

chamber**1. [ˈtʃeɪmbə] n**1. **возвыш.**

1) комната (в жилом доме); горница; апартамент(ы); покой; покои

privy chamber - королевские покои; кабинет его величества

chamber of death - обитель смерти

2) спальня, опочивальня

2. зал, палата; конференц-зал

senate chamber - зал заседаний сената

3. приёмная (высокопоставленного лица)

4. **мед.** палата5. **pl** меблированная квартира

to live in chambers - жить в меблированных комнатах

6. **юр.**1) **pl** контора адвоката

chamber practice - консультирование по юридическим вопросам, кабинетная практика юриста

2) камера мирового судьи (в которой он разбирает мелкие дела)

3) **pl** кабинет судьи

the case was heard before the judge in chambers - дело разбиралось судьёй в его кабинете

7. палата (парламента)

Lower [Upper] Chamber - нижняя [верхняя] палата

8. палата (учреждение)

Chamber of Commerce - торговая палата

Chamber of Commerce and Industry - торгово-промышленная палата

9. 1) **спец.** камера; рабочее пространство (печи и т. п.)arc chamber - **эл.** разрядная камера; дуговая камера

exposure chamber - камера для облучения

climatic chamber - камера искусственного климата

pressure chamber - барокамера

transfer chamber - шлюзовая /передаточная/ камера

lock chamber - **косм.** шлюз

chamber ascent - имитация подъёма (лётчика или космонавта) в барокамере

2) **горн.** просек, печь10. **анат.** полость (сердца и т. п.)

chamber of the eye - камера глаза

11. корпус (фотокамеры)

12. **воен.** камора, патронник, гнездо барабана револьвера

chamber end - казённая часть ствола

13. **реакт.** камера сгорания14. **эвф.** ночная ваза, ночной горшок15. **ист.** казначейство, казна**2. [ˈtʃeɪmbə] a муз.**

камерный

chamber orchestra [music] - камерный оркестр [-ая музыка]

chamber concert - концерт камерной музыки

chamber organ - концертный орган

3. [ˈtʃeɪmbə] v

1. заключать в камеру

2. 1) **тех.** рассверливать, высверливать2) **горн.** расширять (дно скважины и т. п.)**chamber**

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cham·ber [chamber chambers] **BrE** [ˈtʃeɪmbə(r)] **NAme** [ˈtʃeɪmbər] **noun****1. countable** a hall in a public building that is used for formal meetings

• The members left the council chamber.

• the **Senate /House chamber****see also** ↑Chamber of Commerce**2. countable + singular or plural verb** one of the parts of a parliament• the **Lower /Upper Chamber** (= in Britain, the House of Commons / House of Lords)

• the Chamber of Deputies in the Italian parliament

• Under Senate rules, the chamber must vote on the bill by this Friday.

3. countable (in compounds) a room used for the particular purpose that is mentioned

• a burial chamber

• Divers transfer from the water to a decompression chamber.

see also ↑gas chamber**4. countable** a space in the body, in a plant or in a machine, which is separated from the rest

• the chambers of the heart

• the rocket's combustion chamber

• the chamber of a gun (= the part that holds the bullets)

5. **countable** a space under the ground which is almost completely closed on all sides
- They found themselves in a vast underground chamber.
6. **countable** (old use) a bedroom or private room
- Lady Eleanor was found dead in her chamber.

Word Origin:

Middle English (in the sense 'private room'): from Old French **chambre**, from Latin **camera** 'vault, arched chamber', from Greek **kamara** 'object with an arched cover'.

Example Bank:

- She believes there should be an elected second chamber to replace the House of Lords.
- a Bronze Age burial chamber
- He had to answer some tricky questions from the floor of the debating chamber.
- She is due to deliver a speech in the senate chamber.
- The party has gained more seats in the Chamber of Deputies in the Italian parliament.
- There are plans to abolish the non-elected upper chamber of the federal legislature.
- They are seeking to overturn the Liberal majority in the second chamber.
- the chamber of a gun
- the rocket's combustion chamber

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[Date: 1100-1200; Language: Old French; Origin: *chambre*, from Late Latin *camera*, from Latin, 'curved roof', from Greek *kamara*]

1. **ENCLOSED SPACE** [countable] an enclosed space, especially in your body or inside a machine:

- a combustion chamber
- The heart has four chambers.

2. **ROOM** [countable] a room used for a special purpose, especially an unpleasant one

gas/torture chamber (=used for killing people by gas or for hurting them)

3. **MEETING ROOM** [countable] a large room in a public building used for important meetings:

- the council chamber

4. **PARLIAMENT** [countable] one of the two parts of a parliament or of the US Congress. For example, in Britain the upper chamber is the House of Lords and the lower chamber is the House of Commons.

5. **PRIVATE ROOM** [countable] a word used in the past to mean a bedroom or private room:

- the Queen's private chambers

6. **chambers** [plural] *especially British English* an office or offices used by ^ˈ*barristers* or judges

7. **GUN** [countable] the part of a gun where you put the bullets

chamber

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