

Need another word that means the same as “crony”? Find 14 synonyms and 30 related words for “crony” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Crony” are: brother, buddy, chum, pal, sidekick, friend, best friend, companion, boon companion, intimate, familiar, confidant, confidante, second self

Crony as a Noun

Definitions of "Crony" as a noun

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

- *A close friend or companion.*
- *A close friend who accompanies his buddies in their activities.*

Synonyms of "Crony" as a noun (14 Words)

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| best friend | The person who is most outstanding or excellent; someone who tops all others. |
| boon companion | A desirable state. |
| brother | A man or boy in relation to other sons and daughters of his parents. <i>The time is coming brothers for us to act.</i> |
| buddy | A close friend who accompanies his buddies in their activities. <i>I m working on it buddy.</i> |
| chum | Used as a friendly or familiar form of address between men or boys. <i>An old school chum.</i> |

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| <u>companion</u> | A person, usually a woman, employed to live with and assist another. <i>A small companion galaxy.</i> |
| <u>confidant</u> | A person with whom one shares a secret or private matter, trusting them not to repeat it to others. <i>A close confidante of the princess.</i> |
| confidante | A female confidant. |
| <u>familiar</u> | A spirit (usually in animal form) that acts as an assistant to a witch or wizard. <i>Her familiars were her two little griffons that nested in her skirts.</i> |
| friend | One's close relatives. <i>All of a sudden you ve got 50 friends online who need to stay connected.</i> |
| intimate | Someone to whom private matters are confided. <i>His circle of intimates.</i> |
| <u>pal</u> | A close friend who accompanies his buddies in their activities. <i>We ve been pals for a long time.</i> |
| second self | 1/60 of a minute; the basic unit of time adopted under the Systeme International d'Unites. |
| <u>sidekick</u> | A close friend who accompanies his buddies in their activities. <i>Sherlock Holmes bumbling sidekick Watson.</i> |

Usage Examples of "Crony" as a noun

- *He went gambling with his cronies.*

Associations of "Crony" (30 Words)

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| <u>acquaintance</u> | Acquaintances considered collectively. <i>The pupils had little acquaintance with the language.</i> |
| <u>affinity</u> | The force attracting atoms to each other and binding them together in a molecule. <i>The mysterious affinity between them.</i> |
| amicability | A disinclination to quarrel. |
| <u>aunt</u> | The sister of your father or mother; the wife of your uncle. <i>She was brought up by her aunt and uncle.</i> |
| <u>brother</u> | A thing which resembles or is connected to another thing. <i>There I was with one white boy and this other brother.</i> |

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| buddy | Become friendly and spend time with someone. <i>I m working on it buddy.</i> |
| colleague | A person who is member of one's class or profession. <i>The surgeon consulted his colleagues.</i> |
| companion | Be a companion to somebody. <i>A traveller s companion.</i> |
| companionship | The state of being with someone. <i>The love and companionship of marriage.</i> |
| comrade | A fellow member of the Communist Party. <i>You re right comrade.</i> |
| couple | Bring two objects, ideas, or people together. <i>Clean the stains with a couple squirts dishwashing liquid.</i> |
| cousin | A person in one's wider extended family, to whom one is not closely related. <i>She s a distant cousin.</i> |
| elder | A leader or senior figure in a tribe or other group. <i>The elder of the two sons.</i> |
| familial | Relating to or having the characteristics of a family. <i>Certain diseases are familial.</i> |
| fellow | A boy or man. <i>He was learning with a rapidity unique among his fellows.</i> |
| folk | Folk music. <i>A folk club.</i> |
| fraternal | (of twins) developed from separate ova and therefore genetically distinct and not necessarily of the same sex or more similar than other siblings. <i>Fraternal twins are biovular.</i> |
| friend | Add someone to a list of friends or contacts on a social networking website. <i>He was my best friend at the university.</i> |
| kinship | Blood relationship. <i>Felt a deep kinship with the other students.</i> |
| mate | South American tea like drink made from leaves of a South American holly called mate. <i>A male is mated to several females.</i> |
| neighbour | A person who lives (or is located) near another. <i>Our garden was the envy of the neighbours.</i> |

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| pal | Spend time with a friend. <i>Back off pal.</i> |
| partner | A person's partner in marriage. <i>A partner in a prosperous legal practice.</i> |
| peer | A nobleman, duke, or marquis, or earl, or viscount, or baron who is a member of the British peerage. <i>Faye peered at her with suspicion.</i> |
| playground | An area where many people go for recreation. <i>Playground games.</i> |
| sibling | A person's brother or sister. |
| sister | A fellow woman seen in relation to feminist issues. <i>A sister ship.</i> |
| sisterhood | An association, society, or community of women linked by a common interest, religion, or trade. <i>Canadian feminists acknowledge their sisterhood with women around the globe.</i> |
| twin | A twin bedded room. <i>Experiments were carried out using sets of identical twins.</i> |
| uncle | The brother of your father or mother; the husband of your aunt. <i>He played uncle to lonely students.</i> |