

**settle****1. ['setl] n**

1. деревянная скамья с высокой спинкой; скамья-ларь
2. *редк.* помост

**2. ['setl] v**

I

**1. решать, принимать решение**

- there is nothing settled yet - ничего ещё не решено  
 that settles the matter - это решает вопрос  
 questions not yet settled - всё ещё не решённые вопросы  
 to settle a question once and for all - раз и навсегда решить какой-л. вопрос  
 your appointment is as good as settled - ваше назначение можно считать решённым (делом)  
 (well) that settles it - (ну) теперь всё ясно; вопрос решён; это решает дело  
 everything is settled, it's all settled, the matter is settled - а) всё в порядке; б) всё решено  
 settle it any way you like - решай как хочешь

**2. 1) договариваться, определять**

- to settle the price [the terms] - договориться о цене [об условиях]  
 to settle a bargain - а) заключить сделку; б) прийти к соглашению  
 to settle one's route - определить свой маршрут  
 to settle the date of one's return - назначить срок возвращения  
 the terms were settled - об условиях договорились  
 to settle with smb. - а) договариваться /приходить к соглашению/ с кем-л.; she settled it with her husband - она договорилась об этом с мужем; б) расплачиваться, рассчитываться с кем-л.; to settle with one's creditors - рассчитаться с кредиторами; в) заключать сделку с кем-л.

**2) выяснять, улаживать; разрешать**

- to settle points of difficulty and doubt - выяснять трудные и сомнительные вопросы  
 to settle an argument [a quarrel] - улаживать спор [ссору]  
 to settle differences - ликвидировать разногласия  
 settle it among yourselves - решайте сами, договаривайтесь между собой  
 that is settled then - договорились, решено

**3) *юр.* разрешать, урегулировать**

- to settle a claim - разрешить /урегулировать/ претензию  
 to settle a case - а) решать дело третейским судом; б) закончить /завершить/ дело; в) уплатить долг  
 to settle an offence out of court - *юр.* прекратить дело без судебного разбирательства пойти на мировую  
 to settle a lawsuit amicably - помириться /договориться/, не доводя дело до суда, прийти к полюбовному соглашению

**3. 1) поселяться, обосновываться (*мж.* settle down)**

- to settle in London [in the country] - поселиться в Лондоне [в деревне]  
 a family long settled in the country - семья, давно живущая в этой стране

**2) поселять, заселять; колонизировать**

- to settle new lands - заселять новые земли  
 to settle smb. in a new country [on the land] - поселить кого-л. в новой стране [в сельской местности]  
 by whom was Canada settled? - кем была колонизирована Канада?  
 Englishmen (were) settled in Virginia - англичане обосновались в Виргинии  
 the most thickly settled portion of the country - самая населённая часть страны

**4. 1) устраиваться, усаживаться, укладываться (*мж.* settle down)**

- to settle (oneself) in a chair [in a car, on the veranda at a desk] - усаживаться на стуле [в автомобиле, на веранде, за письменным столом]  
 to settle oneself in the saddle - (прочно) усаживаться в седле  
 she has settled herself in a corner - она пристроилась, в уголочке

**2) устраивать, усаживать, укладывать**

- to settle smb. in an arm-chair - усадить кого-л. в кресло  
 to settle an invalid among pillows - усадить больного в подушках  
 to settle an invalid for the night - (удобно) устроить /уложить/ больного на ночь  
 to settle off to sleep - укладывать спать  
 she settled the child off (to sleep) - она уложила ребёнка (спать)

**3) устраивать, устраивать (*к делу и т. п.*)**

- to settle one's children - устроить своих детей  
 to settle one's daughter - выдать замуж /пристроить/ свою дочь  
 to settle one's son in business - найти сыну место в деловом мире  
 he did not want his son to marry until he was well settled in his career - он не хотел, чтобы сын женился раньше, чем сделает (себе) карьеру

**5. 1) опускаться, оседать, садиться (*мж.* settle down)**

- to let smth. settle - дать чему-л. осесть  
 the dust settled slowly - пыль медленно осела  
 the dust settled on everything again - всё снова покрылось пылью  
 the leaf gently settled to the ground - лист неслышно слетел на землю

**2) осаждаться, отстаиваться, давать осадок**

- the solids settled (down) to the bottom (of the liquid) - твёрдые частицы осели на дно (сосуда с жидкостью)  
 to stand beer to settle - дать пиву отстояться

the dregs settled and the wine was clear - осадок осел, и вино стало прозрачным

3) давать отстояться, очищать от мути

a drop of cold water will settle boiling coffee - капля холодной воды - и кипящий кофе быстро осядет  
the rain settled the dust - дождь прибил пыль

6. 1) приводить в порядок, успокаивать

to settle (one's) nerves - успокаивать нервы  
to settle one's mind - а) успокоиться, привести мысли в порядок; б) прийти к определённом мнению  
to settle the stomach - наладить пищеварение  
to settle a heated imagination - успокоить больное воображение  
having a baby settled her - после рождения ребёнка она стала более уравновешенной

2) успокаиваться; приходить в порядок

I'll wait until the class settles before starting the lesson - прежде чем начать урок, я подожду, пока класс успокоится

7. надевать; вдевать; помещать

to settle one's hat on one's head - надевать шляпу на голову  
to settle one's feet in the stirrups - вдевать ноги в стремена

8. платить, оплачивать; расплачиваться (*тж.* settle up)

to settle a bill /an account/ - оплатить счёт  
to settle a debt - уплатить/покрыть/ долг  
shall I settle for everybody? - мне заплатить за всех?  
will you settle for me? - вы расплатитесь/заплатите за меня?

II А

1. устранять, рассеивать (*сомнения, опасения, колебания*)

to settle hesitations - устранять/рассеивать/ опасения  
to settle smb.'s doubts - разрешить чьи-л. сомнения  
to settle smb.'s scruples - успокоить кого-л.

2. садиться (*о птицах, насекомых и т. п.*)

the bird settled on a branch [on a tree] - птица села на ветку [на дерево]  
a bee settled among the flowers on the table - пчела села на цветы, стоящие на столе

3. нависать (*о темноте*); воцаряться (*о тишине и т. п.*)

a great silence settled in the room - в комнате воцарилась мёртвая тишина  
silence settled over the village - в деревне всё затихло, в деревне воцарилась тишина  
storm-clouds settled darkly over the village - над деревней нависли грозные облака

4. оседать, смещаться вниз (*о фундаменте, дороге и т. п.*; *тж.* settle down)

the foundations have settled, and the walls are beginning to crack - фундамент осел, и стены начали давать трещины  
the road-bed settled - полотно дороги осело

5. погружаться, тонуть (*о корабле*; *тж.* settle down)

the ship was settling - корабль погружался в воду

6. устанавливаться (*о погоде, ветре*)

the weather has settled at last - погода наконец установилась  
the wind is settling in the north - ветер всё время дует с севера  
the wind has settled in the south-west - подул юго-западный ветер

7. утихать (*о буре*; *тж.* settle down)

8. улечься (*о волнении, гнев*; *тж.* settle down)

II Б

1. to settle for smth. *разг.* пойти, согласиться на что-л.; довольствоваться чем-л.

I would settle for three hundred pounds - я бы взял триста фунтов, меня бы устроила сумма в триста фунтов  
I'd settle for less than that - я бы согласился и на меньшее  
she was not prepared to settle for being an ordinary housewife - она не хотела примириться с жизнью обыкновенной домашней хозяйки

2. to settle into smth. принимать какую-л. форму, приобретать какое-л. качество

things will soon settle into shape - положение скоро определится  
her face settled into a mask of contempt - на её лице застыло выражение презрения

3. to settle (up) on smth.

1) остановиться на чём-л., сделать какой-л. выбор, принять какое-л. решение

to settle upon a plan - остановиться на каком-л. плане, принять какой-л. план  
what have you settled on? - на чём вы порешили?  
they settled on the name of Victor (for the child) - они остановились на имени Виктор (для ребёнка)

2) останавливаться, задерживаться на чём-л.

our attention settled on the dog - наше внимание привлекла собака  
a smile settled on her face - на её лице застыла улыбка  
the last rays of the sun settled for a moment on the mountain peak - лучи заходящего солнца осветили на мгновение вершину горы

4. to settle smth. on smb. *юр.* завещать, отказывать что-л. кому-л., закреплять что-л. за кем-л.

to settle one's property on smb. - завещать кому-л. своё имущество  
to settle an annuity on smb. - назначать кому-л. ежегодную ренту  
he settled his title on his nephew - он передал свой титул племяннику, после его смерти титул перейдёт к племяннику

5. to settle (down) on smb., smth. охватывать, завладевать кем-л., чем-л.

a deep melancholy settled on them both - их обоих охватила грусть  
almost immediately the memory settled down on him once more - и тотчас же им вновь завладели /на него нахлынули/ воспоминания

the inflammation settled on the lungs - воспаление захватило лёгкие

6. **to settle (down) to smth., to settle (down) to do smth.** **взяться за какое-л. дело; заняться какой-л. работой**

to settle down to work [to read] - приниматься за работу [за чтение]

to settle (oneself) down to think - погрузиться в размышления

to settle down to married life - жениться, обзавестись семьёй

to settle down to a quiet life /to peace and comfort/ - зажить спокойной жизнью

I fear he will never settle to anything for long - боюсь, что он никогда не будет ничем долго заниматься

he can't settle to anything - а) он не может ни на чём остановиться; б) он никак не может выбрать себе профессию

7. **to settle (down) to /for/ smth.** **приготовиться к чему-л.; собираться делать что-л.**

to settle oneself to sleep, to settle down to go to sleep - устроиться в постели перед сном

to settle down for a nap - собираться вздремнуть

she settled herself for a great display of rhetorics - она приготовилась к нудному назиданию

8. **to settle down to /at/ smth.** **привыкать к чему-л., осваиваться с чем-л.**

to settle down to a task - втягиваться в работу

he is settling down to his new job - он привыкает к своей новой работе

to settle down at a new school - привыкать к новой школе

9. **to settle (smth.) with smb.** **расквитаться с кем-л.; отомстить кому-л.**

we'll settle with him yet - мы ему ещё покажем

I've got a score to settle with him - у меня с ним свои счёты

he'll have an account to settle with her - ему предстоит с ней неприятный разговор (по какому-л. делу)

I'll settle accounts with him! - я с ним сведу счёты!, я рассчитаюсь с ним!



to settle smb., to settle smb.'s hash - а) отделаться от кого-л., разделаться с кем-л.; б) заставить кого-л. замолчать, заткнуть кому-л. рот, в) **ср.** прикончить /«порешить»/ кого-л., прихлопнуть кого-л., отправить кого-л. на тот свет

another stroke will settle him - ещё один удар, и с ним будет покончено /и он будет готов/

to settle smb.'s goose - окончательно разгромить кого-л.; расправиться с кем-л.

to settle down for life - жениться, обзавестись семьёй

to settle the land - удаляться от берега, терять берег из виду

to settle a sail - опустить парус

## settle

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**set-tle** [set-tle settles settled settling] verb, noun BrE ['setl] <sup>а</sup> NAmE ['setl] <sup>а</sup>

verb

### END ARGUMENT

1. **transitive, intransitive ~ (sth)** to put an end to an argument or a disagreement

• to **settle a dispute/an argument/a matter**

• It's time you **settled your differences** with your father.

• I want this thing settled.

• There is pressure on the unions to settle.

• The company has agreed to **settle out of court** (= come to an agreement without going to court) .

### DECIDE/ARRANGE

2. **transitive, often passive** to decide or arrange sth finally

• ~ **sth It's** all **settled** — we're leaving on the nine o'clock plane.

• Good, that's settled, then.

• Bob will be there? **That settles it** . I'm not coming.

• He had to **settle his affairs** (= arrange all his personal business) in Paris before he could return home.

• **it is settled that...** It's been settled that we leave on the nine o'clock plane.

### CHOOSE PERMANENT HOME

3. **intransitive + adv./prep.** to make a place your permanent home

• She settled in Vienna after her father's death.

4. **transitive, usually passive, intransitive ~ sth | + adv./prep.** (of a group of people) to make your permanent home in a country or an area as <sup>↑</sup>colonists

• This region was settled by the Dutch in the nineteenth century.

### INTO COMFORTABLE POSITION/STATE

5. **intransitive, transitive** to make yourself or sb else comfortable in a new position

• ~ **(back) (+ adv./prep.)** Ellie settled back in her seat.

• ~ **sb/yourself (+ adv./prep.)** He settled himself comfortably in his usual chair.

• I settled her on the sofa and put a blanket over her.

6. **transitive ~ sth + adv./prep.** to put sth carefully in a position so that it does not move

• She settled the blanket around her knees.

7. **intransitive, transitive** to become or make sb/sth become calm or relaxed

• The baby wouldn't settle.

• ~ **sb/sth** I took a pill to help settle my nerves.

• This should settle your stomach.

## COME TO REST

8. **intransitive ~ (on/over sth)** to fall from above and come to rest on sth; to stay for some time on sth

- Dust had settled on everything.
- Two birds settled on the fence.
- I don't think the snow will settle (= remain on the ground without melting) .
- His gaze settled on her face.

## SINK DOWN

9. **intransitive, transitive ~ (sth)** to sink slowly down; to make sth do this

- The contents of the package may have settled in transit.

## PAY MONEY

10. **transitive, intransitive** to pay the money that you owe

- ~ **sth** Please settle your bill before leaving the hotel.
- The insurance company is refusing to settle her claim.
- ~ **(up) (with sb)** Let me settle with you for the meal.
- I'll pay now— we can settle up later.

**more at** let the dust settlewait for the dust to settle **at** <sup>↑</sup>dust <sup>n.</sup>

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we /they	settle
	BrE / 'setl/
	NAmE / 'setl/
he / she /it	settles
	BrE / 'setlz/
	NAmE / 'setlz/
past simple, past participle	settled
	BrE / 'setld/
	NAmE / 'setld/
-ing form	settling
	BrE / 'setlɪŋ/
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Thesaurus:

**settle** verb

1. T, I

- Talks will be held in an attempt to settle the dispute.

**resolve** • • **solve** • • **repair** • • **mend** • |informal **patch sth up** • |especially BrE, especially spoken **sort sth out** • • **sort** •

settle/patch up sth **with sb**

settle/resolve/solve/mend/patch up/sort out **your differences**

settle/resolve/solve/sort out a/an **dispute/argument/crisis/matter/issue**

2. T

- It's all settled— we're leaving on the nine o'clock plane.

**agree** • • **negotiate** • • **do a deal** • • **understand** • • **broker** • • **hammer sth out** • |informal **thrash sth out** • |formal **conclude** •

settle/agree/negotiate/do a deal/broker/hammer out/thrash out/conclude sth **with sb**

settle sth/agree sth/negotiate sth/be understood/broker sth/hammer sth out/conclude sth **between** A and B

settle/agree/negotiate/do/broker/hammer out/conclude a **deal**

3. T, often passive

- Bob will be there? That settles it. I'm not coming.

**decide** • • **clinch** • • **confirm** •

settle/decide/clinch an **argument**

**finally** settle/decide/clinch/confirm sth

**That** settles/clinches it.

4. I (always used with an adverb or preposition)

- He settled in Vienna after his wife's death.

**move in** • |BrE **set up home** •

settle/set up home **in** a district/city/country, etc.

Collocations:

**The ages of life**

*Childhood/youth*

**be born and raised/bred** in Oxford; into a wealthy/middle-class family

**have a happy/an unhappy/a tough** childhood

**grow up** in a musical family/an orphanage; on a farm

**be/grow up** an only child (= with no brothers or sisters)

**reach/hit/enter/go through** adolescence/puberty

**be in your teens/early twenties/mid-twenties/late twenties**  
**undergo/experience** physical/psychological changes  
**give in to/succumb to/resist** peer pressure  
**assert** your independence/individuality

#### Adulthood

**leave** school/university/home  
**go out to work** (at sixteen)  
**get/find** a job/partner  
**be/get** engaged/married  
**have/get** a wife/husband/mortgage/steady job  
**settle down and have** kids/children/a family  
**begin/start/launch/build** a career (in politics/science/the music industry)  
**prove (to be)/represent/mark/reach** a (major) turning point for sb/in your life/career  
**reach/be well into/settle into** middle age  
**have/suffer/go through** a midlife crisis  
**take/consider** early retirement  
**approach/announce/enjoy** your retirement

#### Old age

**have/see/spend time with** your grandchildren  
**take up/pursue/develop** a hobby  
**get/receive/draw/collect/live on** a pension  
**approach/save for/die from** old age  
**live to** a ripe old age  
**reach** the grand old age of 102/23 (*often ironic*)  
**be/become/be getting/be going** senile (*often ironic*)  
**die (peacefully)/pass away** in your sleep/after a brief illness

#### Example Bank:

- After much deliberation, he finally settled on a fur rug.
- After six months the company finally settled with the unions.
- Don't drink it yet. Let the grounds settle.
- Finally they settled down to watch an old movie.
- He has now settled permanently in London.
- He settled back in his chair to watch television.
- He settled himself more comfortably in his chair.
- He was anxious and couldn't settle.
- Hopes of settling the conflict peacefully are fading.
- I hoped that the dust would settle quickly and the incident be forgotten.
- I ran well but still had to settle for second.
- She felt she wasn't yet ready to settle down.
- She kept fussing around, refusing to let him settle.
- She settled down for a quiet doze on the sofa.
- Slowly dusk began to settle.
- The company has agreed to settle out of court.
- The kids settled happily into their new school.
- The matter has not yet been finally settled.
- They prepared to settle in for the night.
- Unable to settle, she trailed around the house all day.
- a fertile area that was densely settled in early times
- All the loose ends should be settled within 48 hours.
- Bob will be there? That settles it. I'm not coming.
- Good, that's settled, then.
- He had to settle his affairs in Paris before he could return home.
- I'll pay now— we can settle up later.
- I'm delighted that all this has been settled amicably.
- It's all settled — we're leaving on the nine o'clock plane.
- It's time you settled your differences with your father.
- Some snow fell but it didn't settle.
- Talks will be held in an attempt to settle the dispute.
- The union has been urged to settle as quickly as possible.
- They used the last of the money to settle their debts.
- This argument must be settled once and for all.
- This is a matter that can only be settled by a family court.
- When the dust had settled we saw the piles of rubble.

**Idioms:** ↑settle a an account ▪ ↑settle an old score

**Derived** ↑settle down ▪ ↑settle for something ▪ ↑settle in ▪ ↑settle into something ▪ ↑settle on something ▪ ↑settle somebody down ▪ ↑settle something on somebody ▪ ↑settle to something

an old-fashioned piece of furniture with a long wooden seat and a high back and arms, often also with a box for storing things under the seat

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## settle

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**settle** **S2 W2** /'setl/ *BrE* *AmE* verb

[Language: Old English; Origin: setlan]

**1. END ARGUMENT** [intransitive and transitive] to end an argument or solve a disagreement

**settle a dispute/lawsuit/conflict/argument etc**

- Rodman met with Kreeger to try and settle the dispute over his contract.
- We hope the factions will be able to settle their differences (=agree to stop arguing) by peaceful means.
- Forensic tests should settle the question of whether Bates was actually present at the scene of the crime.

**settle with**

- She finally settled with her former employers for an undisclosed sum.
- They might be willing to settle out of court (=come to an agreement without going to a court of law).

**2. DECIDE** [transitive usually passive] to decide what you are going to do, especially so that you can make definite arrangements:

- Nothing's settled yet.
- It's settled then. I'll go back to the States in June.
- 'She's only 15.' 'That settles it (=that is enough information for a definite decision to be made)! We're not taking her with us!'

**3. START LIVING IN A PLACE**

**a)** [intransitive, transitive usually passive] to go to a place where no people have lived permanently before and start to live there:

- This territory was settled in the mid-1850s by German immigrants.

**b)** [intransitive always + adverb/preposition] to go to live in a new place, and stay there for a long time

**settle in**

- Many Jewish people settled in the Lower East Side.

**4. COMFORTABLE** [intransitive, transitive always + adverb/preposition] to put yourself or someone else in a comfortable position

**settle yourself in/on etc something**

- Donna did not dare settle herself too comfortably into her seat, in case she fell asleep.
- The dog settled on the grass to enjoy its bone.
- A nurse settled the old man into a chair. ⇒ ↑settle back

**5. QUIET/CALM** [intransitive and transitive] (also **settle down**) to become quiet and calm, or to make someone quiet and calm:

- When the children had settled, Miss Brown gave out the new reading books.
- She breathed deeply to settle her nerves (=stop herself from feeling worried or frightened).

**6. MOVE DOWN** [intransitive]

**a)** if dust, snow etc settles, it comes down and stays in one place

**settle on**

- Snow settled on the roofs.

**b)** if a bird, insect etc settles, it flies down and rests on something

**settle on**

- A fly kept trying to settle on his face.

**c)** if something such as a building or the ground settles, it sinks slowly to a lower level:

- The crack in the wall is caused by the ground settling.

**7. PAY MONEY** [intransitive and transitive] to pay money that is owed

**settle a bill/account/claim**

- I always settle my account in full each month.
- These insurance companies take forever to settle a claim.

**settle with**

- He was able to settle with his creditors, and avoid going to jail.

**8. ORGANIZE BUSINESS/MONEY** [transitive] to deal with all the details of a business or of someone's money or property, so that nothing further needs to be done:

- When it is finally settled, the Marshall estate may be worth no more than \$100,000.
- After her husband's death, Jackie went to the city to settle his affairs.

**9. settle a score/account** to do something to hurt or cause trouble for someone because they have harmed or offended you:

- Did he have any enemies – someone with an old score to settle?

**10. sb's eyes/gaze settles on somebody/something** *written* if your eyes settle on someone or something, you notice them and look at them for a period of time:

- Her gaze settled on a door, and she wondered what was on the other side of it.

**11. FEELING/QUALITY** [intransitive always + adverb/preposition] *written* if a quality or feeling settles over a place or person, it begins and has a strong effect

**settle over/on**

- An uneasy silence settled over the room.
- Depression settled over her like a heavy black cloud.

**12. EXPRESSION** [intransitive always + adverb/preposition] *written* if a particular expression settles on your face, it stays there:

- A disapproving frown settled on her face.

13. **STOMACH** [intransitive and transitive] if your stomach settles, or if something settles it, it stops feeling uncomfortable or making you sick:

Georgia had taken pills to settle her stomach, but she was still throwing up every hour.

⇒ **let the dust settle/wait for the dust to settle** at ↑dust<sup>1</sup>(5)

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## COLLOCATIONS

### nouns

- **settle a dispute/argument/conflict** Every effort was made to settle the dispute, without success.
- **settle a lawsuit/case** The city will pay \$875,000 to settle the lawsuit.
- **settle a question/matter** It is the area of pricing which may settle the question of which to buy.
- **settle your differences** (=agree to stop arguing) The two recently met to settle their differences.

### adverbs

- **settle something finally/eventually** The case was finally settled by the Appeal Court.
- **settle something amicably** (=in a friendly way, without using a court of law) The dispute was settled amicably.

### phrases

- **settle out of court** (=come to an agreement without going to a court of law) She talked to a lawyer and settled out of court with her former employer.

### settle back phrasal verb

to lean back in a bed or chair, and relax and enjoy yourself:

Vera settled back to enjoy the film.

### settle down phrasal verb

1. **settle (somebody) down** to become quiet and calm, or to make someone quiet and calm:

Shh! Settle down, please! Now turn to page 57.

When Kyle was a baby, we used to take him for rides in the car to settle him down.

2. to start living a quiet and calm life in one place, especially when you get married:

They'd like to see their daughter settle down, get married, and have kids.

3. to start giving all of your attention to a job or activity

### settle down to

I sorted out my mail, then settled down to some serious work.

4. if a situation settles down, it becomes calmer and you are less busy or less worried:

It's been really hectic here. When things settle down, I'll give you a call.

### settle for something phrasal verb [not in passive]

to accept something even though it is not the best, or not what you really want:

They want \$2,500 for it, but they might settle for \$2,000.

### settle in (also settle into something) phrasal verb

to begin to feel happy and relaxed in a new situation, home, job, or school:

How's your new home? Are you settling in OK?

It takes a few months to settle into life at college.

### settle on/upon somebody/something phrasal verb

1. to decide or agree on something:

They haven't settled on a name for the baby yet.

2. **settle something on somebody** *British English formal* to make a formal arrangement to give money or property to someone:

She settled a small yearly sum on each of her children.

### settle up phrasal verb

to pay what you owe on an account or bill:

We settled up and checked out of the hotel.

### settle up with

I'll settle up with the bartender, then let's go.

## settle

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