

Need another word that means the same as “avoidable”? Find 5 synonyms and 30 related words for “avoidable” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Avoidable” are: avertable, avertible, evitable, preventable, stoppable**

## **Avoidable as an Adjective**

### **Definitions of "Avoidable" as an adjective**

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

- *Able to be avoided or prevented.*
- *Capable of being avoided or warded off.*





## Synonyms of "Avoidable" as an adjective (5 Words)

- avertable** Capable of being avoided or warded off.
- avertible** Capable of being avoided or warded off.
- evitable** Able to be avoided or prevented; avoidable.  
*Unfortunately complexity isn't always **evitable**.*
- preventable** Able to be prevented or avoided.  
*Many of these ailments are **preventable**.*
- stoppable** Capable of being stopped.  
*If we pick up our pace he may be **stoppable**.*



## Usage Examples of "Avoidable" as an adjective

- *The accident was entirely avoidable.*
- *Avoidable costs.*



## Associations of "Avoidable" (30 Words)

- apophasis**      Mentioning something by saying it will not be mentioned.
- avert**            Prevent or ward off (an undesirable occurrence).  
***Avert** a strike.*
- banish**           Expel from a community or group.  
***Banish** bad thoughts.*
- bypass**           An alternative channel created during a bypass operation.  
*A manager might **bypass** formal channels of communication.*
- circumvent**      Avoid or try to avoid fulfilling, answering, or performing (duties, questions, or issues).  
*He **circumvented** her with some of his stories.*
- circumvention**   The action of overcoming a problem or difficulty, typically in a clever and surreptitious way.  
***Circumvention** of the rules undermines any fairness.*

<b>deflect</b>	Turn aside and away from an initial or intended course. <i>The ball <b>deflected</b> off Knight s body.</i>
<b>derail</b>	(of a train or tram) accidentally leave the tracks. <i>The plot is seen by some as an attempt to <b>derail</b> the negotiations.</i>
<b>deter</b>	Turn away from by persuasion. <i>Strategists think not only about how to <b>deter</b> war but about how war might occur.</i>
<b>detour</b>	Avoid by taking a detour. <i>He had made a <b>detour</b> to a cafe.</i>
<b>dodge</b>	A statement that evades the question by cleverness or trickery. <i>Marchers had to <b>dodge</b> missiles thrown by loyalists.</i>
<b>elude</b>	Be incomprehensible to; escape understanding by. <i>He tried to <b>elude</b> the security men by sneaking through a back door.</i>
<b>escape</b>	Escape potentially unpleasant consequences get away with a forbidden action. <i>Hard work was his <b>escape</b> from worry.</i>
<b>eschew</b>	Avoid and stay away from deliberately; stay clear of. <i>He appealed to the crowd to <b>eschew</b> violence.</i>
<b>evade</b>	(of an abstract thing) elude (someone). <i>This man always hesitates and <b>evades</b>.</i>
<b>evasion</b>	An indirect answer; a prevaricating excuse. <i>Their adroit <b>evasion</b> of almost all questions.</i>
<b>firewall</b>	Protect a network or system from unauthorized access with a firewall. <i>Our security products offer integral <b>firewalling</b>.</i>
<b>foreclose</b>	Rule out or prevent (a course of action). <i>The bank was threatening to <b>foreclose</b> on his mortgage.</i>
<b>forestall</b>	Act in advance of; deal with ahead of time. <i>They will present their resignations to <b>forestall</b> a vote of no confidence.</i>
<b>forfend</b>	Avert or prevent (something evil or unpleasant). <i>The fiend <b>forfend</b> said the grim Earl.</i>
<b>hinder</b>	Hinder or prevent the progress or accomplishment of. <i>The <b>hinder</b> part of a carcass.</i>
<b>illegalize</b>	Declare illegal; outlaw.
<b>obviate</b>	Do away with. <i>The presence of roller blinds <b>obviated</b> the need for curtains.</i>



- ostracize** (in ancient Greece) banish (an unpopular or overly powerful citizen) from a city for five or ten years by popular vote.  
*Ever since I spoke up my colleagues **ostracize** me.*
- parry** An act of parrying something.  
*Her question met with a polite **parry**.*
- preclude** Keep from happening or arising; make impossible.  
*The secret nature of his work **precluded** official recognition.*
- shun** Persistently avoid, ignore, or reject (someone or something) through antipathy or caution.  
*He **shunned** fashionable society.*
- sidestep** Avoid (someone or something) by stepping sideways.  
*We learned how to **sidestep** up the slope and slide cautiously down.*
- thwart** Prevent (someone) from accomplishing something.  
*He was **thwarted** in his desire to punish Uncle Fred.*
- undiagnosed** Not diagnosed or having been subject to diagnosis.  
*Some patients have diseases that go **undiagnosed** and therefore untreated.*

