

**opine**

[əʊ'paɪn] *v* *урон.*

высказывать мнение, полагать  
I opine that ... - я полагаю, что ...

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

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**opine** 7 [opine opines opined opining] *BrE* [əʊ'paɪn] <sup>u</sup> *NAmE* [oʊ'paɪn] <sup>u</sup>

**verb** ~ **that...** (formal)

to express a particular opinion

- He opined that Prague was the most beautiful city in Europe.

Verb forms:

| verb forms                   |                         |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| present simple               |                         |
| I / you / we / they          | opine                   |
|                              | <i>BrE</i> /əʊ'paɪn/    |
|                              | <i>NAmE</i> /oʊ'paɪn/   |
| he / she / it                | opines                  |
|                              | <i>BrE</i> /əʊ'paɪnz/   |
|                              | <i>NAmE</i> /oʊ'paɪnz/  |
| past simple, past participle | opined                  |
|                              | <i>BrE</i> /əʊ'paɪnd/   |
|                              | <i>NAmE</i> /oʊ'paɪnd/  |
| -ing form                    | opining                 |
|                              | <i>BrE</i> /əʊ'paɪnɪŋ/  |
|                              | <i>NAmE</i> /oʊ'paɪnɪŋ/ |

Word Origin:

late Middle English: from Latin *opinari* 'think, believe' .

Example Bank:

- The headmistress opined that the outing would make a nice change for them.

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[Date: 1400-1500; Language: French; Origin: *opiner*, from Latin *opinari* 'to have an opinion']

to say what your opinion is about something

**opine that**

- The headmistress opined that the trip would make a nice change.

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