



Apartment

a room or suite of rooms designed as a residence and generally located in a building occupied by more than one household

Bed and breakfast

overnight accommodation and breakfast

Campsite

an area suitable or used for camping

Caravan

a trailer or dwelling place on wheels

Chalet

a cottage or lodge built in Swiss Alps style

Country house

a residence in the country, a mansion or other large dwelling on a country estate

Cruise ship

a large commercial ship that carries passengers on a regular schedule overseas

Farmhouse

a house attached to a farm, from which the farm is managed



Guest house

bed and breakfast, motel, boarding house, or a house separated from main one on a property that is rented or used for guests

Hostel

inexpensive place to stay for travelers, especially young travelers

Hotel

an establishment that provides lodging and usually meals and other services for travelers and other paying guests

Lodge

rustic building used as a temporary abode or shelter, small house, inn

Log cabin

a cabin built with logs, a small house in a wooded area

Motel

a roadside hotel for motorists, usually having direct access from each room and an open parking area

Motorhome

a motor vehicle designed to serve as living space for camping or extended motor trips

Mountain refuge

shelter or protection from danger located in mountain area, accommodation to be rented in mountain area



University hall of residence

a college or university building where students live

Villa

a large, luxurious house

Urban

related or located in a city

Rural

related or located in the countryside

Static

having no motion, fixed

Mobile

capable of moving or being moved from place to place

Room service

service in a hotel providing meals, drinks, etc., in guests' rooms

Sauna

a small room or structure that provides dry heat or steam for bathing or refreshing the body



Beauty parlour

a shop where hairdressers and beauticians work

Jacuzzi

a bath or a pool that has a device to swirl water in the bath

Safe box

a fireproof metal strongbox for storing valuables

Boutique

a small retail shop that specializes in gifts, fashionable clothes and accessories

Medieval

relating or belonging to the Middle Ages

Metropolitan

relating or characteristic of a major city

Stylish

having style, smart, fashionable

Self-catering

accommodation in which guest or visitor provides and prepares their own food



Sleeping bag

a large soft bag that you use for sleeping in when you go camping

Restored

put back into its former condition

Surroundings

everything that is near or around you

Friendly

pleasant in social relations

Conference facilities

rooms and spaces that are used for conferences

Direct dial telephone

used for long-distance calls without the aid of an operator

Guest history

a computer file that shows details of a client's previous stays in a hotel

Key card

a plastic card with a magnetic strip for opening a door



Room rack

the computer screen or the board that shows which rooms are free

Registration card

a card showing details of a guest's stay in a hotel

Walk-in guest - a chance guest

someone who arrives without a room reservation

Guest status

the level of importance a guest has for a hotel

VIP

an important guest

Voucher

a paper document to show that a guest has already paid for a room

Swipe

to pass a credit card through terminal to register the card details

Express checkout

allows a checkout without having to return to the Front Desk. Billing and copy of the bill are done electronically (check-in credit card details and e-mail)



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Recreation

physical or mental activity pursued primarily for pleasure