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assembly

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noun | as-sem·bly | \ə-'sem-blē\

- : the act of connecting together the parts of something (such as a machine) : the act of assembling something
- : a group of people who make and change laws for a government or organization
- : a group of people who have gathered together



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plural **as-sem·blies**

Full Definition of ASSEMBLY

- 1 : a company of persons gathered for deliberation and legislation, worship, or entertainment
- 2 *capitalized* : a legislative body; *specifically* : the lower house of a legislature
- 3 : a meeting of a student body and usually faculty for administrative, educational, or recreational purposes
- 4 **a** : ASSEMBLAGE 1
b : ASSEMBLAGE 2
- 5 : a signal for troops to assemble or fall in
- 6 **a** : the fitting together of manufactured parts into a complete machine, structure, or unit of a machine
b : a collection of parts so assembled
- 7 : the translation of assembly language to machine language by an assembler

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Examples of ASSEMBLY

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- the New York State *Assembly*
- an *assembly* of armed men
- School *assemblies* were usually held in the cafeteria.

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Origin of ASSEMBLY

Middle English *assemblee*, from Anglo-French, from *assembler*
 First Known Use: 14th century

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ASSEMBLY Defined for Kids

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plural as-sem·blies

Definition of ASSEMBLY for Kids

- 1 : a group of people gathered together <an *assembly* of citizens> <a school *assembly*>
- 2 *cap* : a group of people who make and change laws for a government or organization
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