

Need another word that means the same as “cinema”? Find 9 synonyms and 30 related words for “cinema” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Cinema” are: movie house, movie theater, movie theatre, picture palace, celluloid, film, the pictures, films, pictures

Cinema as a Noun

Definitions of "Cinema" as a noun

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

- *A theater where films are shown.*
- *A medium that disseminates moving pictures.*
- *The production of films as an art or industry.*
- *A theatre where films are shown for public entertainment.*



Synonyms of "Cinema" as a noun (9 Words)

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| celluloid | The cinema as a genre. <i>Having made the leap from theatre to celluloid she can now make more money.</i> |
| film | A story or event recorded by a camera as a set of moving images and shown in a cinema or on television. <i>Clear plastic film between the layers of glass.</i> |
| films | A thin coating or layer. <i>The film was shot on location.</i> |
| movie house | A form of entertainment that enacts a story by sound and a sequence of images giving the illusion of continuous movement. |
| movie theater | A form of entertainment that enacts a story by sound and a sequence of images giving the illusion of continuous movement. |
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| picture palace | Illustrations used to decorate or explain a text. |
| pictures | A situation treated as an observable object. <i>They showed us the pictures of their wedding.</i> |
| the pictures | A visual representation (of an object or scene or person or abstraction) produced on a surface. |



Usage Examples of "Cinema" as a noun

- *This story would be good cinema.*
- *I was weaned on a diet of Hollywood fantasy at my local cinema.*
- *I never go to the cinema.*
- *One of the giants of British cinema.*



Associations of "Cinema" (30 Words)

- anteroom** An antechamber, typically serving as a waiting room.
- blockbuster** An unusually successful hit with widespread popularity and huge sales (especially a movie or play or recording or novel).
*A **blockbuster** film.*
- cinematic** Of or pertaining to or characteristic of the cinema.
*The **cinematic** feel of their video.*
- comedian** An actor in a comedy.
*He s a real **comedian** this fellow.*
- debut** Make one s debut.
*The band **debuts** a new song or two each month.*

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| dramaturgy | The theory and practice of dramatic composition. <i>Studies of Shakespeare s dramaturgy.</i> |
| enlarger | An apparatus for enlarging or reducing negatives or positives. |
| film | Be well or badly suited to portrayal in a film. <i>The table was covered with a film of dust.</i> |
| flick | Remove with a flick of the hand. <i>He flicked his Bic.</i> |
| impresario | The manager of a musical, theatrical, or operatic company. |
| minstrel | Celebrate by singing in the style of minstrels. <i>The exaggerated dialect of blackface minstrels.</i> |
| movie | A form of entertainment that enacts a story by sound and a sequence of images giving the illusion of continuous movement. <i>They went to a movie every Saturday night.</i> |
| nickelodeon | A cinema with an admission fee of one nickel. |
| performer | An entertainer who performs a dramatic or musical work for an audience. <i>A circus performer.</i> |
| playwright | A person who writes plays. |
| premiere | Be performed for the first time. <i>The world premiere of his new play.</i> |
| preview | Display (a product, film, etc.) before it is made generally available. <i>The teacher should preview teaching aids to ensure that they are at the right level.</i> |
| projector | A device that is used to project rays of light, especially an apparatus with a system of lenses for projecting slides or film on to a screen. <i>He was a tobacco grower and projector.</i> |
| proscenium | The part of a theatre stage in front of the curtain. |
| puppet | A small figure of a person operated from above with strings by a puppeteer. <i>A puppet show.</i> |
| screen | Separate something from something else with or as if with a screen. <i>A branch whipped across the screen and tore off one of the wipers.</i> |
| screening | Testing objects or persons in order to identify those with particular characteristics. <i>Filmgoers were shut out in droves from the film s many screenings in Cannes.</i> |
| snap | Close with a snapping motion. <i>McIllvanney snapped at her.</i> |

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| stunt | Perform a stunt or stunts. <i>Some weeds produce chemicals that stunt the plant s growth.</i> |
| <u>theater</u> | A building where theatrical performances or motion-picture shows can be presented. <i>He served in the Vietnam theater for three years.</i> |
| <u>trilogy</u> | A group of three related things. <i>A trilogy of cases reflected this development.</i> |
| troupe | A group of dancers, actors, or other entertainers who tour to different venues. <i>A troupe of singers.</i> |
| <u>usher</u> | An assistant teacher. <i>A waiter ushered me to a table.</i> |
| vaudeville | A type of entertainment popular chiefly in the US in the early 20th century, featuring a mixture of speciality acts such as burlesque comedy and song and dance. <i>His comedic roots are in vaudeville.</i> |
| video | Computer science the appearance of text and graphics on a video display. <i>He videoed our wedding.</i> |

