

**prevention**

[pri'venʃ(ə)n] *n*

- 1) предотвращение, предупреждение; предохранение  
prevention of crime - предупреждение преступления  
prevention of accidents - техника безопасности; предупреждение несчастных случаев
- 2) предупредительная мера; предохранительное средство  
◇ prevention is better than cure - *посл.* легче предупредить болезнь, чем вылечить

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**pre·ven·tion** [prevention preventions] *BrE* [pri'venʃn] <sup>Ⓜ</sup> *NAmE* [pri'venʃn] <sup>Ⓜ</sup>

**noun uncountable**

the act of stopping sth bad from happening

- **accident/crime prevention**
- the prevention of disease
- a fire prevention officer

Idiom: ↑prevention is better than cure

See also: ↑ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure

Example Bank:

- a crime prevention scheme
- a drug prevention programme
- crime prevention strategies
- drug prevention policies
- accident/crime prevention

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[Word Family: **adjective:** ↑preventable **PREVENTIVE/PREVENTATIVE;** **verb:** ↑prevent; **noun:** ↑prevention; **adverb:**

**PREVENTIVELY/PREVENTATIVELY**]

when something bad is stopped from happening

**prevention of**

<sup>Ⓜ</sup> Educating new drivers is important for the prevention of accidents.

**crime/accident/fire etc prevention**

<sup>Ⓜ</sup> Effective crime prevention must be our main goal.

<sup>Ⓜ</sup> a fire prevention officer

<sup>Ⓜ</sup> You know what they say, prevention is better than cure (=it is better to stop something bad from happening than to remove the problem once it has happened).

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prevented 4963

preventing 5057

prevention 8255

prevents 2823

preventable 633

preventative 438

unpreventable 9

preventive 2642

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