**. OR She had never eaten **fiddlehead**.

## Synonyms

ship decoration; carved billethead; ostrich fern;  
shuttlecock fern

## Antonyms

whale

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