

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

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**The synonyms of “Belonging” are: affiliation, acceptance, association, attachment, connection, union, integration, closeness**

## **Belonging as a Noun**

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

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

- *An affinity for a place or situation.*
- *Happiness felt in a secure relationship.*



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

- acceptance** The act of accepting with approval; favorable reception.  
*A mood of resigned **acceptance**.*
- affiliation** A social or business relationship.  
*The group has no **affiliation** to any preservation society.*
- association** A relation resulting from interaction or dependence.  
*There s nothing new in the **association** of fasting with spirituality.*
- attachment** A connection that fastens things together.  
*The students are placed on **attachment** to schools for one day a week.*
- closeness** Characterized by a lack of openness (especially about one's actions or purposes).  
*The scoreline did not reflect the **closeness** of the contest.*
- connection** The placing of parts of an electric circuit in contact so that a current may flow.  
*The plane was late and he missed his **connection** in Atlanta.*
- integration** An operation used in the calculus whereby the integral of a function is determined.  
***Integration** is the best hope for both black and white Americans.*
- union** The operation of forming a union.  
*He was opposed to closer political or economic **union** with Europe.*



## Usage Examples of "Belonging" as a noun

- *We feel a real sense of belonging.*
- *With his classmates he felt a sense of belonging.*



## Associations of "Belonging" (30 Words)

- acquisition** A purchase of one company by another.  
*The child's **acquisition** of language.*
- actuarial** Relating to actuaries or their work of compiling and analysing statistics to calculate insurance risks and premiums.  
*An **actuarial** consulting firm.*
- asset** A useful or valuable quality.  
*The school is an **asset** to the community.*
- commodity** A raw material or primary agricultural product that can be bought and sold, such as copper or coffee.  
*Water is a precious **commodity**.*

<b><u>deliverable</u></b>	Something that can be provided as the product of development. <i>Under this contract the <b>deliverables</b> include both software and hardware.</i>
<b>estate</b>	A class or order regarded as forming part of the body politic in particular in Britain one of the three groups constituting Parliament now the Lords spiritual the heads of the Church the Lords temporal the peerage and the Commons They are also known as the three estates. <i>The unions are no longer an <b>estate</b> of the realm.</i>
<b>forfeited</b>	Surrendered as a penalty.
<b>have</b>	Have left. <i>I want to <b>have</b> everything ready in good time.</i>
<b>hemorrhage</b>	Lose blood from one's body.
<b>holder</b>	A smallholder. <i>An umbrella <b>holder</b>.</i>
<b>holding</b>	The tenure of land held by lease. <i>Commercial property <b>holdings</b>.</i>
<b>landlady</b>	A woman who keeps lodgings, a boarding house, or a pub.
<b>landlord</b>	A landowner who leases to others.
<b>lose</b>	Miss from one's possessions lose sight of. <i>She couldn't eat and began to <b>lose</b> weight.</i>
<b>loss</b>	Euphemistic expressions for death. <i><b>Loss</b> of livestock left the rancher bankrupt.</i>
<b>mislay</b>	Place (something) where one cannot find it again. <i>I seem to have <b>mislaid</b> my car keys.</i>
<b>mismanage</b>	Manage badly or incompetently. <i>The funds were <b>mismanaged</b>.</i>
<b>misplace</b>	Position incorrectly. <i>Crewe came back into the game when Strachan <b>misplaced</b> a pass in the midfield.</i>
<b>owned</b>	Having an owner; often used in combination. <i>State <b>owned</b> railways.</i>
<b>ownership</b>	The act, state, or right of possessing something. <i>The <b>ownership</b> of land.</i>
<b>payroll</b>	The department that determines the amounts of wage or salary due to each employee. <i>Small employers with a <b>payroll</b> of less than 45 000.</i>

<b>possession</b>	Visible power or control over something, as distinct from lawful ownership; holding or occupancy as distinct from ownership. <i>I had no money or <b>possessions</b>.</i>
<b>possessor</b>	A person who owns something. <i>His father was the <b>possessor</b> of a considerable fortune.</i>
<b>property</b>	Shares or investments in property. <i>Rights of <b>property</b>.</i>
<b>proprietorship</b>	An unincorporated business owned by a single person who is responsible for its liabilities and entitled to its profits. <i>The company was established in 1912 and is still under the <b>proprietorship</b> of the same family.</i>
<b>resource</b>	The ability to find clever ways to overcome difficulties resourcefulness. <i>Census records are an invaluable <b>resource</b> for the historian.</i>
<b><u>stock</u></b>	Fit a rifle or other firearm with a stock. <i><b>Stock</b> shortages.</i>
<b>thing</b>	Used to express one's disapproval of or contempt for something. <i>A <b>thing</b> of the spirit.</i>
<b><u>unpack</u></b>	Analyse (something) into its component elements. <i><b>Unpack</b> the presents.</i>
<b>wallet</b>	A bag for holding provisions, especially when travelling, typically used by pedlars and pilgrims.

