

Greek Insults

GREEK	PRONUNCIATION	ENGLISH
βλάκας	vlákas	idiot / fool <i>the classic; can be teasing or genuinely rude</i>
ηλίθιος	ilíthios	moron / stupid person <i>stronger than βλάκας; leans real</i>
χαζός	hazós	silly / dopey <i>mildest of the three; often affectionate</i>
κορόιδο	koróido	sucker / gullible fool <i>someone who got played</i>
ζώον	zoon	animal (as an insult) <i>loud, uncultured, rude</i>
αγράμματος	agrámatos	illiterate / uneducated <i>properly cutting</i>
τεμπέλης	tebélis	lazy person
κακομαθημένος	kakomathiménos	spoiled brat
παλιάνθρωπος	paliánthropos	bad person / scoundrel <i>old-fashioned but still lands</i>
άχρηστος	áhristos	useless
ξεροκέφαλος	xerokéfalos	stubborn / thick-headed <i>literally 'dry-headed'</i>
μούφος	boufos	twit / clueless one <i>literally an owl; used for someone slow on the uptake</i>
ανόητος	anóitos	senseless / foolish <i>formal register; you'd see it in writing</i>
χαζοβιόλης	hazoviólis	goofball / silly billy <i>playful; never really nasty</i>
παπάρας	papáras	plonker / dickhead

crude; between friends it's teasing, with strangers it's rude

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