

detention[di'tent(ə)n] *n*

- 1) 1) задержка, оставление (сверх срока)
detention after school hours - оставление после уроков
to give a pupil detention - задержать /оставить/ ученика после уроков
- 2) вынужденная задержка
accidental detention on a journey - непредвиденная задержка в пути
2. 1) задержание, арест
- 2) содержание под арестом
illegal detention - незаконное содержание в тюрьме
detention in (a) jail - тюремное заключение
six weeks detention - шесть недель тюрьмы
detention on suspicion /on remand/, detention awaiting trial - *юр.* предварительное заключение
to place smb. in detention - задержать кого-л., взять кого-л. под стражу
to be under detention - быть под арестом /под стражей/
to keep smb. under detention - держать кого-л. под арестом
consider yourself under detention - считайте, что вы арестованы
3. *мор.*
- 1) задержка, простой (судна)
to order the detention of a ship - отдать приказ о задержке судна
- 2) возмещение на задержку судна
4. *воен.* удержание из денежного содержания
5. *тех.* арретирование, остановка

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de·ten·tion [detention detentions] *BrE* [di'tenʃn] ^m *NAmE* [di'tenʃn] ^m *noun*

1. **uncountable** the state of being kept in a place, especially a prison, and prevented from leaving
 - a sentence of 12 months' detention in a young offender institution
 - police powers of arrest and detention
 - allegations of torture and detention without trial
 - a detention camp
 2. **uncountable, countable** the punishment of being kept at school for a time after other students have gone home
 - They can't give me (a) detention for this.
- see also** ↑detain

Word Origin:

late Middle English (in the sense 'withholding of what is claimed or due'): from late Latin *detentio(n-)*, from Latin *detinere* 'hold back', from *de-* 'away, aside' + *tenere* 'to hold'.

Example Bank:

- Any student caught smoking would be given detention immediately.
- He made the confession while under detention.
- He was held in detention from 1991 to 2001.
- If found guilty of smuggling drugs, she could face indefinite detention.
- If found guilty, she could face indefinite detention.
- Lawyers argued that she should be allowed to serve her detention in her home country.
- My first day of school, and I have detention.
- Opponents of the regime had been subject to arbitrary detention, torture and execution.
- Prisoners have the right to challenge their detentions.
- She spent 18 years in detention.
- Suspects were placed in preventive detention.
- The judge will fix the period of detention.
- They were sentenced to 12 months' detention in a young offender institution.

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1. **[uncountable]** the state of being kept in prison
in detention
" Willis was held in detention for five years.
2. **[uncountable and countable]** a punishment in which children who have behaved badly are forced to stay at school for a short time after the others have gone home
in detention
" She was always getting put in detention.

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