

attachment[ə'tætʃmənt] *n*

1. прикрепление, присоединение
attachment flange - *тех.* соединительный фланец
2. привязанность, преданность
attachment to a friend - преданность /привязанность к/ другу
attachment to the cause - верность /приверженность/ общему делу
3. вступление в силу
attachment of insurance - вступление страхования в силу
4. *воен.* прикомандирование
on attachment (to) - временно прикомандированный (к)
5. *юр.*
 - 1) наложение ареста (*на имущество*)
 - 2) приказ об аресте лица *или* наложении ареста на имущество
6. 1) дополнительное приспособление, приставка, насадка
buttonhole-making attachment to a sewing machine - приспособление к швейной машине для обметывания петель
2) застёжка; запор; зажим
attachments of a pair of skis - крепления на лыжах

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at-tach-ment **AW** [attachment attachments] **BrE** [ə'tætʃmənt] ¹ **NAmE**[ə'tætʃmənt] ¹ **noun**

1. **countable, uncountable** a strong feeling of affection for sb/sth
 - a child's strong attachment to its parents
2. **countable, uncountable** belief in and support for an idea or a set of values
 - the popular attachment to democratic government
3. **countable** a tool that you can fix onto a machine, to make it do another job
 - an electric drill with a range of different attachments
4. **uncountable, countable** the act of joining one thing to another; a thing that joins two things together
 - All cars built since 1981 have points for the attachment of safety restraints.
 - They discussed the attachment of new conditions to the peace plans.
 - They had to check the strength of the seat attachments to the floor of the plane.
5. **uncountable, countable** (**BrE**) a short time spent working with an organization such as a hospital, school or part of the armed forces
 - She's **on attachment** to the local hospital.
 - a 4-month training attachment
6. **countable** (**computing**) a document that you send to sb using email

Word Origin:

late Middle English (in the sense 'arrest for contempt of court'): from Old French **attachement**, from **atachier** 'fasten, fix' or **estachier**, based on an element of Germanic origin related to **↑stake** 'post'.

Collocations:**Email and the Internet***Email*

receive/get/open an email

write/send/answer/forward/delete an email

check/read/access your email

block/filter (out) junk/spam/unsolicited email

exchange email addresses

open/check your inbox

junk mail fills/floods/clogs your inbox

have/set up an email account

open/send/contain an attachment

sign up for/receive email alerts

Connecting to the Internet

use/access/log onto the Internet/the Web

go online/on the Internet

have a high-speed/dial-up/broadband/wireless (Internet) connection

access/connect to/locate the server

use/open/close/launch a/your web browser

browse/surf/search/scour the Internet/the Web

send/contain/spread/detect a (computer/email) virus

update your anti-virus software

install/use/configure a firewall

accept/enable/block/delete cookies

Using the Internet

visit/check a website/an Internet site/sb's blog

create/design/launch a website/social networking site

start/write/post/read a blog

update your blog/a website
be in/meet sb in/go into/enter an Internet chat room
download/upload music/software/a song/a podcast/a file/a copy of sth
share information/data/files
post a comment/message on a website/an online message board/a web forum/an internet chat room
stream video/audio/music/content over the Internet
join/participate in/visit/provide a (web-based/web/online/Internet/discussion) forum
generate /increase/monitor Internet traffic

Example Bank:

- No attachment was included.
- Prisoners can develop attachments to their guards.
- her strong attachment to her mother
- The children have a strong attachment to their parents.

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at **attach** **ment** **AC** /ə'tætʃmənt/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *noun*

[**Word Family**: **noun**: ↑attachment, ↑detachment; **adjective**: attached ≠ ↑unattached ≠ ↑detached, ↑detachable; **verb**: ↑attach ≠ ↑detach]

1. [**uncountable and countable**] a feeling that you like or love someone or something and that you would be unhappy without them
attachment to/for
 " a child's attachment to its mother
2. [**countable**] a part that you can put onto a machine to make it do a particular job:
 " The vacuum cleaner has various attachments.
3. [**uncountable**] belief in and loyalty towards a particular idea, organization etc
attachment to/for
 " old people's attachment to traditional customs
4. [**countable**] a document or ↑file that is sent with an email message:
 " I'll send the spreadsheet as an attachment.
5. [**uncountable and countable**] when you fasten or connect one thing to another, or the thing that you use to do this:
 " Hooks were fixed to the wall for the attachment of the ropes.
 " the attachments that secure your boots firmly to the skis
6. **on attachment** working for a particular organization, especially for a short period of time:
 " He was sent on attachment to their offices in Hong Kong.
7. [**uncountable and countable**] *law* a situation in which part of the money someone earns or money that is owed to them is taken by a court of law and used to pay their debts
8. [**countable**] *technical* a piece of paper fastened to a document such as an insurance agreement, which shows a special condition of the agreement

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THESAURUS

- **email** a message sent using the email system: Did you get my email? | There were about 20 emails in my inbox that morning.
- **message** an email – used when it is obvious that you are talking about a message sent by email, rather than a message sent by some other method: I deleted your message by mistake.
- **attachment** a document or file that is sent with an email: You can email the photo to me as an attachment.
- **spam** unwanted email messages from advertisers: I was getting so much spam that I changed my email address.
- **phishing** the activity of sending emails in order to trick someone into giving away information such as their bank account number or their computer password. This information is then used to get money or goods: Yahoo announced new measures to protect users from phishing.

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