

Need another word that means the same as “anyway”? Find 20 synonyms and 30 related words for “anyway” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Anyway” are: anyhow, anyways, in any case, in any event, no matter what, regardless, in spite of everything, in spite of that, nonetheless, even so, however, but, still, yet, though, for all that, after everything, just the same, all the same, notwithstanding**

## Anyway as an Adverb

### Definitions of "Anyway" as an adverb

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “anyway” as an adverb can have the following definitions:

- *Used to end a conversation, to change the subject, or to resume a subject after interruption.*
- *Used in questions to emphasize the speaker's wish to obtain the truth.*
- *Used to confirm or support a point or idea just mentioned.*
- *Used to pass over less significant aspects of an account in order to focus on what is important.*
- *Used to indicate that something happened or will happen in spite of something else.*
- *In any way whatsoever.*
- *Used to indicate that a statement explains or supports a previous statement.*

### Synonyms of "Anyway" as an adverb (20 Words)

**after everything**      Happening at a time subsequent to a reference time.

<b>all the same</b>	To a complete degree or to the full or entire extent (‘whole’ is often used informally for ‘wholly’).
<b><u>anyhow</u></b>	In any way whatsoever. <i>Two suitcases flung <b>anyhow</b>.</i>
<b><u>anyways</u></b>	Used to indicate that a statement explains or supports a previous statement. <i>You wouldn't understand all them long words <b>anyways</b>.</i>
<b>but</b>	No more than; only. <i>He is <b>but</b> a shadow of his former self.</i>
<b>even so</b>	Used as an intensive especially to indicate something unexpected.
<b>for all that</b>	To a complete degree or to the full or entire extent (‘whole’ is often used informally for ‘wholly’).
<b>however</b>	Used to introduce a statement that contrasts with or seems to contradict something that has been said previously. <i>He was hesitant to take the risk <b>however</b> small.</i>
<b>in any case</b>	To or toward the inside of.
<b>in any event</b>	To or toward the inside of.
<b>in spite of everything</b>	To or toward the inside of.
<b>in spite of that</b>	To or toward the inside of.
<b>just the same</b>	Only a very short time before.
<b>no matter what</b>	Referring to the degree to which a certain quality is present.
<b><u>nonetheless</u></b>	Despite anything to the contrary (usually preceding a concession). <i>The rally which the government had declared illegal was <b>nonetheless</b> attended by some 6 000.</i>
<b>notwithstanding</b>	Despite anything to the contrary (usually preceding a concession). <i>I didn't like it. <b>Notwithstanding</b>, I remained calm.</i>
<b><u>regardless</u></b>	Despite the prevailing circumstances. <i>The allowance is paid <b>regardless</b> of age or income.</i>
<b>still</b>	Even (used with comparatives for emphasis). <i>An even or <b>still</b> more interesting problem.</i>
<b><u>though</u></b>	However. <i>I was hunting for work Jobs were scarce <b>though</b>.</i>
<b><u>yet</u></b>	Used in negative statement to describe a situation that has existed up to this point or up to the present time. <i>Wait don't go <b>yet</b>.</i>

## Usage Examples of "Anyway" as an adverb

- *'Anyway, Dot, I must dash.*
- *I don't know what happened to it; anyway, it's gone.*
- *It's too late now anyway.*
- *Nobody invited Miss Honey to sit down but she sat down anyway.*
- *'Poor John always enjoyed a drink. Anyway, he died last year.*
- *I told you, it's all right, and anyway, it was my fault.*
- *Get it done anyway you can.*
- *Anyway, there is another factor to consider.*
- *'What are you doing here, anyway.*

## Associations of "Anyway" (30 Words)

<b>additionally</b>	Used to introduce a new fact or argument. <i><b>Additionally</b> 50 hours of practical experience will be necessary.</i>
<b>also</b>	In addition. <i>A brilliant linguist he was <b>also</b> interested in botany.</i>
<b>anyhow</b>	In a careless or haphazard way. <i>Two suitcases flung <b>anyhow</b>.</i>
<b>appreciably</b>	To a noticeable degree. <i>An <b>appreciably</b> higher risk.</i>
<b>besides</b>	Used to introduce an additional idea or explanation. <i>I don't want to go to a restaurant <b>besides</b> we can't afford it.</i>
<b>chance</b>	Occurring or appearing or singled out by chance. <i>There is little <b>chance</b> of his finding a job.</i>
<b>every</b>	Each and all of the members of a group considered singly and without exception. <i><b>Every</b> two hours.</i>
<b>except</b>	Take exception to. <i>Five classes of advertisement are <b>excepted</b> from control.</i>
<b>expected</b>	Considered likely or probable to happen or arrive. <i>Prepared for the <b>expected</b> attack.</i>
<b>furthermore</b>	In addition; besides (used to introduce a fresh consideration in an argument). <i>Computer chess games are getting cheaper all the time <b>furthermore</b> their quality is improving.</i>

<b>however</b>	By contrast; on the other hand. <i><b>However</b> you look at it you can't criticize that.</i>
<b>instead</b>	As an alternative or substitute. <i>Felix became a herpetologist <b>instead</b>.</i>
<b>likely</b>	Likely but not certain to be or become true or real. <i>The broken limb is <b>likely</b> to fall.</i>
<u><b>maybe</b></u>	Perhaps; possibly. <i>No ifs buts or <b>maybes</b>.</i>
<b>more</b>	Forming the comparative of adjectives and adverbs especially those of more than one syllable. <i>A hall with <b>more</b> seats.</i>
<u><b>moreover</b></u>	In addition. <i>The cellar was dark <b>moreover</b> mice nested there.</i>
<b>opportunity</b>	A time or set of circumstances that makes it possible to do something. <i>The night drive gave us the <b>opportunity</b> of spotting rhinos.</i>
<b>percent</b>	A proportion in relation to a whole (which is usually the amount per hundred).
<b>perceptibly</b>	In a noticeable manner.
<b>perhaps</b>	Used when one does not wish to be too definite or assertive in the expression of an opinion. <i><b>Perhaps</b> I should have been frank with him.</i>
<u><b>possibly</b></u>	Used in polite requests. <i>We may <b>possibly</b> run into them at the concert.</i>
<b>potential</b>	Having or showing the capacity to develop into something in the future. <i>A young broadcaster with great <b>potential</b>.</i>
<b>preferably</b>	Ideally; if possible. <i>He would like a place of his own <b>preferably</b> outside the town.</i>
<u><b>probably</b></u>	Easy to believe on the basis of available evidence. <i>He will <b>probably</b> win the election.</i>
<u><b>quite</b></u>	To a certain or fairly significant extent or degree; fairly. <i><b>Quite</b> rich.</i>
<u><b>rather</b></u>	Instead of; as opposed to. <i>She's been behaving <b>rather</b> strangely.</i>
<b>really</b>	Used as intensifiers real is sometimes used informally for really rattling is informal. <i>A <b>really</b> enjoyable evening.</i>
<u><b>too</b></u>	In addition; also. <i>Is he coming <b>too</b>.</i>

**whatever**

One or some or every or all without specification.

*Give me **whatever** peaches you don't want.*

**wherever**

In or to whatever place (emphasizing a lack of restriction).

*Meet me **wherever** you like.*