

commitment[kə'mɪtmənt] *n*

1. обязательство

treaty commitments - договорные обязательства

to meet commitments - выполнять обязательства

to make no commitments - не связывать себя обязательствами

come and look around our shop without commitment - приходите посмотреть, что есть в нашем магазине - делать покупки не обязательно

2. 1) вручение, передача, препоручение

2) *парл.* передача законопроекта в комиссию

3. 1) арест, заключение под стражу

2) ордер на арест

3) (принудительное) помещение в психиатрическую больницу

4. приверженность; убеждения

political [religious] commitment - политические [религиозные] взгляды /убеждения/

5. совершение (чего-л. дурного - преступления и т. п.)

6. *воен.* введение, ввод в бой

commitment to action - введение в бой

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com-mit-ment **AW** [commitment commitments] *BrE* [kə'mɪtmənt] ^ˈ *NAmE*[kə'mɪtmənt] ^ˈ *noun*1. **countable, uncountable** a promise to do sth or to behave in a particular way; a promise to support sb/sth; the fact of committing yourself• ~ **(to sb/sth)** She doesn't want to **make a** big emotional **commitment** to Steve at the moment.

• the government's commitment to public services

• ~ **to do/doing sth** The company's commitment to providing quality at a reasonable price has been vital to its success.2. **uncountable** ~ **(to sb/sth)** the willingness to work hard and give your energy and time to a job or an activity

• A career as an actor requires one hundred per cent commitment.

3. **countable** a thing that you have promised or agreed to do, or that you have to do

• He's busy for the next month with filming commitments.

• Women very often have to juggle work with their family commitments.

4. **uncountable, countable** ~ **(of sth) (to sth)** agreeing to use money, time or people in order to achieve sth

• the commitment of resources to education

• Achieving success at this level requires a commitment of time and energy.

Thesaurus:**commitment** *noun*1. **C, U**

• The company made a commitment to lower prices.

promise • • **guarantee** • • **assurance** • • **vow** • |especially journalism **pledge** •a commitment/promise/guarantee/vow/pledge **to do sth**a **formal** commitment/guarantee/assurance**make** a commitment/promise/guarantee/vow/pledge2. **C** (especially **business**)

• Buying a house is a big financial commitment.

responsibility • • **obligation** • • **burden** • • **duty** • |especially **business law liability** •a/an commitment/obligation/burden/duty **to sb/sth****financial** commitments/responsibilities/obligations/burdens/duties**professional/social/family** commitments/responsibilities/obligations/duties**fulfil/meet** a/an commitment/responsibility/obligation/dutyExample Bank:

• I don't want to take on any more commitments.

• Learning to play the violin requires strong commitment.

• She can't meet her financial commitments.

• The company is making a long-term commitment to breaking into the American market.

• The government avoided giving any commitments on pensions.

• The government has managed to gain the commitment of employers to the scheme.

• The president made a firm commitment to increasing spending on health.

• The war on poverty requires a commitment of resources from the developing nations.

• a heavy commitment of capital

• his lifelong commitment to the socialist cause

• to demonstrate a commitment to human rights

• to honour commitments on reduction of air pollution

• Buying a house is a big financial commitment.

• He questioned the government's commitment to public services.

• He's busy for the next month with filming commitments.

• I was saddened to see their lack of commitment.

- Is the government going to honour its commitments on the reduction of air pollution?
- She doesn't want to make a big emotional commitment to Steve at the moment.
- The company's commitment to providing quality at a reasonable price has been vital to its success.
- They all played with commitment and determination.
- This is part of the farm's continued commitment to preserving wildlife.
- This post demands a high level of commitment.

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commitment **S2 W2** /kə'mɪtmənt/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *noun*

[Word Family: adjective: noncommittal, ↑committed ≠ ↑uncommitted; verb: ↑commit; noun: ↑commitment]

1. [countable] a promise to do something or to behave in a particular way:

Are you ready to make a long-term commitment?

commitment to

Our company has a commitment to quality and customer service.

2. [uncountable] the hard work and loyalty that someone gives to an organization, activity etc:

I was impressed by the energy and commitment shown by the players.

commitment to

Her commitment to work is beyond question.

3. [countable] something that you have promised you will do or that you have to do:

Will the job fit in with your family commitments?

4. [countable] an amount of money that you have to pay regularly:

I had a lot of financial commitments.

5. [uncountable and countable] the use of money, time, people etc for a particular purpose:

commitments of food and medical aid of over \$4 billion

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COLLOCATIONS (for Meanings 1 & 2)

■ verbs

- **make a commitment** Getting married involves making a serious commitment.
- **give a commitment** The government gave a commitment to withdraw all its forces.
- **something requires/demands (a) commitment** Nursing as a profession demands genuine commitment.
- **honour/meet a commitment (=do what you promised to do)** Will they honour their commitment to a ceasefire?
- **show/demonstrate commitment** Throughout her life she demonstrated her deep commitment to the needs of the poor.
- **lack commitment** I never get promoted because they think I lack commitment.
- **reaffirm/restate/reiterate a commitment (=give a promise again)** They reaffirmed their commitment to abandon nuclear power.

■ adjectives

- **real/genuine commitment** The job demands real commitment to teaching.
- **personal commitment** As a company, we expect a personal commitment from our staff to do their best.
- **strong commitment** She's known for her strong commitment to women's rights.
- **long-term commitment** Having a child together involves a long-term commitment.
- **a lifelong commitment** Marriage is a lifelong commitment.
- **full/total commitment** Such therapies demand full commitment from the patient.
- **political commitment** There was no local political commitment to the proposal.
- **religious commitment** Many people have ceased to have any active religious commitment.

■ phrases

- **a lack of commitment** His lack of commitment to the project was easy to see.
- **a level of commitment** This post demands a high level of commitment.

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