

Need another word that means the same as "afterwards"? Find 12 synonyms and 30 related words for "afterwards" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Afterwards" are: after, afterward, later, later on, subsequently, then, after that, after this, next, eventually, after a period of time, in due course

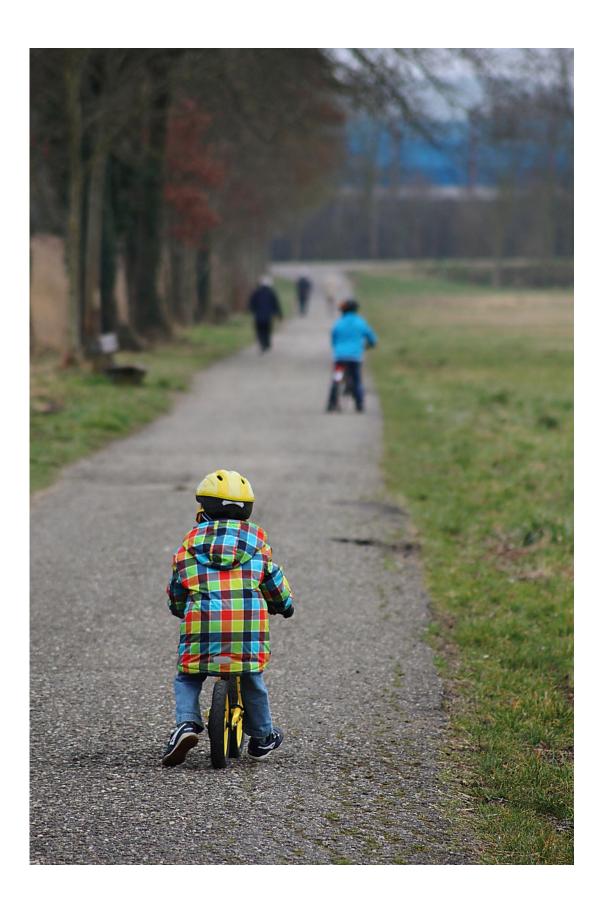
Afterwards as an Adverb

Definitions of "Afterwards" as an adverb

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "afterwards" as an adverb can have the following definitions:

- At a later or future time.
- Happening at a time subsequent to a reference time.







Synonyms of "Afterwards" as an adverb (12 Words)

At a later or future time afterwards. after

Two hours after that.

after a period of time Happening at a time subsequent to a reference time. after that Happening at a time subsequent to a reference time.

after this Behind or in the rear.

Happening at a time subsequent to a reference time. afterward

It didn t happen until **afterward**.

After an unspecified period of time or an especially long delay. eventually

Eventually after midnight I arrived at the hotel.

To or toward the inside of. in due course

Happening at a time subsequent to a reference time. later

Later on it will be easier.

later on Comparative of the adverb `late. Following in the specified order.

next Jo was the **next** oldest after Martin.

After a particular thing has happened; afterwards. subsequently

The officer decided to stop and **subsequently** made an arrest.

Used at the end of a sentence to emphasize an inference being

then

First came lightning **then** thunder.





Usage Examples of "Afterwards" as an adverb

• The offender was arrested shortly afterwards.



Associations of "Afterwards" (30 Words)

At a later or future time afterwards.

Duke Frederick died soon after.

afterthought An addition that was not included in the original plan.

The garage was an **afterthought**.

afterward Happening at a time subsequent to a reference time.

It didn t happen until **afterward**.

Desiring or striving for recognition or advancement.

An **aspiring** artist.

An event that is experienced as indicating important things to come.

He hoped it was an **augury**.

Coming or happening later than should have been the case.

A **belated** birthday card.



destine Design or destine.

She was **destine**d to become a great pianist.

Certain to meet (a particular fate.

destined The shipment of illegal drugs **destined** for American and European

markets.

divination A prediction uttered under divine inspiration.

The Celtic art of **divination**.

forthcoming Willing to divulge information.

The **forthcoming** holidays.

future A verb tense that expresses actions or states in the future.

We plan on getting married in the near **future**.

At some time in the future.

hereafter This court is in no way prejudging any such defence which may **hereafter**

be raised.

incoming (of a communication) being received rather than sent.

An **incoming** call.

At or toward an end or late period or stage of development.

They won the game with a **late** goal.

At some eventual time in the future.

Later medical science could have saved the child.

next The next person or thing.

Campaigning for the **next** election.

permanency The property of being able to exist for an indefinite duration.

. . The fleshy part of the human body that you sit on.

posteriorThe **posterior** part of the number of the gut.

posthumous Occurring or coming into existence after a person's death.

A **posthumous** award.

A preliminary round in a sporting competition.

preliminary A preliminary draft.

A prediction about how something (as the weather) will develop.

The disease has a poor **prognosis**.

Expected or expecting to be the specified thing in the future.

prospectiveA meeting to discuss **prospective** changes in government legislation.

shortly For a short time.

The book will appear **shortly**.

sometime Occasional.

prognosis

A **sometime** contributor.



In the near future. soon

How **soon** can you get here.

(of a stream or valley) having a direction or character determined by the

resistance to erosion of the underlying rock, and typically following the

subsequent strike of the strata.

The theory was developed **subsequent** to the earthquake of 1906.

Happening at a time subsequent to a reference time. subsequently The officer decided to stop and subsequently made an arrest.

After that; next; afterwards. then

Then he left.

After that time. thereafter

It was agreed that the meeting be held annually **thereafter**.

Of the relatively near future. upcoming

The **upcoming** spring fashions.