

adjourn

[ə'dʒɜːn] *v*

- откладывать, отсрочивать (*заседание и т. п.*)
to adjourn a meeting [a journey, one's departure, one's return] - отложить собрание [поездку, свой отъезд, своё возвращение]
the committee adjourned consideration of the question - комитет отложил рассмотрение этого вопроса
the matter was adjourned - *юр.* слушание дела было отложено
- объявлять перерыв
Parliament [court] adjourned at five o'clock - в пять часов был объявлен перерыв в заседании парламента [суда]
- (to)
 - перенести заседание (*в другое место*)
the committee adjourned to a larger hall - заседания комитета были перенесены в более просторное помещение
 - обыкн. шутл.* перейти в другое место
after dinner we adjourned to the garden - после обеда мы перебазились в сад

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ad·journ [adjourn adjourns adjourned adjourning] *BrE* [ə'dʒɜːn] *NAmE*

[ə'dʒɜːn] *v* **verb intransitive, transitive, often passive** (formal)

to stop a meeting or an official process, especially a trial, for a period of time

- The court adjourned for lunch.
- ~ **sth** The trial has been adjourned until next week.
- The chairman may adjourn the meeting at any time.

Derived Word ↑ **adjournment**

Derived ↑ **adjourn to ...**

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	adjourn
	<i>BrE</i> /ə'dʒɜːn/
	<i>NAmE</i> /ə'dʒɜːrn/
he / she / it	adjourns
	<i>BrE</i> /ə'dʒɜːnz/
	<i>NAmE</i> /ə'dʒɜːnɪz/
past simple, past participle	adjourned
	<i>BrE</i> /ə'dʒɜːnd/
	<i>NAmE</i> /ə'dʒɜːnd/
-ing form	adjourning
	<i>BrE</i> /ə'dʒɜːnɪŋ/
	<i>NAmE</i> /ə'dʒɜːnɪŋ/

Word Origin:

Middle English (in the sense 'summon someone to appear on a particular day'): from Old French *ajourner*, from the phrase *a jorn (nome) 'to an (appointed) day'*.

Example Bank:

- Magistrates adjourned the hearing until May 14.
- Mr Justice Latham adjourned sentence until Friday week.
- Shall we adjourn to your office?
- The case was adjourned for a week.
- The court will normally adjourn to allow the collection of further evidence.
- The inquest was adjourned pending further investigations.
- The trial was adjourned indefinitely.

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ad·journ /ə'dʒɜːn/ *BrE* *AmE* *verb*

[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Old French; Origin: ajourner, from jour 'day']

1. **[intransitive and transitive]** if a meeting, parliament, law court etc adjourns, or if the person in charge adjourns it, it stops for a short time:

It was almost noon when the meeting adjourned.

adjourn for/until

Congress has adjourned for the November elections.

His trial was adjourned until May.

2. **adjourn to something** to finish an activity and go somewhere – often used humorously:

The rest of us adjourned to a nearby pub for some refreshments.

—**adjournment** *noun* [uncountable and countable]:

We sought an adjournment of the proceedings.

THESAURUS

- pause** to stop speaking or stop doing something for a very short time before starting again. **Pause** is used especially in written descriptions. In everyday spoken English, people usually just say **stop**: She paused at the bottom of the stairs and looked up at the clock. | He paused, waiting for Larry to say something.
- hesitate** to stop for a moment and wait before doing something, because you feel unsure or nervous about it: She hesitated for a

moment before replying.

- **have/take a break** to stop working for a short time in order to rest, eat etc: We're all getting tired. Let's take a break for ten minutes.
- **adjourn** *formal* if a meeting or court adjourns or is adjourned, it stops for a short time: If there are no more questions, the committee will adjourn until tomorrow morning. | The trial was adjourned because one of the defendants was ill.
- **take five** *especially American English informal* to stop for a short time in order to rest: Let's take five and get some coffee.
- **break off** to suddenly stop speaking, especially because you see, hear, or think of something: He broke off his conversation when he saw Mary running towards him. | She broke off and looked embarrassed, then said, 'I'll explain later.'

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