

salon *n*

1. гостиная, приёмная; салон
2. салон; круг лиц, постоянно собирающихся в частном доме
a literary salon - литературный салон
3. салон, ателье
beauty salon - косметический салон /кабинет/
4. салон, выставочный зал
5. 1) выставка произведений искусства
2) (the Salon) ежегодная выставка произведений современного изобразительного искусства в Париже

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salon [salon salons] *BrE* ['sælɒn] ^m *NAmE* [sə'laʊn] ^m *NAmE* [sə'boʊn] ^m **noun**

1. a shop/store that gives customers hair or beauty treatment or that sells expensive clothes
 - a beauty salon
 - a hairdressing salon
2. (old-fashioned) a room in a large house used for entertaining guests
3. (in the past) a regular meeting of writers, artists and other guests at the house of a famous or important person
 - a literary salon

Word Origin:

late 17th cent.: from French, from Italian **salone** 'large hall', augmentative of **sala** 'hall'.

Example Bank:

- He now runs his own hairdressing salon in Melbourne.
- The hotel has just opened a sauna, solarium and beauty salon.
- a beauty/hairdressing salon

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salon /'sælɒn \$ sə'laʊn *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m **noun** [countable]

[Date: 1600-1700; Language: French; Origin: ⇨ ↑saloon]

1. a place where you can get your hair cut, have beauty treatments etc **SYN hairdresser's hair/beauty salon**
 - an exclusive hair salon
2. a shop where fashionable and expensive clothes are sold
3. *old-fashioned* a room in a very large house, where people can meet and talk
4. a regular meeting of famous people at which they talk about art, literature, or music, popular in the past in France:
 - a literary salon
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THESAURUS

- **shop** *especially British English*, **store** *especially American English* a building or place where things are sold: She's gone to the shops to get some milk. | a clothes shop | Our local store has sold out of sugar for making jam.
- **boutique** a small shop that sells fashionable clothes or other objects: a little boutique which specializes in bath products.
- **superstore** *British English* a very large shop, especially one that is built outside the centre of a city: Out-of-town superstores have taken business away from shops in the city centre.
- **department store** a very large shop that is divided into several big parts, each of which sells one type of thing, such as clothes, furniture, or kitchen equipment: He went around all the big department stores in Oxford Street.
- **supermarket** (also **grocery store** *American English*) a very large shop that sells food, drinks, and things that people need regularly in their homes: Supermarkets have cut down the number of plastic bags they distribute by 50%.
- **salon** a shop where you can get your hair washed, cut curled etc
- **garden centre** *British English*, **nursery** *especially American English* a place that sells a wide range of plants, seeds, and things for your garden: Your local garden centre can advise you on which plants to grow.
- **outlet** *formal* a shop that sells things for less than the usual price, especially things from a particular company or things of a particular type: The book is available from most retail outlets.
- **market** an area, usually outdoors, where people buy and sell many different types of things: I usually buy our vegetables at the market – they're much cheaper there.
- **mall** *especially American English* a large area where there are a lot of shops, especially a large building: A new restaurant has opened at the mall. | We used to hang around together at the mall.
- **strip mall** *American English* a row of shops built together, with a large area for parking cars in front of it: Strip malls can seem rather impersonal.

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