setting Apresyan (En-Ru)

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1. оправа

gold setting - золотая оправа

the setting of a jewel - оправа драгоценного камня

2. 1) окружение, окружающая обстановка

romantic setting - романтическая обстановка

to choose a setting appropriate in time and place - выбрать подходящую обстановку по времени и месту

the geographical setting of Japan - географическое положение Японии

2) обрамление, фон

a residence with the pretty garden for a setting - жилище на фоне живописного сада

grey hair made a setting for her face - седые волосы обрамляли её лицо

a comic effect is produced by using the word in this setting - использование этого слова в данном контексте производит комический эффект

- 3. 1) время и место действия пьесы, фильма, романа и т. п.
- 2) художественное оформление постановка (спектакля, кинофильма); декорация, костюмы
- 4. 1) переложение слов на музыку или музыки на слова

setting to music - переложение на музыку

- 2) музыка на слова (поэтического произведения)
- 3) аранжировка

setting for piano - аранжировка /переложение/ для фортепьяно

- 5. закат, заход (солнца)
- 6. школ. распределение школьников в зависимости от способностей по классам или группам
- 7. яйца (на которых сидит наседка)
- 8. полигр. набор
- 9. *стр.* кладка
- 10. обмуровка (котла)
- 11. стр. осадка (фундамента)
- 12. 1) процесс затвердевания, сгущения (белка, крови и т. п.)
- 2) схватывание (цемента, бетона)
- 13. регулировка, установка, настройка
- 14. 1) посуда для обеденного стола (тарелки, ложки, вилки и т. п.)
- 2) столовый прибор для одного человека

# setting setting [setting settings] BrE ['setɪŋ] \*\* NAmE ['setɪŋ] \*\* noun

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- 1. a set of surroundings; the place at which sth happens
  - · a rural/an ideal/a beautiful/an idyllic, etc. setting
  - It was the perfect setting for a wonderful Christmas.
  - People tend to behave differently in different social settings.
- 2. the place and time at which the action of a play, novel, etc. takes place
  - · short stories with a contemporary setting
- 3. a position at which the controls on a machine can be set, to set the speed, height, temperature, etc
  - The performance of the engine was tested at different settings.
- 4. (music) music written to go with a poem, etc
  - Schubert's setting of a poem by Goethe
- 5. a piece of metal in which a †precious stone is fixed to form a piece of jewellery
- a ruby in a heavy gold setting
- 6. a complete set of equipment for eating with (knife, fork, spoon, glass, etc.) for one person, arranged on a table
- · a place setting

# Synonyms:

#### environment

setting • surroundings • background

These are all words for the type of place in which sb/sth exists or is situated.

**environment** • the conditions in a place that affect the behaviourand development of sb/sth: • An unhappy • home environment • can affect children's behaviour.  $\diamondsuit$  = a pleasant • working environment

**setting** • a place or situation or a particular type, in which sth happens or exists: • The island provided an idyllic setting for the concert.

surroundings • everything that is around or near sb/sth: • The huts blend in perfectly with their surroundings.

**background** • the things or area behind or around the main objects or people that are in a place or picture: • The mountains in the background were capped with snow.

in (a/an) environment/setting/surroundings

(a/an) new/unfamiliar environment/setting/surroundings

sb/sth's immediate environment/surroundings

(a) dramatic setting/background

# Example Bank:

• The French Club offers the chance to improve your language skills in a social setting.

- The hospital is an unlikely setting for an art auction.
- The oven should be at a high setting.
- The park provides the perfect setting for the play.
- The site creates a dramatic setting for the new building.
- a dramatic setting in Cornwall
- · a hotel in a beautiful mountain setting
- a hotel in a beautiful setting of landscaped gardens
- a lovely setting for a picnic
- biblical stories in a contemporary setting
- · elderly people living in a domestic setting
- the perfect setting for a picnic
- the rural setting of Petrarch's sonnets
- the urban setting of Manhattan
- · wild animals in their natural setting
- · A pub was an unliklely setting for a royal reception.
- It is the first story she has written with a contemporary setting.
- It was the perfect setting for a wonderful celebration.
- People behave differently in different social settings.
- · Such problems are best worked out within a family setting.
- The island provided an idyllic setting for the concert.
- The writer fails to place the events in their wider political setting.

### setting

set ting W2 /'setɪŋ/ BrE \* AmE \* noun [countable]

**1**. the place where something is or where something happens, and the general environment

# beautiful/perfect/magnificent/idyllic setting

an old farmhouse in a beautiful setting

#### setting for

- Cyprus is the perfect setting for a beach holiday.
- " I've worked with children in various settings, mainly in secondary school.

# 2. the place or time where the events in a book, film etc happen

#### setting for

- Verona is best known as the setting for two of Shakespeare's plays.
- The island was used by Dickens as the setting for Oliver Twist.
- **3**. the position in which you put the controls on a machine or instrument:
  - The heating system was already on its highest setting.
- 4. the metal that holds a stone in a piece of jewellery, or the way the stone is fixed

#### in a ... setting

- a diamond ring in a gold setting
- 5. music that is written to go with a poem, prayer etc
- 6. the setting of the sun literary the time when the sun goes down SYN sunset
- ⇒ ↑place setting

# COLLOCATIONS

#### adjectives

- a beautiful/lovely/magnificent setting The event takes place in the magnificent setting of Bramham Park.
- a perfect/ideal setting The castle was a perfect setting for the wedding.
- an idyllic setting (=a very beautiful and peaceful place) Three artists have come together to paint and teach in an idyllic setting in West Sussex.

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- an unlikely setting This quiet suburb may seem an unlikely setting for a top restaurant.
- a rural/urban setting The research station is located in a rural setting.

#### verbs

provide a setting The hotel provides an ideal setting for conferences.

# **THESAURUS**

- place a point or area, especially one that you visit or use for a particular purpose: He's been to lots of places. | a good meeting place
- **position** the exact place where someone or something is, in relation to other things: She showed me the position of the village on the map. | I changed the position of the mirror slightly. | Jessica moved to a position where she could see the stage better.
- point a particular place on a line or surface: At this point the path gets narrower. | No cars are allowed beyond this point.
- spot a place, especially a particular kind of place, or a place where something happens. Spot sounds rather informal: She chose a sunny spot. | The area is a favourite spot for windsurfers. | This is the exact spot where I asked her to marry me.
- **location** a place where someone or something is, or where something happens. **Location** sounds more formal than **place**: your exact location | The prisoners were taken to an undisclosed location. | an ideal location for a winter break
- site a place, especially one that will be used for a particular purpose, or where something important happened: the site of a great battle | There are plans to develop the site for housing. | The area has become a dumping site for nuclear waste.
- venue a place where something such as a meeting, concert, game etc takes place: the venue for the next Olympic Games | The hotel is a popular wedding venue.
- scene the place where something bad such as an accident or crime happened: the scene of the crime | Ambulance crews were

at the scene within minutes.

- setting the place and the area around it, where something is or where something happens: The hotel is in a beautiful setting. | the setting for the film 'A Room With a View' | Beautiful gardens provide the perfect setting for outdoor dining.
- somewhere used for talking about a place when you are not sure exactly which place: She came from somewhere in London.
- whereabouts the place where someone or something is used especially when you do not know this or do not want to tell people: The whereabouts of the painting is unknown. | He refused to disclose his whereabouts. | I'm not sure about her whereabouts.

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