[/kɔ:tru(:)m] *n* зал судебного заседания, зал суда

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## courtroom

court·room [courtroom courtrooms] BrE ['kɔ□tru ]] NAmE ['kɔ□rtru ]] ກ້ BrE ['kɔ□tr ຖ] ້ NAmE ['kɔ□rtr ຖ] ້ noun

a room in which trials or other legal cases are held

# Which Word?:

## court / law court / court of law

All these words can be used to refer to a place where legal trials take place. **Court** and (formal) **court of law** usually refer to the actual room where cases are judged. **Courtroom** is also used for this. **Law court** (*BrE*) is more often used to refer to the building: The prison is opposite the law court. **Courthouse** is used for this in *NAmE*.

#### Example Bank:

- His lawyer read a statement outside the courtroom.
- She could face a bitter courtroom battle.
- The judge came back into the packed courtroom.
- There were shouts from his supporters in the courtroom.

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| a room in a law court where cases are judged |       |                  |

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