

appointment[ə'pɔɪntmənt] *n*

1. 1) **назначение (на должность, пост)**
appointment of trustees - назначение опекунов
smb.'s appointment as secretary [manager] - назначение кого-л. секретарём [управляющим]
- 2) **воен.** присвоение звания
2. **должность, пост, место, назначение**
appointments committee, appointments board - комиссия по распределению выпускников (*при университетах и колледжах Великобритании*)
to have/to hold/ an appointment as a professor [as an engineer] - занимать должность профессора [инженера]
3. 1) **встреча, свидание**
to make [to have] an appointment for 6 o'clock - договориться /условиться/ встретиться в 6 часов
to keep [to break] an appointment - прийти [не прийти] на свидание (*в назначенное время, место*)
- 2) **приём (у врача и т. п.)**
to have an appointment with the doctor - быть назначенным /записанным/ на приём к врачу
he will see you only by appointment - он примет вас только по предварительной записи
4. *pl*
- 1) **обстановка, оборудование дома, гостиницы и т. п.**
- 2) **воен.** предметы снаряжения
- 3) **тех.** фурнитура
5. **арх.** предписание, распоряжение
6. **юр.** распределение наследственного имущества по доверенности
power /right/ of appointment - право распоряжения имуществом (*предоставляемое лицу, не являющемуся его собственником*)

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ap·point·ment [appointment appointments] *BrE* [ə'pɔɪntmənt] *NAme*[ə'pɔɪntmənt] *noun*

1. **countable** a formal arrangement to meet or visit sb at a particular time, especially for a reason connected with their work
 - I've got a **dental appointment** at 3 o'clock.
 - Do you have an appointment?
 - to make/keep an appointment
 - Viewing is **by appointment only** (= only at a time that has been arranged in advance) .
 - ~ **with sb** an appointment with my lawyer
 - ~ **for sth** an appointment for a blood test
 - ~ **for sb to do sth** She **made an appointment** for her son to see the doctor.
2. **countable, uncountable** ~ (**as/to sth**) the act of choosing a person for a job or position of responsibility; the fact of being chosen for a job, etc
 - her recent appointment to the post
 - his appointment as principal
 - the appointment of a new captain for the England team
 - appointments and dismissals
3. **countable** (especially *BrE*) a job or position of responsibility
 - a permanent/first appointment
 - The department wished him success in his new appointment as sales manager.

Word Origin:Middle English: from Old French **apointement**, from **apointer**, from a point 'to a point'.Thesaurus:**appointment** *noun C*

• I made an appointment to see a doctor.

meeting • • **engagement** • • **consultation** • • **interview** • • **date** • • **audience** •a/an appointment/meeting/engagement/consultation/interview/date/audience **with** sb**have** a/an appointment/meeting/engagement/consultation/interview/date/audience**keep** a/an appointment/engagement/date**cancel** a/an appointment/meeting/engagement/interviewSynonyms:**job****position** • **post** • **vacancy** • **appointment**

These are all words for a position doing work for which you receive regular payment.

job • a position doing work for which you receive regular payment: ▫ He's trying to get a job in a bank.**position** • (rather formal) a job: ▫ a senior position in a large corporation**job or position?****Position** usually refers to a particular job within an organization, especially at a high level, and is not usually used about about jobs generally. It is also often used in job applications, descriptions and advertisements.**post** • a job, especially an important one in a large organization: ▫ a key post in the new government**vacancy** • a job that is available for sb to do: ▫ We have several vacancies for casual workers.

appointment • (rather formal, especially BrE) a job or position of responsibility: ▪ This is a permanent appointment, requiring commitment and hard work.

a **permanent/temporary** job/position/post/vacancy/appointment

a **full-time/part-time** job/position/post/vacancy/appointment

to **have/have got** a(n) job/position/post/vacancy/appointment

to **apply for/fill** a job/position/post/vacancy

to **resign from/leave/quit** a job/position/post

Example Bank:

- Employees may not hold any other appointments.
- He called without an appointment.
- He failed to keep his appointment.
- He takes up his appointment in January.
- He was offered an appointment in the Education Department.
- I assume he'll come at his usual 10 a.m. appointment time.
- I didn't know if I would get an appointment at such short notice.
- I'd like to make an appointment to see the doctor, please.
- Miss Green resigned her appointment as our regional representative.
- Patients may be charged for missed appointments.
- She has already broken three appointments.
- The President secured the appointment of a close friend.
- The board has confirmed the appointment of Howard Kendall as Sales Manager.
- The college terminated the appointments of six professors.
- The company has announced five key appointments at its Teesside plant.
- The hospital needs to allow more time for outpatient appointments.
- The receptionist checked the appointment book.
- They announced a series of new appointments of key security officials.
- Tom has been given an appointment at the local hospital.
- Viewing is only allowed by appointment.
- an appointment with a doctor
- the first appointments to the new government
- the recent appointment of Lars Nittves as director
- He spent the first month of his new appointment going through the firm's financial records.
- I've got a dental appointment at 3 o'clock.
- This is a permanent appointment, requiring commitment and hard work.
- Those taking up senior government appointments are all vetted.

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apˈɔɪntmənt **S2 W2** /əˈɔɪntmənt/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *noun*

1. [countable] an arrangement for a meeting at an agreed time and place, for a particular purpose

an appointment to do something

I'd like to make an appointment to see the doctor.

appointment with

He has an appointment with a client at 10.30.

All consultations are by appointment only.

2. [uncountable and countable] when someone is chosen for a position or job

appointment of

Other changes included the appointment of a new Foreign Minister.

appointment as

They congratulated him on his appointment as chairman.

3. [countable] a job or position, usually involving some responsibility

appointment as

He has taken up an appointment as Professor of Chemistry.

4. **by appointment to the Queen** *British English* a phrase that can be used by a business that sells goods or services to the Queen

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COLLOCATIONS

■ verbs

- **have an appointment** She has an appointment with the dentist at 5 o'clock.
- **make/arrange an appointment** Can you phone the hairdresser and make an appointment?
- **book an appointment** *British English*, **schedule an appointment** *American English* (=make an appointment) Have you booked another appointment at the clinic? | I've scheduled your appointment for 9.30.
- **cancel an appointment** He had to cancel all his afternoon appointments.
- **get an appointment** (=succeed in arranging one) It's difficult to get an appointment on Monday morning.
- **miss an appointment** (=not go to an appointment you have arranged) The train was late so I missed my appointment.
- **keep an appointment** (=go to an appointment that you have arranged) Please let us know if you cannot keep your appointment.

■ ADJECTIVES/NOUN + appointment

- a **hospital appointment** *British English* My hospital appointment lasted half an hour.

- **a doctor's appointment** (*also an appointment at the doctor's*) What time is your doctor's appointment? | I have an appointment at the doctor's this morning.
- **an urgent appointment** I can't talk now – I have an urgent appointment to get to.
- **a dentist's/dental appointment** She has a dental appointment, so she won't be in until later.
- **a medical appointment** Children sometimes miss school because of medical appointments.
- **a business appointment** Dennis had an early-morning business appointment with a client.
- **a hair appointment** (=to have your hair cut) I'd like to make a hair appointment for next week.
- **a morning/afternoon appointment** I asked for a morning appointment.

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THESAURUS

- **job** *noun* [countable] the regular paid work that you do for an employer: a full-time job | John got a job in a car factory.
- **work** *noun* [uncountable] activities that you are paid for doing – used either when you work for an employer or when you work in your own business: I started work when I was 18. | He graduated from college last year and is still looking for work.
- **profession** *noun* [countable] a job for which you need special education and training: There are now a lot more women in the legal profession. | Many teachers are leaving the profession.
- **occupation** *noun* [countable] *formal* a job, or a type of job – often used on official documents: Please give your name, age, and occupation. | a traditionally male occupation
- **career** *noun* [countable] the work you do or plan to do for most of your life: I'm interested in a career in journalism.
- **position** *noun* [countable] *formal* a particular job within an organization: I am writing to apply for the position of technical assistant. | We regret that the position has already been filled. | Please state the position which you are applying for.
- **post** *noun* [countable] *formal* a job, especially an important one in a large organization: She has held the post of managing director for two years. | He applied for the post of Senior Manager.
- **vacancy/opening** *noun* [countable] a job that is available for someone to do: The hospital has been unable to fill the vacancy. | There are very few openings in scientific research.
- **appointment** *noun* [countable] an important job which someone is asked to do: He took an appointment as US trade ambassador in Geneva.
- **posting** *noun* [countable] a situation in which someone is sent somewhere to do a job for a period of time by the organization they work for: This was his first posting outside the UK. | an overseas posting | His next posting took him to the Ministry of Defence.
- **trade** *noun* [countable] a job that involves using your hands, and for which you need special training: Most of the men had worked in skilled trades such as carpentry and printing.
- **employment** *noun* [uncountable] the fact of having a job: The factory will provide employment for local people. | She was offered employment in the sales office.

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