

courthouse[ˈkɔːthavs] *n*

1. здание суда
2. помещичий дом (на юге Англии)
3. *амер.* = county seat

courthouse

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court·house [courthouse courthouses] *BrE* [ˈkɔːθaʊs] *NAmE* [ˈkɔːrθaʊs]

noun

1. (especially *NAmE*) a building containing courts of law
2. (in the US) a building containing the offices of a county government

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:

- The prison is opposite the courthouse.

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