

session['seʃ(ə)n] *n*

1. заседание, собрание, совещание
 - plenary session - пленарное заседание
 - private /secret/ session - закрытое заседание
 - sessions of a commission - заседание комиссии
 - to be in session - заседать [см. тж. 2, 1])
 - the Senate is now in session - в сенате идут заседания, сенат сейчас работает
 - they had a long session - они долго заседали
 - to go into secret session - обсуждать на закрытом заседании (*что-л.*)
 - to have a session on smth. - совещаться по какому-л. вопросу
2. 1) *юр.* судебное заседание; день судебного заседания
 - closed session - закрытое заседание суда
 - in full session - в открытом судебном заседании
 - to be in session - заседать (о суде) [см. тж. 1]
- 2) (the sessions) = quarter-sessions
3. сессия (*судебная, парламентская*)
 - autumn session - осенняя сессия парламента
 - extraordinary [special] session - чрезвычайная [специальная] сессия
 - to present bills at this session of Parliament - внести законопроекты на обсуждение текущей сессии парламента
 - Court of Session - Сессионный суд (*высший суд Шотландии по гражданским делам*)
4. 1) учебный триместр или семестр
 - Summer sessions - (летние) курсы усовершенствования преподавателей
- 2) учебный год (*в некоторых университетах*)
- 3) *амер.* занятия, учебное время
 - six and eight week sessions - шестинедельный и восьминедельный курсы обучения
 - most of these schools have night sessions - во многих из этих школ проводятся вечерние занятия
5. *амер. разг.* время, занятое чем-л. (*особ. чем-л. неприятным*)
 - he had quite a session with the policeman - у него был долгий и неприятный разговор с полицейским
6. встреча для какой-л. цели
 - dancing session - вечер с танцами
 - card session - встреча для игры в карты; ≅ перебраться в карточки
 - recording session - сеанс звукозаписи
 - a few kids got together for a study session - несколько ребят собралось, чтобы вместе позаниматься
7. *австрал. сл.* групповая пьянка
8. *вчт.* сеанс (*работы пользователя с системой*)
9. *редк.* сидячее положение

session

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ses·sion [session sessions] *BrE* ['seʃn] ^m *NAmE* ['seʃn] ^m **noun**

1. **countable** a period of time that is spent doing a particular activity
 - a **photo/recording/training, etc. session**
 - The course is made up of 12 two-hour sessions.
 - She has a weekly session at the health club on Saturdays.
 - Two soccer fans plunged to their deaths after a heavy drinking session.

see also ↑jam session
2. **countable, uncountable** a formal meeting or series of meetings of a court, a parliament, etc; a period of time when such meetings are held
 - a session of the UN General Assembly
 - The court is now **in session**.
 - The committee met **in closed session** (= with nobody else present).
 - an emergency session of Congress
 - the current parliamentary session

see also ↑quarter sessions
3. **countable** a school or university year
4. **countable** an occasion when people meet to play music, especially Irish music, in a pub/bar

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- The training includes weekly practice sessions.

class • • **lesson** • • **seminar** • • **workshop** • • **tutorial** • • **period** •a session/class/lesson/seminar/workshop/tutorial **on** sth**in/during** a session/class/lesson/seminar/workshop/tutorial/period**at** a session/class/lesson/seminar/workshop/tutorial**2. C**

- a session of the UN General Assembly
- meeting** •• **gathering** •• **assembly** •• **conference** •• **convention** •• **summit** •
- an **annual** session/meeting/gathering/assembly/conference/convention/summit
- hold/attend** a/an session/meeting/gathering/assembly/conference/convention/summit
- address** a/an session/meeting/gathering/assembly/conference/convention

Example Bank:

- Both sessions are scheduled for 10 o'clock.
- Each session lasted approximately 15 minutes.
- I had a one-to-one session with one of the instructors at the gym.
- The Council met in executive session for the purpose of selecting a new general secretary.
- The Governor called a special session of the Legislature.
- The board met in closed session.
- The case worker will talk to refugees at drop-in sessions and by appointment.
- The college runs training sessions every afternoon.
- The court is now in session.
- The man fell in the canal after a heavy drinking session.
- The president addressed a closed session of Congress.
- The session adopted a resolution on disarmament.
- The statute was approved at the 1985 session of the Texas Legislature.
- a full session of the peace talks
- a plenary session of the committee
- a session on remedial reading
- a stormy session of the European Parliament
- The conference will end with a question and answer session.
- The programme is made up of 12 two-hour sessions.
- The training involves twice-weekly practice sessions.
- Your presentation will be part of the morning session.
- a photo/recording/training session

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session **S2 W2** /'seʃən/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ **noun** [countable]

[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Old French; Origin: Latin sessio 'act of sitting, session', from sedere 'to sit']

1. a period of time used for a particular activity, especially by a group of people:

- a training session for teachers about computers
- question-and-answer sessions

session of

- a session of group therapy ⇒ **↑jam session**

2. a formal meeting or group of meetings, especially of a law court or parliament

session of

- the first televised session of parliament

in session (=meeting)

- The court is now in session.
- Board members met **in closed session** (=with nobody else present).

3. **American English** a part of the year when classes are given at a college or university ⇒ **semester**

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COLLOCATIONS

■ ADJECTIVES/NOUN + session

- **a training session** Every training session starts with a series of exercises.
- **a practice session** He crashed during a practice session before this Sunday's Belgian Grand Prix.
- **a question-and-answer session** (=when people ask a speaker questions) His talk was followed by a question and answer session.
- **a photo session** (=when someone is photographed for a magazine etc) I normally have two or three photo sessions a week.
- **a therapy/counselling session** (=when someone is given personal advice) At one point his parents joined him for a family therapy session.
- **a brainstorming session** (=when people think up new ideas) I think we should just get together and have a brainstorming session.

■ verbs

- **have a session** We had a special training session yesterday.
- **do a session** *informal* We're doing a photo session tomorrow.
- **attend a session** *formal* Some doctors require patients to attend counselling sessions.

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