

Need another word that means the same as "cramped"? Find 13 synonyms and 30 related words for "cramped" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Cramped" are: restricted, confined, constricted, small, crabbed, pinched, close, shaky, scribbled, laboured, illegible, unreadable, indecipherable

Cramped as an Adjective

Definitions of "Cramped" as an adjective

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "cramped" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- Suffering from cramp.
- Constricted in size.
- Uncomfortably small or restricted.
- (of handwriting) small and difficult to read.
- *Inhibiting the development of someone or something.*





Synonyms of "Cramped" as an adjective (13 Words)

close Narrowly enclosed.

Paid **close** attention.

confined Not free to move about.

Her fear of **confined** spaces.

constricted Drawn together or squeezed physically or by extension psychologically.

People seek an environment where they don t feel ${\it constricted}$.

crabbed (of style) contorted and difficult to understand.

Crabbed legal language.

illegible Not clear enough to be read.

Illegible handwriting.



 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Indecipherable} & \textbf{Not easily deciphered.} \\ \textbf{Indecipherable} & scrawls. \\ \end{tabular}$

Lacking natural ease. laboured

One of Alan s laboured jokes.

Sounding as if the nose were pinched. pinched

Small **pinched** faces.

Restricted in meaning as e g man in a tall man. restricted

The mechanism of **restricted** virus replication.

Written or drawn carelessly or hurriedly. scribbled

Pages of scribbled notes.

Not secure; beset with difficulties. **shaky**

Seemed shaky on her feet.

Have fine or very small constituent particles. small

A rather **small** amount of money.

Too dull or difficult to be worth reading. unreadable

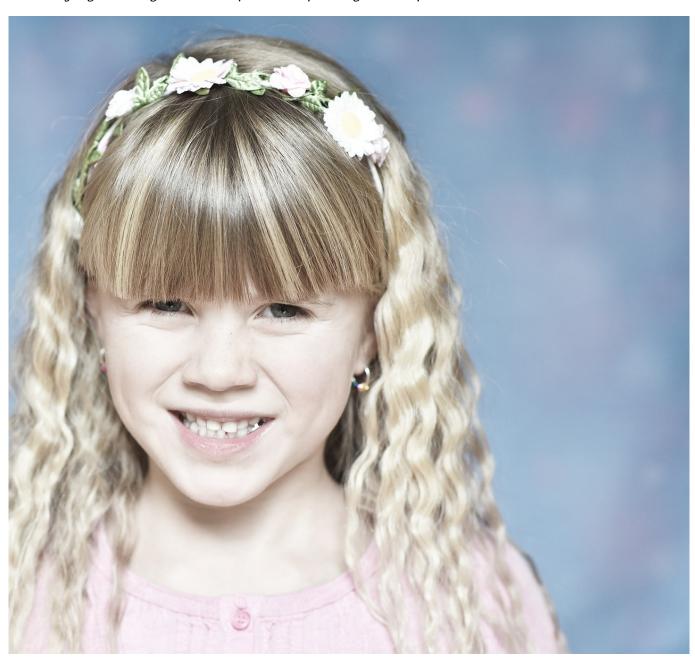
Unreadable handwriting.





Usage Examples of "Cramped" as an adjective

- Staff had to work in cramped conditions.
- There is no way a computer will be able to decipher my cramped handwriting.
- Cramped quarters.
- Rest your cramped arms for a moment.
- He felt cramped in a large organization.
- Trying to bring children up in cramped high-rise apartments.





Associations of "Cramped" (30 Words)

adequacy

The quality of being able to meet a need satisfactorily.

The **adequacy** of testing procedures.

confined Not invading healthy tissue.

Her fear of **confined** spaces.

deficient Having mental disabilities.

Deficient in common sense.

inadequacyLack of an adequate quantity or number.
The **inadequacy** of available resources.

inadequate

Of insufficient quantity to meet a need.

These labels prove to be wholly inadequate.

These labels prove to be wholly **inadequate**.

The state of being crude and incomplete and imperfect.

incompleteness The study was criticized for **incompleteness** of data but it stimulated

further research.

of low or inferior quality.

Inferior alveolar artery.

Of a quantity not able to fulfill a need or requirement.

There was **insufficient** evidence to convict him.

Inadequate in amount or degree.

The students are not **lacking** in intellectual ability.

Not unlimited.

limited A limited list of choices.

Deficient in amount or quality or extent.

meager

Meager resources.

To a meager degree or in a meager manner.

meagerly
These voices are meagerly represented at the conference.

Contemptibly small in amount.

Three **measly** votes.

minus Having a negative electric charge.

Minus 5 degrees.

measly

paucity

(of a person) not yet traced or confirmed as alive, but not known to be

missing dead, after an accident or during wartime.

A quantity of cash has gone **missing**.

An insufficient quantity or number.

A **paucity** of information.



A pious bequest to a religious house or order to provide extra food and

wine at particular festivals, or on the anniversary of the benefactor's

pittance death.

He paid his workers a **pittance**.

rareness Noteworthy scarcity.

Noteworthy scarcity.

To take the morning off was a rarity.

scant Barely sufficient or adequate.

The press regularly **scant**s a host of issues relating to safety and health.

(of clothing) revealing the body.

scanty They paid whatever they could out of their **scanty** wages to their

families.

Scarcely.

The freshwater shrimp becomes **scarce** in soft water.

short Create a short circuit in.

A **short** holiday.

Scanty; in short supply.

Trees were **sparse**.

subsist Support oneself.

The peace **subsist**ed between 1303 and 1324.

substandard Falling short of some prescribed norm.

Substandard spellings.

undermanned Inadequate in number of workers or assistants etc.

undersized Smaller than normal for its kind.

The **undersized** cubs may not survive the winter.

unsatisfactory Not giving satisfaction.

Her performance proved to be **unsatisfactory**.

Inadequate in amount or degree.

wanting

The English batting technique has been found wanting.



