

Need another word that means the same as “alteration”? Find 8 synonyms and 30 related words for “alteration” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Alteration” are: adjustment, modification, change, revision, adaptation, variation, conversion, amendment**

## **Alteration as a Noun**

### **Definitions of "Alteration" as a noun**

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “alteration” as a noun can have the following definitions:

- *An event that occurs when something passes from one state or phase to another.*
- *The action or process of altering or being altered.*
- *The act of revising or altering (involving reconsideration and modification).*
- *The act of making something different (as e.g. the size of a garment).*



## Synonyms of "Alteration" as a noun (8 Words)

<b><u>adaptation</u></b>	A film, television drama, or stage play that has been adapted from a written work. <i>Living in groups is an <b>adaptation</b> to increase the efficiency of hunting.</i>
<b>adjustment</b>	The process of adapting to something (such as environmental conditions). <i>Only slight <b>adjustments</b> to the boat are necessary.</i>
<b><u>amendment</u></b>	A minor change or addition designed to improve a text, piece of legislation, etc. <i>An <b>amendment</b> to existing bail laws.</i>
<b>change</b>	Money given in exchange for the same sum in larger units. <i>There had been no <b>change</b> in the mountains.</i>
<b><u>conversion</u></b>	A change of religion. <i>The individual's responsibility in <b>conversion</b> is to repent and believe.</i>
<b><u>modification</u></b>	The act of making something different (as e.g. the size of a garment). <i>The neighborhood had undergone few <b>modifications</b> since his last visit years ago.</i>
<b>revision</b>	The act of rewriting something. <i>The scheme needs drastic <b>revision</b>.</i>
<b>variation</b>	The act of changing or altering something slightly but noticeably from the norm or standard. <i>Who is responsible for these <b>variations</b> in taxation.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Alteration" as a noun

- *Alterations had to be made.*
- *Careful alteration of old buildings.*



## Associations of "Alteration" (30 Words)

<b>adaption</b>	The process of adapting to something (such as environmental conditions.
<b>adjustment</b>	The process of adapting to something (such as environmental conditions. <i>Only slight <b>adjustments</b> to the boat are necessary.</i>
<b>change</b>	Change clothes put on different clothes. <i>The weather <b>changed</b> last night.</i>
<b>changeover</b>	A change from one system or situation to another. <i>The <b>changeover</b> from handicraft to mechanized manufacture.</i>

<b>chromosome</b>	A threadlike structure of nucleic acids and protein found in the nucleus of most living cells, carrying genetic information in the form of genes. <i>Humans have 22 <b>chromosome</b> pairs plus two sex <b>chromosomes</b>.</i>
<b>conversion</b>	A defense mechanism represses emotional conflicts which are then converted into physical symptoms that have no organic basis. <i>He was found guilty of the fraudulent <b>conversion</b> of clients monies.</i>
<b>convert</b>	A person who has been converted to another religious or political belief. <i><b>Convert</b> centimeters into inches.</i>
<b>converted</b>	Spiritually reborn or converted. <i>A <b>converted</b> Victorian property.</i>
<b>defection</b>	The desertion of one's country or cause in favour of an opposing one. <i>A number of <b>defections</b> by leading ballet dancers.</i>
<b>disabuse</b>	Free somebody (from an erroneous belief). <i>He quickly <b>disabused</b> me of my fanciful notions.</i>
<b>gene</b>	Genetics a segment of DNA that is involved in producing a polypeptide chain it can include regions preceding and following the coding DNA as well as introns between the exons it is considered a unit of heredity. <i>Playing tennis is in my <b>genes</b>.</i>
<b>metamorphose</b>	Change completely the nature or appearance of. <i>Overnight family houses <b>metamorphose</b> into bed and breakfast as 7 000 visitors roll into town.</i>
<b>modification</b>	Slightly modified copy; not an exact copy. <i>The parts supplied should fit with little or no <b>modification</b>.</i>
<b>modify</b>	(especially of an adjective) restrict or add to the sense of (a noun). <i>She may be prepared to <b>modify</b> her views.</i>
<b>modulation</b>	The exertion of a modifying or controlling influence on something. <i>Their bold approach to harmony and <b>modulation</b>.</i>
<b>mutation</b>	A distinct form resulting from genetic mutation. <i><b>Mutation</b> is ultimately the only way in which new variation enters the species.</i>
<b>recessive</b>	A recessive trait or gene. <i><b>Recessive</b> stress is characteristic of British English.</i>
<b>remold</b>	Shape again or shape differently.
<b>reschedule</b>	Arrange a new scheme of repayments of (a debt). <i>They <b>rescheduled</b> external debts to improve their economic situation.</i>
<b>revisal</b>	The act of rewriting something.

<b>revise</b>	Revise or reorganize especially for the purpose of updating and improving. <i>He had cause to <b>revise</b> his opinion a moment after expressing it.</i>
<b>revision</b>	The action of revising. <i>The scheme needs drastic <b>revision</b>.</i>
<b>rewrite</b>	Rewrite so as to make fit to suit a new or different purpose. <i><b>Rewrite</b> after <b>rewrite</b> was drafted to ensure the final version would pass muster.</i>
<b>transfigure</b>	Elevate or idealize, in allusion to Christ's transfiguration. <i>Jesus was <b>transfigured</b> after his resurrection.</i>
<b>transformation</b>	A qualitative change. <i>British society underwent a radical <b>transformation</b>.</i>
<b>transition</b>	Cause to convert or undergo a transition. <i>A <b>transition</b> to multiparty democracy.</i>
<b>transmogrify</b>	Change completely the nature or appearance of. <i>His home was transmogrified into a hippy crash pad.</i>
<b>transmutation</b>	The action of changing or the state of being changed into another form. <i>Grotesque <b>transmutations</b>.</i>
<u><a href="#">transmute</a></u>	Subject (base metals) to alchemical transmutation. <i>The discovery that elements can <b>transmute</b> by radioactivity.</i>
<u><a href="#">variant</a></u>	An event that departs from expectations. <i>Clinically distinct <b>variants</b> of malaria.</i>

