

Need another word that means the same as “dances”? Find 5 synonyms and 30 related words for “dances” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Dances” are: trip the light fantastic, trip the light fantastic toe, dancing, saltation, terpsichore**

## **Dances as a Noun**

### **Definitions of "Dances" as a noun**

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

- *An artistic form of nonverbal communication.*
- *A party for social dancing.*
- *A party of people assembled for dancing.*
- *Taking a series of rhythmical steps (and movements) in time to music.*



## Synonyms of "Dances" as a noun (3 Words)

- dancing** The activity of dancing for pleasure or in order to entertain others.  
*A **dancing** class.*
- saltation** An abrupt transition.  
*A new concept of evolution by **saltations** or sudden transitions.*
- terpsichore** (Greek mythology) the Muse of the dance and of choral song.



## Dances as a Verb

### Definitions of "Dances" as a verb

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), "dances" as a verb can have the following definitions:

- *Move in a graceful and rhythmical way.*
- *Move in a pattern; usually to musical accompaniment; do or perform a dance.*
- *Skip, leap, or move up and down or sideways.*



## Synonyms of "Dances" as a verb (2 Words)

**trip the light fantastic** Get high, stoned, or drugged.

**trip the light fantastic toe** Miss a step and fall or nearly fall.



## Usage Examples of "Dances" as a verb

- *My husband and I like to dance at home to the radio.*
- *The young girl danced into the room.*
- *The children danced with joy.*



## Associations of "Dances" (30 Words)

<b>acrobat</b>	An entertainer who performs spectacular gymnastic feats.
<b>artist</b>	A person whose creative work shows sensitivity and imagination. <i>Rip off <b>artists</b>.</i>
<b>ballet</b>	Music written for a ballet. <i>The Bolshoi <b>Ballet</b>.</i>
<b>ballroom</b>	Ballroom dancing. <i>The number of people learning <b>ballroom</b> has doubled in the last two years.</i>
<b>bolero</b>	Music written in the rhythm of the bolero dance.
<b>choreograph</b>	Plan and oversee the development and details of. <i>Balanchine <b>choreographed</b> many pieces to Stravinsky's music.</i>
<b>choreography</b>	The written notation for such a sequence. <i>The rumbustious <b>choreography</b> reflects the themes of the original play.</i>
<b>classical</b>	(of art or architecture) influenced by ancient Greek or Roman forms or principles. <i>A <b>classical</b> ballet.</i>
<b>dancer</b>	A performer who dances professionally. <i>She thought he would become a ballet <b>dancer</b>.</i>
<b>dancing</b>	The activity of dancing for pleasure or in order to entertain others. <i>A <b>dancing</b> class.</i>
<b>disco</b>	Dance to disco music. <i>No one knows how to waltz so I've ordered a <b>disco</b>.</i>
<b>diva</b>	A distinguished female operatic singer; a female operatic star. <i>A pop <b>diva</b>.</i>
<b>eurhythmics</b>	A system of rhythmical physical movements to music used to teach musical understanding (especially in Steiner schools) or for therapeutic purposes, evolved by Émile Jaques-Dalcroze.
<b>festival</b>	A day or period of time set aside for feasting and celebration. <i>Traditional Jewish <b>festivals</b>.</i>
<b>genre</b>	A style of expressing yourself in writing. <i>The science fiction <b>genre</b>.</i>
<b>hop</b>	A hopping movement. <i>The society's regular fortnightly <b>hop</b>.</i>
<b>kachina</b>	A small carved figure representing a kachina.
<b>mazurka</b>	Music composed for dancing the mazurka.



<b>medley</b>	Make a medley of intermix. A <b>medley</b> of Beatles songs.
<b>music</b>	The sounds produced by singers or musical instruments or reproductions of such sounds. <i>He fell asleep to the <b>music</b> of the wind chimes.</i>
<b>opera</b>	A building for the performance of opera. <i>You will enjoy a visit to the <b>opera</b>.</i>
<b>performance</b>	A display of exaggerated behaviour or a process involving a great deal of unnecessary time and effort; a fuss. <i>Pay increases are now being linked more closely to <b>performance</b>.</i>
<b>pianist</b>	A person who plays the piano.
<b>polka</b>	Music performed for dancing the polka. <i>They finished off by dancing the <b>polka</b>.</i>
<b>pop</b>	Like a pop or with a pop. <i>His eyes <b>popped</b>.</i>
<b>quadrille</b>	Music for dancing the quadrille. <i>A 32 horse <b>quadrille</b>.</i>
<b>repertoire</b>	The whole body of items which are regularly performed. <i>The mainstream concert <b>repertoire</b>.</i>
<b>rhythm</b>	A person's natural feeling for musical rhythm. <i>The <b>rhythm</b> pattern and cadence of words.</i>
<b>song</b>	A musical composition suggestive of a song. <i>A bird will not learn its <b>song</b> unless it hears it at an early age.</i>
<b>techno</b>	A style of fast heavy electronic dance music usually without vocals.

