

**felon**

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1. [ˈfelən] *n*
  1. *юр.* преступник (*совершивший тяжкое преступление*); уголовный преступник; фелон
  2. *арх.* злодей, негодяй
2. [ˈfelən] *в арх. поэт.*  
жестокый; преступный; предательский  
felon blow [steel] - предательский удар [кинжол]

II

[ˈfelən] *n мед.*  
панариций

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**felon** [felən felənz] *BrE* [ˈfelən] <sup>uk</sup> *NAmE* [ˈfelən] <sup>us</sup> **noun** (especially *NAmE, law*)  
a person who has committed a <sup>ˈ</sup>felony

Word Origin:

Middle English: from Old French, literally wicked, a wicked person (oblique case of *fel* 'evil'), from medieval Latin *fello, fellow-*, of unknown origin.

Example Bank:

- felons who have served their sentence
- The law requires convicted felons entering the state to register their address with the police.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[Date: 1200-1300; Language: Old French; Origin: Medieval Latin *fello* 'person who does evil']

someone who is guilty of a serious crime **SYN criminal** :

By law, convicted felons (=criminals who are sent to prison) may not own or use guns.

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**THESAURUS**

- **criminal** someone who is involved in illegal activities or has been proved guilty of a crime. **Criminal** is used especially about someone who often does things that are illegal: Criminals are stealing people's credit card details off the Internet. | He is one of the most wanted criminals in the United States.
- **offender** someone who breaks the law: The courts should impose tougher punishments on offenders. | a special prison for young offenders
- **crook** *informal* a dishonest person, especially one who steals money and who you cannot trust: Some politicians are crooks, but not all of them. | They're just a bunch of crooks.
- **felon** *law especially American English* someone who has committed a serious crime: Convicted felons should not be allowed to profit from their crimes.
- **the culprit** the person who has done something wrong or illegal: The culprits were never found. | If I ever catch the culprit, he or she is in big trouble. | The culprits were just six years old.
- **delinquent** a young person who behaves badly and is likely to commit crimes - used especially in the phrase **juvenile delinquent**: He later worked with juvenile delinquents in a Florida youth services program.
- **accomplice** someone who helps a criminal to do something illegal: Police believe the murderer must have had an accomplice.

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Freakuency Pack

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 RANGE: **12k** FELON <sup>4185</sup>  
 felon <sup>617</sup>  
 felons <sup>700</sup>  
 felony <sup>2385</sup>  
 felonies <sup>483</sup>  
 COCA 500k Unlemmatized  
 473 **29408**<sup>575</sup> *nn1*  
 3 **139100**<sup>32</sup> *np1*  
 10 **258807**<sup>10</sup> *nnu*