



◀ A group of men and women **convened** a meeting in Seneca Falls, New York in July 1848 to discuss voting rights, property rights, and divorce. The Seneca Falls Convention was the beginning of an organized women's rights movement in the United States.

Word	Part of Speech	Meaning	Word History	Other Forms
<i>convene</i>	verb	to come together or bring together for a meeting or activity	<i>convene</i> comes from the Latin <i>convenire</i> , meaning "to unite, assemble"	<i>convention</i> (noun)

Name other words that mean about the same thing.

convene

Name other words that have the opposite meaning.

Write a sentence or question that includes this word.

Adding New Meaning

In English, we can add letters at the beginning or ending of a root word to add a new meaning to the word. For example, by adding the prefix re-, which means "again," to the beginning of *convene*, we create the word **reconvene**. *Reconvene* means to come together or bring together again. *The committee met on Monday and reconvened on Thursday.*

