

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

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**The synonyms of “Badinage” are: banter, repartee, raillery, wit, crosstalk, wordplay, swordplay, cut and thrust**

## Badinage as a Noun

### Definitions of "Badinage" as a noun

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

- *Frivolous banter.*
- *Humorous or witty conversation.*

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

<b><a href="#">banter</a></b>	The playful and friendly exchange of teasing remarks. <i>There was much good natured <b>banter</b>.</i>
<b>crosstalk</b>	Unwanted transfer of signals between communication channels.
<b>cut and thrust</b>	The act of penetrating or opening open with a sharp edge.
<b>raillery</b>	Light teasing repartee. <i>She was greeted with <b>raillery</b> from her fellow workers.</i>
<b>repartee</b>	Conversation or speech characterized by quick, witty comments or replies. <i>He had a quick mind and a splendid gift of <b>repartee</b>.</i>
<b>swordplay</b>	The activity or skill of fencing with swords or foils. <i>This intellectual <b>swordplay</b> went on for several minutes.</i>

<b>wit</b>	A witty person. <i>His caustic <b>wit</b> cuts through the humbug.</i>
<b>wordplay</b>	The witty exploitation of the meanings and ambiguities of words, especially in puns. <i>So many of the jokes are based on <b>wordplay</b>.</i>

## Usage Examples of "Badinage" as a noun

- *He developed a nice line in badinage with the Labour leader.*

## Associations of "Badinage" (30 Words)

<b>amusement</b>	A feeling of delight at being entertained. <i>An evening s <b>amusement</b>.</i>
<b>amusing</b>	Causing laughter and providing entertainment. <i>An <b>amusing</b> fellow.</i>
<b>banter</b>	Light teasing repartee. <i>There was much good natured <b>banter</b>.</i>
<b>buffoonery</b>	Behaviour that is ridiculous but amusing. <i>The film is full of wordplay and <b>buffoonery</b>.</i>
<b>comedy</b>	The style or genre represented by comedy films plays and broadcast programmes. <i>The conventions of romantic <b>comedy</b> have grown more appealing with the passage of time.</i>
<b>comical</b>	Amusing, especially in a ludicrous or absurd way. <i>A <b>comical</b> look of surprise.</i>
<b>droll</b>	Comical in an odd or whimsical manner. <i>A <b>droll</b> little man with a quiet tongue in cheek kind of humor.</i>
<b>entertaining</b>	Providing amusement or enjoyment. <i>A charming and <b>entertaining</b> companion.</i>
<b>farce</b>	The dramatic genre represented by farces. <i>The choreographed confusion of real <b>farce</b>.</i>
<b>fun</b>	A source of fun. <i>People watching is great <b>fun</b>.</i>
<b>funny</b>	Causing laughter or amusement; humorous. <i>I was trying to make a <b>funny</b> but failed miserably.</i>
<b>hilarious</b>	Boisterously merry. <i>Her <b>hilarious</b> novel.</i>

<b>humor</b>	The trait of appreciating and being able to express the humorous. <i>The <b>humors</b> are blood and phlegm and yellow and black bile.</i>
<b>humorous</b>	Having or showing a sense of humour. <i><b>Humorous</b> stories.</i>
<b>humour</b>	The ability to express humour or amuse other people. <i>In reading this stanza we ought to <b>humour</b> it with a corresponding tone of voice.</i>
<b>jape</b>	A humorous anecdote or remark intended to provoke laughter. <i>The childish <b>jape</b> of depositing a stink bomb in her locker.</i>
<b>jest</b>	Speak in a joking way. <i>He laughed uproariously at his own <b>jest</b>.</i>
<b>jesting</b>	The action of saying or doing something for amusement. <i>Laughing and <b>jesting</b> were out of the question.</i>
<b>jocose</b>	Characterized by jokes and good humor. <i>A <b>jocose</b> allusion.</i>
<b>jocular</b>	With humor. <i>His voice was <b>jocular</b>.</i>
<b>joke</b>	Make jokes talk humorously or flippantly. <i>She could laugh and <b>joke</b> with her colleagues.</i>
<b>jolly</b>	To a moderately sufficient extent or degree. <i>He is <b>jolly</b> busy.</i>
<b>laugh</b>	Produce laughter. <i>Many people only <b>laughed</b> at these stories.</i>
<b>rebus</b>	A puzzle in which words are represented by combinations of pictures and individual letters; for instance, apex might be represented by a picture of an ape followed by a letter X.
<b>recreation</b>	Activity that refreshes and recreates; activity that renews your health and spirits by enjoyment and relaxation. <i>Days of joyous <b>recreation</b> with his friends.</i>
<b>repartee</b>	Conversation or speech characterized by quick, witty comments or replies. <i>He had a quick mind and a splendid gift of <b>repartee</b>.</i>
<b>slapstick</b>	Comedy based on deliberately clumsy actions and humorously embarrassing events. <i><b>Slapstick</b> humour.</i>
<b>waggish</b>	Humorous in a playful, mischievous, or facetious manner. <i>Muskrat Castle as the house has been facetiously named by some <b>waggish</b> officer.</i>

**witticism** A message whose ingenuity or verbal skill or incongruity has the power to evoke laughter.  
*Maurice roared with laughter at his own **witticisms**.*

[witty](#) Showing or characterized by quick and inventive verbal humour.  
*A **witty** remark.*