

CZECH FALSE FRIENDS

absolve <i>v</i>	absolvovat	graduate
abstinent <i>adj</i>	abstinent (n)	teetotaler
accord <i>n</i>	akord	musical chord
actual <i>adj</i>	aktuální	topical, immediate, current, present
adapt <i>v</i>	adaptovat	renovate
advocate <i>n</i>	advokát	solicitor, barrister
affect <i>n</i>	afekt	emotion, passion
angina <i>n</i>	angína	tonsillitis
apartment <i>n</i>	apartmá	suite of rooms
approbation <i>n</i>	aprobace	qualification to teach
arch <i>n</i>	arch	sheet of paper
argument <i>n</i>	argument	reasoning
armada <i>n</i>	armáda	armed forces; navy
barracks <i>n</i>	barák	house
basin <i>n</i>	bazén	swimming pool
benzene <i>n</i>	benzín	petrol; gasoline
billion <i>n</i>	bilión	1 000 000 000 000
blanket <i>n</i>	blanket	form
brigade <i>n</i>	brigáda	temporary job; volunteer work
calendar <i>n</i>	kalendář	diary
central <i>adj</i>	centrála	head office; telephone exchange, switchboard
chef <i>n</i>	šéf	chief; leader; boss
civil <i>adj</i>	civilní	civilian
closet <i>n</i>	klozet	lavatory; w.c.
communication <i>n</i>	komunikace	road
composer <i>n</i>	komponista	composer of music
concourse <i>n</i>	konkurs	competition; bankruptcy
concurrency <i>n</i>	konkurence	competition; competitors
confectionery <i>n</i>	konfekce	clothes
confidant <i>n</i>	konfident	informant
control <i>n</i>	kontrola	inspection; supervision; audit; examination
cravat <i>n</i>	kravata	tie
creature <i>n</i>	kreatura	monster
criminal <i>n</i>	kriminál	jail
cylinder <i>n</i>	cyindr	top hat
dementia <i>n</i>	dementovat (v)	deny officially
desk <i>n</i>	deska	board; plaque; tablet; L.P.
disposition <i>n</i>	dispozice	aptitude; layout; instructions
divan <i>n</i>	divan	couch, sofa
dome <i>n</i>	dóm	cathedral
dose <i>n</i>	dóza	box, case, container
dress <i>n</i>	dres	tracksuit
economic <i>adj</i>	ekonomický	economical
emission <i>n</i>	emise	issue
eventual <i>adj</i>	eventuální	possible
eventually <i>adv</i>	eventuálně	possibly
example <i>n</i>	exemplář	copy (of book); specimen
expedition <i>n</i>	expedice	forwarding, shipping
extravagant <i>adj</i>	extravagantní	eccentric
fabric <i>n</i>	fabrika	factory
fagot <i>n</i>	fagot	bassoon
front <i>n</i>	fronta	queue

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function <i>n</i>	funkce	(official) position
gallantry <i>n</i>	galanterie	haberdashery; leatherware; fancy goods
genial <i>adj</i>	geniální	brilliant
grenade <i>n</i>	granát	garnet
gum <i>n</i>	guma	rubber
gymnasium <i>n</i>	gymnázium	grammar school
hazard <i>n</i>	hazard	gambling; anything risky
history <i>n</i>	historie	story
hymn <i>n</i>	hymna	national anthem
interpret <i>v</i>	interpretovat	explain
justice <i>n</i>	justice	judiciary
local <i>n</i>	lokál	pub, bar; restaurant
manifestation <i>n</i>	manifestace	demonstration; sign
marmalade <i>n</i>	marmeláda	jam
maturity <i>n</i>	maturita	school-leaving examination
mixer <i>n</i>	mixér	blender, liquidiser
nervous <i>adj</i>	nervózní	tense
novel <i>n</i>	novela	short story; amendment (of a law)
null <i>n</i>	nula	zero; a nobody; a cipher
obscure <i>adj</i>	obskurní	disreputable
ordinary <i>adj</i>	ordinární	vulgar
ordination <i>n</i>	ordinace	doctor's surgery; ordination
pamphlet <i>n</i>	pamflet	lampoon
pantomime <i>n</i>	pantomíma	mime show
paragraph <i>n</i>	paragraf	section of text
parapet <i>n</i>	parapet	window sill
parcel <i>n</i>	parcela	plot of land
pasta <i>n</i>	pasta	paste
pathetic <i>adj</i>	pathetický	full of pathos
pension <i>n</i>	penze	retirement
perspective <i>n</i>	perspektiva	prospects
pregnant <i>adj</i>	pregnatní	pithy
preservative <i>n</i>	prezervativ	condom
process <i>n</i>	proces	trial
promote <i>v</i>	promovat	graduate
promotion <i>n</i>	promoce	graduation ceremony
propagate <i>v</i>	propagovat	advertise, promote
prospect <i>n</i>	prospekt	advertising brochure
protection <i>n</i>	protektce	favouritism; patronage
psst! <i>exclamation</i>	psst!	sh!
race <i>n</i>	rasa	breed
receipt <i>n</i>	recept	prescription, recipe
rent <i>n</i>	renta	annuity
revenge <i>v</i>	revanšovat	to repay
script <i>n</i>	skripta	cheap study text
smoking <i>n</i>	smoking	dinner jacket
spleen <i>n</i>	splín	melancholy
stipend <i>n</i>	stipendium	grant, scholarship
stop <i>v</i>	stopovat	to hitch-hike; to trace
sympathetic <i>adj</i>	sympatický	likeable, pleasant; attractive
technique <i>n</i>	technika	technology
transparent <i>adj</i>	transparent (n)	banner
vest <i>n</i>	vesta	waistcoat, cardigan
wagon <i>n</i>	vagon	railway carriage