

Need another word that means the same as "comedy"? Find 10 synonyms and 30 related words for "comedy" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Comedy" are: clowning, drollery, funniness, light entertainment, humour, fun, funny side, absurdity, absurdness, farce

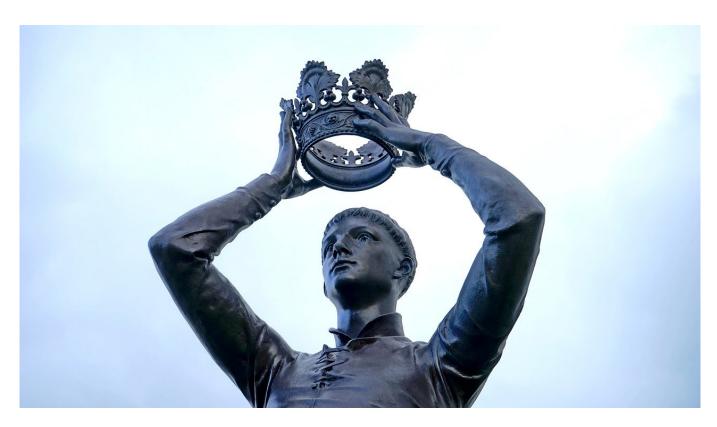
Comedy as a Noun

Definitions of "Comedy" as a noun

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "comedy" as a noun can have the following definitions:

- The humorous or amusing aspects of something.
- A play characterized by its humorous or satirical tone and its depiction of amusing people or incidents, in which the characters ultimately triumph over adversity.
- The dramatic genre represented by comedies.
- A film, play, or broadcast programme intended to make an audience laugh.
- Light and humorous drama with a happy ending.
- A comic incident or series of incidents.
- Professional entertainment consisting of jokes and sketches, intended to make an audience laugh.
- The style or genre represented by comedy films, plays, and broadcast programmes.





Synonyms of "Comedy" as a noun (10 Words)

A ludicrous folly.

absurdityDuncan laughed at the **absurdity** of the situation. **absurdness**A message whose content is at variance with reason.

clowning A person who amuses others by ridiculous behavior.

drollery A comic incident or series of incidents.

The dramatic genre represented by farces.

The debate turned into a drunken farce.

fun A source of fun.

People watching is great **fun**.

funniness A comic incident or series of incidents.

funny side An account of an amusing incident (usually with a punch line.

humour The ability to express humour or amuse other people.

Their inimitable brand of **humour**.

light entertainment A divine presence believed by Quakers to enlighten and guide the soul.





Usage Examples of "Comedy" as a noun

- The conventions of romantic comedy have grown more appealing with the passage of time.
- Advertising people see the comedy in their work.
- Satiric comedy.
- $\bullet \ Shake speare's \ comedies.$
- $\bullet \ \textit{The show combines theatre with the best of stand-up comedy}.$
- A comedy film.
- A cabaret with music, dancing, and comedy.





Associations of "Comedy" (30 Words)

The state or experience of finding something funny.

On the promenade the **amusement**s were still open.

banter Be silly or tease one another.

The men **banter**ed with the waitresses.

buffoonery Acting like a clown or buffoon.

The film is full of wordplay and **buffoonery**.

burlesqueRelating to or characteristic of a burlesque.

The group and descends into music hell burst

The argument descends into music hall **burlesque**.

comical Amusing, especially in a ludicrous or absurd way.

A comical look of surprise.



droll A jester or entertainer; a buffoon.

A **droll** little man with a quiet tongue in cheek kind of humor.

exhilaration A feeling of excitement, happiness, or elation.

They felt the **exhilaration** of victory.

The dramatic genre represented by farces.

The choreographed confusion of real **farce**.

fun A source of fun.

No need to get sore I was only **fun**ning.

funny Difficult to explain or understand; strange or odd.

Suddenly my stomach felt **funny**.

humor The trait of appreciating and being able to express the humorous.

She didn t appreciate my humor.

Having or showing a sense of humour.

humorous Humorous cartoons.

humour The ability to express humour or amuse other people.

The clash hadn t improved his **humour**.

iesting Characterized by jokes and good humor.

A **jesting** commentary on world affairs.

jocose Playful or humorous. A jocose allusion.

Tell a joke speak humorously.

Public transport is a **joke**.

A speech or text lampooning someone or something.

lampoon The magazine fired at God Royalty and politicians using cartoons and

lampoons.

laugh A facial expression characteristic of a person laughing.

If next year s model is as successful Ford will be **laugh**ing.

Teasing and contemptuous language or behaviour directed at a particular

mockery person or thing.

In her bitterness she felt that all rejoicing was mockery.

Make a parody of.

His provocative use of **parody**.

repartee Conversation or speech characterized by quick, witty comments or replies.

Quick fire repartee.

sarcastic Marked by or given to using irony in order to mock or convey contempt.

I think they re being **sarcastic**.



satiric Exposing human folly to ridicule.

A persistent campaign of mockery by the **satiric**al fortnightly magazine.

satirical Exposing human folly to ridicule.

A persistent campaign of mockery by the **satirical** fortnightly magazine.

satirize Deride and criticize by means of satire.

The writer **satirize**d the politician s proposal.

skit A short informal performance intended to educate or inform.

A **skit** on daytime magazine programmes.

Acoustic device consisting of two paddles hinged together; used by an actor

slapstick to make a loud noise without inflicting injury when striking someone.

Slapstick humour.

spoof
Interfere with (radio or radar signals) so as to make them useless.

A Robin Hood **spoof**.

wit A witty amusing person who makes jokes.

He needed all his **wit**s to figure out the way back.

