

Need another word that means the same as “devise”? Find 45 synonyms and 30 related words for “devise” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Devise” are: contrive, excogitate, forge, formulate, invent, get up, machinate, organise, organize, prepare, conceive, think up, come up with, dream up, draw up, work out, form, concoct, design, frame, coin, originate, compose, construct, fabricate, create, produce, put together, make up, develop, evolve, leave, leave in one's will, will, make over, pass on, hand on, hand down, cede, consign, commit, entrust, grant, transfer, convey**

## Devise as a Verb

### Definitions of "Devise" as a verb

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

- *Leave (something, especially real estate) to someone by the terms of a will.*
- *Give by will, especially real property.*
- *Plan or invent (a complex procedure, system, or mechanism) by careful thought.*
- *Arrange by systematic planning and united effort.*
- *Come up with (an idea, plan, explanation, theory, or principle) after a mental effort.*



## Synonyms of "Devise" as a verb (45 Words)

<b>cede</b>	Give up (power or territory). <i>In 1874 the islands were <b>ceded</b> to Britain.</i>
<b><u>coin</u></b>	Make coins by stamping metal. <i>The company was <b>coining</b> it in at the rate of 90 a second.</i>
<b>come up with</b>	Come to one's mind; suggest itself.
<b><u>commit</u></b>	Refer a parliamentary or legislative bill to a committee. <i>You guys would have had me <b>committed</b>.</i>
<b><u>compose</u></b>	Form the substance of. <i>She tried to <b>compose</b> herself.</i>
<b><u>conceive</u></b>	Become pregnant; undergo conception. <i>Without society an individual cannot be <b>conceived</b> as having rights.</i>
<b><u>concoct</u></b>	Make a concoction of by mixing. <i>She began to <b>concoct</b> a dinner likely to appeal to him.</i>

<b>consign</b>	Deliver (something) to a person's keeping. <i>He <b>consigned</b> three paintings to Sotheby's.</i>
<b>construct</b>	Draw with suitable instruments and under specified conditions. <i>A company that <b>constructs</b> oil rigs.</i>
<b>contrive</b>	Put or send forth. <i>They <b>contrived</b> to murder their boss.</i>
<b>convey</b>	Transport or carry to a place. <i>Mr Harvey and his daughter have asked me to <b>convey</b> their very kind regards.</i>
<b>create</b>	Create or manufacture a man made product. <i>He was <b>created</b> a baronet.</i>
<b>design</b>	Create designs. <i>Dupont <b>designs</b> for the house of Chanel.</i>
<b>develop</b>	Cause to grow and differentiate in ways conforming to its natural development. <i>Enabling individuals to <b>develop</b> their personal skills.</i>
<b>draw up</b>	Contract.
<b>dream up</b>	Have a daydream; indulge in a fantasy.
<b>entrust</b>	Put into the care or protection of someone. <i>The messenger was <b>entrusted</b> with the general's secret.</i>
<b>evolve</b>	(with reference to an organism or biological feature) develop over successive generations as a result of natural selection. <i>Each school must <b>evolve</b> its own way of working.</i>
<b>excogitate</b>	Come up with (an idea, plan, explanation, theory, or principle) after a mental effort. <i>All the rubrics forms and functions remained to be <b>excogitated</b>.</i>
<b>fabricate</b>	Invent (something) in order to deceive. <i>You will have to <b>fabricate</b> an exhaust system.</i>
<b>forge</b>	Make a copy of with the intent to deceive. <i>He <b>forged</b> a great suit of black armour.</i>
<b>form</b>	Make or be made into a specific shape or form. <i><b>Form</b> the dough into balls.</i>
<b>formulate</b>	Create or prepare methodically. <i>Use special effects paints that are <b>formulated</b> for the task.</i>
<b>frame</b>	Enclose in a frame as of a picture. <i>He had had the photo <b>framed</b>.</i>
<b>get up</b>	Evoke an emotional response.

<b>grant</b>	Give as judged due or on the basis of merit. <i>They will <b>grant</b> you asylum.</i>
<b>hand down</b>	Guide or conduct or usher somewhere.
<b>hand on</b>	Guide or conduct or usher somewhere.
<b><u>invent</u></b>	Concoct something artificial or untrue. <i>I did not have to <b>invent</b> any tales about my past.</i>
<b>leave</b>	Leave behind unintentionally. <i>The ship <b>leaves</b> at midnight.</i>
<b>leave in one's will</b>	Go and leave behind, either intentionally or by neglect or forgetfulness.
<b>machinate</b>	Engage in plots; scheme. <i><b>Machinate</b> a plot.</i>
<b>make over</b>	Perform or carry out.
<b>make up</b>	Proceed along a path.
<b>organise</b>	Cause to be structured or ordered or operating according to some principle or idea.
<b><u>organize</u></b>	Arrange or form into a living being or tissue. <i><b>Organize</b> lessons in a planned way.</i>
<b><u>originate</u></b>	Come into existence; take on form or shape. <i>A new religious movement <b>originated</b> in that country.</i>
<b>pass on</b>	Be superior or better than some standard.
<b><u>prepare</u></b>	To prepare verbally either for written or spoken delivery. <i>Schools should <b>prepare</b> children for life.</i>
<b>produce</b>	Come to have or undergo a change of (physical features and attributes). <i>These chemicals <b>produce</b> a noxious vapor.</i>
<b>put together</b>	Estimate.
<b>think up</b>	Focus one's attention on a certain state.
<b>transfer</b>	Transfer somebody to a different position or location of work. <i>She <b>transferred</b> to the Physics Department.</i>
<b><u>will</u></b>	Leave or give by will after one's death. <i>This action was <b>willed</b> and intended.</i>
<b>work out</b>	Provoke or excite.

## Usage Examples of "Devise" as a verb

- *Devise a plan to take over the director's office.*
- *A training programme should be devised.*

- A complicated game of his own devising.

## Associations of "Devise" (30 Words)

<b>abstraction</b>	A general concept formed by extracting common features from specific examples. <i>The question cannot be considered in <b>abstraction</b> from the historical context in which it was raised.</i>
<b>artfully</b>	In a disingenuous manner. <i>A dish of <b>artfully</b> arranged fruit.</i>
<b>artwork</b>	Photographs or other visual representations in a printed publication. <i>A collection of <b>artwork</b> from tribal cultures.</i>
<b>begin</b>	Have a beginning of a temporal event. <i><b>Begin</b> a new chapter in your life.</i>
<b>build</b>	Be engaged in building. <i><b>Build</b> a defense on nothing but the accused person's reputation.</i>
<b>concept</b>	An idea or mental image which corresponds to some distinct entity or class of entities, or to its essential features, or determines the application of a term (especially a predicate), and thus plays a part in the use of reason or language. <i>A <b>concept</b> car for next month's Geneva motor show.</i>
<b>conception</b>	The way in which something is perceived or regarded. <i>An unfertilized egg before <b>conception</b>.</i>
<b>contrive</b>	Manage to do something foolish or create an undesirable situation. <i>They <b>contrived</b> to murder their boss.</i>
<b>create</b>	Create or manufacture a man-made product. <i>The company was <b>created</b> 25 years ago.</i>
<b>creation</b>	The action or process of bringing something into existence. <i>From its <b>creation</b> the plan was doomed to failure.</i>
<b>creativity</b>	The use of imagination or original ideas to create something; inventiveness. <i>Firms are keen to encourage <b>creativity</b>.</i>
<b>design</b>	Make a design of plan out in systematic often graphic form. <i>The <b>design</b> of a building.</i>
<b>establish</b>	Build or establish something abstract. <i>The right plan would be to <b>establish</b> dummy diamonds.</i>
<b>fabricate</b>	Concoct something artificial or untrue. <i>The company <b>fabricates</b> plastic chairs.</i>

<b><u>forge</u></b>	Come up with (an idea, plan, explanation, theory, or principle) after a mental effort. <i>The two women <b>forged</b> a close bond.</i>
<b><u>formulate</u></b>	Put into words or an expression. <i>The argument is sufficiently clear that it can be <b>formulated</b> mathematically.</i>
<b>found</b>	Set up or found. <i>The ship was well <b>found</b> and seaworthy.</i>
<b>generate</b>	Give or supply. <i>We can't <b>generate</b> enough power for the entire city.</i>
<b>idea</b>	A personal view. <i>Our menu list will give you some <b>idea</b> of how interesting a low fat diet can be.</i>
<b>innovate</b>	Introduce (something new, especially a product). <i>We continue to <b>innovate</b> new products.</i>
<b>innovation</b>	A creation (a new device or process) resulting from study and experimentation. <i><b>Innovation</b> is crucial to the continuing success of any organization.</i>
<b><u>invent</u></b>	Make up something artificial or untrue. <i>He <b>invented</b> an improved form of the steam engine.</i>
<b><u>invention</u></b>	Creative ability. <i>His powers of <b>invention</b> were rather limited.</i>
<b><u>inventor</u></b>	Someone who is the first to think of or make something.
<b>make</b>	Make formulate or derive in the mind. <i><b>Make</b> him an offer he can't refuse.</i>
<b>making</b>	The components needed for making or doing something. <i>She had the <b>makings</b> of a great teacher.</i>
<b>manufacture</b>	Manufactured articles. <i>The <b>manufacture</b> of armoured vehicles.</i>
<b>productive</b>	Relating to or engaged in the production of goods, crops, or other commodities. <i>Many suffixes are common and <b>productive</b>.</i>
<b><u>reconstruction</u></b>	A thing that has been rebuilt after being damaged or destroyed. <i>The economic <b>reconstruction</b> of Russia.</i>
<b><u>scientist</u></b>	A person who is studying or has expert knowledge of one or more of the natural or physical sciences. <i>A research <b>scientist</b>.</i>