

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

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**The synonyms of “Bullet” are: slug, bullet train, fastball, heater, hummer, smoke, ball, shot**

## Bullet as a Noun

### Definitions of "Bullet" as a noun

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

- *Dismissal from employment.*
- *A pitch thrown with maximum velocity.*
- *A high-speed passenger train.*
- *(baseball) a pitch thrown with maximum velocity.*
- *Used in similes to refer to someone or something that moves very fast.*
- *A small symbol used to introduce each item in a list, for emphasis.*
- *A stick of lipstick (considered separately from the tube in which it is encased).*
- *A projectile that is fired from a gun.*
- *A metal projectile for firing from a rifle, revolver, or other small firearm, typically cylindrical and pointed, and sometimes containing an explosive.*
- *(in sporting contexts) a very fast ball.*



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

- ball** A game played with a ball.  
*A **ball** of wool.*
- bullet train** A high-speed passenger train.
- fastball** (baseball) a pitch thrown with maximum velocity.  
*He swung late on the **fastball**.*
- heater** A fastball.  
*He drove the next pitch another **heater** over the left field fence.*
- hummer** A singer who produces a tune without opening the lips or forming words.
- shot** A heavy ball thrown by a shot putter.  
*A moon **shot**.*

- slug** A missile for an airgun.  
*The reactor uses embedded **slugs** of uranium.*
- smoke** Tobacco leaves that have been made into a cylinder.  
*Bonfire **smoke**.*



### Usage Examples of "Bullet" as a noun

- *All afternoon, he threw bullets at the other team's batters.*
- *Your record's bad, but it's doubtful they'll give you the bullet.*
- *The ball sped across the grass like a bullet.*
- *You can apply your lipstick straight from the bullet but I like to use a brush.*



## Associations of "Bullet" (30 Words)

**ammunition** Considerations that can be used to support one's case in debate.  
*An **ammunition** dump.*

**arrow** A projectile with a straight thin shaft and an arrowhead on one end and stabilizing vanes on the other intended to be shot from a bow.  
*I ve never used a bow and **arrow**.*

**ballistic** Relating to projectiles or their flight.

**breech** Dress a boy in breeches after he had been in petticoats since birth.  
*The 47 round ammunition drum fits over the **breech**.*

**caliber** A degree or grade of excellence or worth.  
*An executive of low **caliber**.*

**cannon** Fire a cannon.  
*They would cross at the Town ford under cover of the defending **cannon**.*

<b>cartridge</b>	A light-tight supply chamber holding the film and supplying it for exposure as required. <i>He loaded a <b>cartridge</b> of fresh tape into the tape deck.</i>
<b>firearm</b>	A rifle, pistol, or other portable gun. <i>He wore his <b>firearm</b> in a shoulder holster.</i>
<b>firing</b>	The act of firing weapons or artillery at an enemy. <i>The deliberate <b>firing</b> of 600 oil wells.</i>
<b>foam</b>	Become bubbly or frothy or foaming. <i>The beer had a thick head of <b>foam</b>.</i>
<b>fusillade</b>	Fire a fusillade at a place or person. <i>Our <b>fusillade</b> from the left flank caught them by surprise.</i>
<b>grenade</b>	A small bomb thrown by hand or launched mechanically.
<b>gun</b>	Shoot with a gun. <i>A grease <b>gun</b>.</i>
<b>gunshot</b>	The range of a gun. <i>We bore down and came nearly within <b>gunshot</b>.</i>
<b>holster</b>	Put a gun into its holster. <i>He <b>holstered</b> the Browning before walking back.</i>
<b>misfire</b>	(of a gun or missile) fail to discharge or fire properly. <i>As these nerves <b>misfire</b> and die the muscles begin to shrink.</i>
<b>missile</b>	A rocket carrying a warhead of conventional or nuclear explosives; may be ballistic or directed by remote control. <i>The USAF approach uses small <b>missiles</b> fired from conventional fighter aircraft.</i>
<b>musket</b>	An infantryman's light gun with a long barrel, typically smooth-bored and fired from the shoulder. <i>A volley of <b>musket</b> fire.</i>
<b>muzzle</b>	Fit with a muzzle. <i>The law says that pit bull terriers have to wear a <b>muzzle</b>.</i>
<b>pistol</b>	Shoot someone with a pistol. <i>When we first met he was a <b>pistol</b> full of ideals and a natural leader.</i>
<b>projectile</b>	Denoting or relating to a projectile. <i>The guns were deployed to flail the village with their one ton <b>projectiles</b>.</i>
<b>revolver</b>	A pistol with revolving chambers enabling several shots to be fired without reloading.
<b>rifle</b>	Troops armed with rifles. <i>A hunting <b>rifle</b>.</i>



- salvo** An outburst resembling the discharge of firearms or the release of bombs.  
*There was a **salvo** of approval.*
- shoot** A shooting match.  
*A ball pitching on that spot would sometimes **shoot**.*
- shooting** The sport or pastime of shooting with a gun.  
*His **shooting** was slow but accurate.*
- shot** A heavy ball thrown by a shot putter.  
*His partner pulled off a winning backhand **shot**.*
- shotgun** Shoot at or kill with a shotgun.  
*Many companies use the **shotgun** approach aiming advertising at the widest possible audience.*
- trajectory** The path followed by an object moving through space.  
*The rapid upward **trajectory** of Rich's career.*
- whizz** Move or go quickly.  
*A computer **whizz**.*

