

Need another word that means the same as “brevity”? Find 16 synonyms and 30 related words for “brevity” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Brevity” are: briefness, transience, conciseness, concision, succinctness, economy of language, shortness, pithiness, pith, incisiveness, crispness, compactness, compression, transitoriness, ephemerality, impermanence**

## Brevity as a Noun

### Definitions of "Brevity" as a noun

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

- *The attribute of being brief or fleeting.*
- *Concise and exact use of words in writing or speech.*
- *The use of brief expressions.*
- *Shortness of time.*

### Synonyms of "Brevity" as a noun (16 Words)

<b>briefness</b>	A document stating the facts and points of law of a client’s case.
<b>compactness</b>	A small cosmetics case with a mirror; to be carried in a woman’s purse. <i>He is known for the brevity and <b>compactness</b> of his prose.</i>
<b>compression</b>	The action of compressing or being compressed.
<b>conciseness</b>	Terseness and economy in writing and speaking achieved by expressing a great deal in just a few words.

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<b>crispness</b>	A pleasing firmness and freshness. <i><b>Crispness</b> of fresh lettuce.</i>
<b>economy of language</b>	An act of economizing; reduction in cost.
<b>ephemerality</b>	The property of lasting for a very short time.
<b>impermanence</b>	The state or fact of lasting for only a limited period of time. <i>She describes the <b>impermanence</b> of human existence.</i>
<b>incisiveness</b>	Keeness and forcefulness of thought or expression or intellect.
<b>pith</b>	The choicest or most essential or most vital part of some idea or experience. <i>The <b>pith</b> and core of socialism.</i>
<b>pithiness</b>	Terseness and economy in writing and speaking achieved by expressing a great deal in just a few words.
<b>shortness</b>	The quality of lasting a small amount of time. <i>I apologize for the <b>shortness</b> of this letter.</i>
<b>succinctness</b>	Terseness and economy in writing and speaking achieved by expressing a great deal in just a few words.
<b>transience</b>	The attribute of being brief or fleeting. <i>The <b>transience</b> of life and happiness.</i>
<b>transitoriness</b>	An impermanence that suggests the inevitability of ending or dying.

## Usage Examples of "Brevity" as a noun

- *The staff will edit manuscripts with a view to brevity and clarity.*
- *The brevity of human life.*
- *For brevity, it is worth using these little symbols.*

## Associations of "Brevity" (30 Words)

<b>abbreviate</b>	Shorten. <i>Network is often <b>abbreviated</b> to net.</i>
<b>abbreviated</b>	Very short. <i>The <b>abbreviated</b> speech.</i>
<b>abbreviation</b>	A shortened form of a word or phrase. <i>Nursing records must be written without <b>abbreviation</b>.</i>

<b>brief</b>	Instruct a barrister by brief. <i>A pair of extremely <b>brief</b> black shorts.</i>
<b>clarity</b>	The quality of clear water. <i>When she awoke the <b>clarity</b> was back in her eyes.</i>
<b>concise</b>	Giving a lot of information clearly and in a few words; brief but comprehensive. <i>A <b>concise</b> explanation.</i>
<b>conciseness</b>	Terseness and economy in writing and speaking achieved by expressing a great deal in just a few words.
<b>ephemeral</b>	An ephemeral plant. <i>The <b>ephemeral</b> joys of childhood.</i>
<b>fleeting</b>	Lasting for a very short time. <i>A <b>fleeting</b> glance.</i>
<b>illusive</b>	Deceptive; illusory. <i>An <b>illusive</b> haven.</i>
<b>illusory</b>	Based on or having the nature of an illusion. <i>Secret activities offer presidents the alluring but often <b>illusory</b> promise that they can achieve foreign policy goals without the bothersome debate and open decision that are staples of democracy.</i>
<b>interlude</b>	Perform an interlude. <i>Short instrumental <b>interludes</b> between songs.</i>
<b>laconic</b>	Brief and to the point; effectively cut short. <i>The <b>laconic</b> reply yes.</i>
<b>layover</b>	A brief stay in the course of a journey. <i>There was only a forty eight minute <b>layover</b>.</i>
<b>mortality</b>	Death, especially on a large scale. <i>The causes of <b>mortality</b> among infants and young children.</i>
<b>overview</b>	A general summary of a subject. <i>A brief <b>overview</b> of the survey.</i>
<b>pithiness</b>	Terseness and economy in writing and speaking achieved by expressing a great deal in just a few words.
<b>pithy</b>	Concise and full of meaning- Hervey Allen. <i>Welcomed her <b>pithy</b> comments.</i>
<b>provisional</b>	A provisional stamp. <i>A <b>provisional</b> government.</i>

<b>sententious</b>	Abounding in or given to pompous or aphoristic moralizing. <i>Too often the significant episode deteriorates into <b>sententious</b> conversation.</i>
<b>short</b>	Marked by rude or peremptory shortness. <i>You go deep and you go <b>short</b>.</i>
<b>succinct</b>	Briefly giving the gist of something. <i><b>Succinct</b> comparisons.</i>
<b>succinctness</b>	Terseness and economy in writing and speaking achieved by expressing a great deal in just a few words.
<b>temporary</b>	A person employed on a temporary basis typically an office worker who finds employment through an agency. <i>A <b>temporary</b> job.</i>
<b>terse</b>	Brief and to the point; effectively cut short. <i>Short and <b>terse</b> and easy to understand.</i>
<b>transience</b>	The state or fact of lasting only for a short time; transitoriness. <i>The <b>transience</b> of life and happiness.</i>
<b>transient</b>	Lasting a very short time. <i><b>Transient</b> laborers.</i>
<b>transitional</b>	Relating to or characteristic of a process or period of transition. <i>A <b>transitional</b> government was appointed.</i>
<b>transitory</b>	Lasting a very short time. <i><b>Transitory</b> periods of medieval greatness.</i>
<b>truncate</b>	Shorten by cutting off the top or end. <i>A <b>truncated</b> pyramid.</i>