

penal['pi:nl] **a**1. наказуемый (*законом*); уголовный

penal act - уголовно наказуемый поступок /-ое действие/

penal offence - уголовное преступление

penal battalion - **воен.** штрафной батальон

penal code - уголовный кодекс

penal military code - военно-уголовный кодекс

penal servitude - каторжные работы

penal colony /settlement/ - **уст.** штрафная колонияPenal Laws - **уст.** законы против папистов и нонконформистовPenal Code - **уст.** законы против папистов (*в Ирландии*)2. *в грам. знач. суц. разг.* срок тюремного заключения *или* каторжных работ

to get a penal - получить срок

he got five years penal - он приговорён к пяти годам каторжных работ

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

penal *BrE* ['pi:nl] ^u *NAmE* ['pi:nl] ^u **adjective usually before noun**

1. connected with or used for punishment, especially by law

• penal reforms

• the **penal system**• Criminals could at one time be sentenced to **penal servitude** (= prison with hard physical work) .• a **penal colony** (= a place where criminals were sent as a punishment in the past)

2. that can be punished by law

• a penal offence

3. very severe

• penal rates of interest

Word Origin:[**penal**] late Middle English: from Old French **penal**, from Latin **poenalis**, from **poena** 'pain, penalty' .**penal**

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penal /'pi:nl *BrE* ^u *AmE* ^u **adjective**

[Date: 1400-1500; Language: French; Origin: pénal, from Latin poenalis, from poena 'punishment']

1. [**only before noun**] relating to the legal punishment of criminals, especially in prisons:

the penal system

penal colony/settlement (= a special area of land where prisoners are kept)2. **penal servitude law** when someone is punished by being kept in prison and made to do hard physical work3. **British English** very severe:

penal rates of interest

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