## touch down

[′tʌt∫′davn] *phr v* приземлиться, коснуться земли Apresyan (En-Ru)

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

## touch down touch 'down derived

**1.** (of a plane, **†**spacecraft, etc.) to make contact with the ground as it lands: (figurative) Tornadoes touched down in Alabama and Louisiana.

related noun <sup>†</sup>touchdown

2. (in †rugby) to score a †try by putting the ball on the ground behind the other team's goal line

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Main entry: <sup>†</sup>touch<sub>derived</sub>

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touch down phrasal verb (see also ↑touch)
1. when an aircraft touches down, it lands on the ground:

\* The plane finally touched down at Heathrow airport around midday.

2. in the sport of *rugby*, to score by putting the ball on the ground behind the other team's *goal* line