

Need another word that means the same as “disposition”? Find 44 synonyms and 30 related words for “disposition” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Disposition” are: temperament, inclination, tendency, disposal, nature, character, constitution, make-up, grain, humour, temper, mentality, turn of mind, proneness, propensity, proclivity, leaning, orientation, bias, bent, predilection, arrangement, arranging, ordering, positioning, placement, lining up, setting up, organization, configuration, distribution, allocation, transfer, transference, conveyance, making over, bestowal, bequest, at the disposal of, for use by, in reserve for, in the hands of, in the possession of, at someone's fingertips**

## Disposition as a Noun

### Definitions of "Disposition" as a noun

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

- *The act or means of getting rid of something.*
- *The distribution or transfer of property or money to someone, especially by bequest.*
- *The action of arranging people or things in a particular way.*
- *An inclination or tendency.*
- *The way in which something is placed or arranged, especially in relation to other things.*
- *The determination of events by divine power.*
- *Your usual mood.*
- *An attitude of mind especially one that favors one alternative over others.*
- *A natural or acquired habit or characteristic tendency in a person or thing.*
- *The stationing of troops ready for military action.*

- *A person's inherent qualities of mind and character.*
- *The power to deal with something as one pleases.*



## Synonyms of "Disposition" as a noun (44 Words)

<b>allocation</b>	An amount of a resource assigned to a particular recipient. <i>Ticket <b>allocation</b>.</i>
<b>arrangement</b>	The act of arranging and adapting a piece of music. <i>By special <b>arrangement</b> students can take a course in other degree programmes.</i>
<b>arranging</b>	The act of arranging and adapting a piece of music.
<b>at someone's fingertips</b>	100 at equal 1 kip in Laos.
<b>at the disposal of</b>	100 at equal 1 kip in Laos.
<b><u>bent</u></b>	An area of grassland unbounded by fences or hedges. <i>She had no natural <b>bent</b> for literature.</i>
<b><u>bequest</u></b>	A gift of personal property by will. <i>A painting acquired by <b>bequest</b>.</i>
<b>bestowal</b>	A gift that is bestowed or conferred.
<b>bias</b>	A direction diagonal to the weave of a fabric. <i>There was evidence of <b>bias</b> against foreign applicants.</i>
<b>character</b>	A person seen in terms of a particular aspect of character. <i>Shady <b>characters</b>.</i>
<b><u>configuration</u></b>	Any spatial attributes (especially as defined by outline). <i>The outcome depends on the <b>configuration</b> of influences at the time.</i>
<b><u>constitution</u></b>	The constitution written at the Constitutional Convention in Philadelphia in 1787 and subsequently ratified by the original thirteen states. <i>Britain lacks a codified <b>constitution</b>.</i>
<b>conveyance</b>	The act of moving something from one location to another. <i>The wife s solicitors will submit a draft <b>conveyance</b> or transfer to the husband s solicitors.</i>
<b>disposal</b>	A kitchen appliance for disposing of garbage. <i>Consents for <b>disposals</b> at sea.</i>
<b>distribution</b>	The action or process of supplying goods to retailers. <i>Unequal <b>distributions</b> of income and wealth.</i>
<b>for use by</b>	A particular service.
<b>grain</b>	1 7000 pound equals a troy grain or 64 799 milligrams. <i>There was a <b>grain</b> of truth in what he said.</i>

<b>humour</b>	The ability to express humour or amuse other people. <i>The clash hadn't improved his <b>humour</b>.</i>
<b>in reserve for</b>	A unit of length equal to one twelfth of a foot.
<b>in the hands of</b>	A state in midwestern United States.
<b>in the possession of</b>	A rare soft silvery metallic element; occurs in small quantities in sphalerite.
<b>inclination</b>	(geometry) the angle formed by the x-axis and a given line (measured counterclockwise from the positive half of the x-axis). <i>John was a scientist by training and <b>inclination</b>.</i>
<b>leaning</b>	A natural inclination. <i>His early <b>leanings</b> towards socialism.</i>
<b>lining up</b>	The act of attaching an inside lining (to a garment or curtain etc).
<b>make-up</b>	The way in which someone or something is composed.
<b>making over</b>	The act that results in something coming to be.
<a href="#"><u>mentality</u></a>	A habitual or characteristic mental attitude that determines how you will interpret and respond to situations. <i>I had inherited not only my father's blood but his bourgeois <b>mentality</b> as well.</i>
<b>nature</b>	The essential qualities or characteristics by which something is recognized. <i>It is the <b>nature</b> of fire to burn.</i>
<b>ordering</b>	The act of putting things in a sequential arrangement. <i>There were mistakes in the <b>ordering</b> of items on the list.</i>
<b>organization</b>	The activity or result of distributing or disposing persons or things properly or methodically. <i>The spatial <b>organization</b> of the cells.</i>
<b>orientation</b>	The act of orienting. <i>Showed a Marxist <b>orientation</b>.</i>
<b>placement</b>	The act of putting something in a certain place. <i>A <b>placement</b> in a special school.</i>
<b>positioning</b>	The post or function properly or customarily occupied or served by another.
<a href="#"><u>predilection</u></a>	A predisposition in favor of something. <i>My <b>predilection</b> for Asian food.</i>
<a href="#"><u>proclivity</u></a>	A tendency to choose or do something regularly; an inclination or predisposition towards a particular thing. <i>A <b>proclivity</b> for hard work.</i>

<b>proneness</b>	Liability to suffer from or experience something disagreeable; susceptibility. <i>His <b>proneness</b> to injury will seriously mar a promising career.</i>
<b>propensity</b>	A natural inclination. <i>His <b>propensity</b> for violence.</i>
<b>setting up</b>	The physical position of something.
<b><u>temper</u></b>	A person's state of mind seen in terms of their being angry or calm. <i>I only said it in a fit of <b>temper</b>.</i>
<b>temperament</b>	The adjustment of intervals in tuning a piano or other musical instrument so as to fit the scale for use in different keys in equal temperament the octave consists of twelve equal semitones. <i>She had an artistic <b>temperament</b>.</i>
<b><u>tendency</u></b>	An attitude of mind especially one that favors one alternative over others. <i>For students there is a <b>tendency</b> to socialize in the evenings.</i>
<b>transfer</b>	Someone who transfers or is transferred from one position to another. <i>The best student was a <b>transfer</b> from LSU.</i>
<b><u>transference</u></b>	The redirection to a substitute usually a therapist of emotions that were originally felt in childhood in a phase of analysis called transference neurosis. <i>Therapy is aided by the patient's <b>transference</b> to the analyst as mother.</i>
<b>turn of mind</b>	An unforeseen development.

## Usage Examples of "Disposition" as a noun

- *This is a tax which affects the disposition of assets on death.*
- *A swelling with a disposition to rupture.*
- *If Napoleon had had railways at his disposition, he would have been invincible.*
- *The judge's disposition to clemency.*
- *The plan shows the disposition of the rooms.*
- *He has the disposition of a saint.*
- *The prerogative gives the state widespread powers regarding the disposition and control of the armed forces.*
- *The Prime Minister has shown a disposition to alter policies.*
- *Your sunny disposition has a way of rubbing off on those around you.*
- *He has a happy disposition.*

- *The new strategic dispositions of our forces.*

## Associations of "Disposition" (30 Words)

<b>amazed</b>	Greatly surprised; astonished. <i>She shook her head in <b>amazed</b> disbelief.</i>
<b>behavioral</b>	Of or relating to behavior. <i><b>Behavioral</b> sciences.</i>
<b>celebratory</b>	Feeling or expressing happiness and pride. <i>Several <b>celebratory</b> birthday champagnes.</i>
<b>character</b>	A characteristic property that defines the apparent individual nature of something. <i>She is the main <b>character</b> in the novel.</i>
<b>characteristic</b>	The integer part positive or negative of the representation of a logarithm in the expression $\log 643\ 2\ 808$ the characteristic is 2. <i>He began with a <b>characteristic</b> attack on extremism.</i>
<b>congratulatory</b>	Conveying good wishes or praise to someone in response to an achievement or special occasion. <i>As well as a <b>congratulatory</b> message from the Queen Elsie received many cards and flowers.</i>
<b>depressed</b>	Filled with melancholy and despondency. <i><b>Depressed</b> by the loss of his job.</i>
<b>depression</b>	A period during the 1930s when there was a worldwide economic depression and mass unemployment. <i>The <b>depression</b> in the housing market.</i>
<b>despondent</b>	In low spirits from loss of hope or courage. <i>She grew more and more <b>despondent</b>.</i>
<b>disappointed</b>	Sad or displeased because someone or something has failed to fulfil one's hopes or expectations. <i>The rising was a revolution of <b>disappointed</b> hopes.</i>
<b>dismal</b>	(of a person or their mood) gloomy. <i>The first <b>dismal</b> dispiriting days of November.</i>
<b>elegiac</b>	Verses in an elegiac metre. <i>Haunting and <b>elegiac</b> poems.</i>
<b>elegy</b>	(in Greek and Latin verse) a poem written in elegiac couplets, as notably by Catullus and Propertius.
<b><u>excitable</u></b>	(of tissue or a cell) responsive to stimulation. <i>These alkaloids act on nerve cells to make them more <b>excitable</b>.</i>

<b>hopeless</b>	Without hope because there seems to be no possibility of comfort or success. <i>With a <b>hopeless</b> sigh he sat down.</i>
<b>innate</b>	Present at birth but not necessarily hereditary; acquired during fetal development. <i>An <b>innate</b> talent.</i>
<b><u>intrinsic</u></b>	Belonging to a thing by its very nature. <i>Form was treated as something <b>intrinsic</b> as the very essence of the thing.</i>
<b><u>low</u></b>	Used of sounds and voices low in pitch or frequency. <i>The <b>low</b> neckline of her blouse.</i>
<b><u>melancholy</u></b>	Having a feeling of melancholy sad and pensive. <i>The <b>melancholy</b> tone of her writing.</i>
<b>mood</b>	(especially of music) inducing or suggestive of a particular feeling or state of mind. <i>He was obviously in a <b>mood</b>.</i>
<b>nature</b>	The physical force regarded as causing and regulating the phenomena of the world. <i>I m not violent by <b>nature</b>.</i>
<b>personality</b>	The combination of characteristics or qualities that form an individual's distinctive character. <i>She s always had loads of <b>personality</b>.</i>
<b><u>predisposition</u></b>	A disposition in advance to react in a particular way. <i>A child may inherit a <b>predisposition</b> to schizophrenia.</i>
<b>quarrelsome</b>	Given to or characterized by quarrelling. <i><b>Quarrelsome</b> when drinking.</i>
<b>spoilsport</b>	A person who behaves in a way that spoils others' pleasure, especially by not joining in an activity. <i>Don t be a <b>spoilsport</b> Sidney.</i>
<b><u>surly</u></b>	Inclined to anger or bad feelings with overtones of menace. <i>A <b>surly</b> waiter.</i>
<b><u>temper</u></b>	Make more temperate acceptable or suitable by adding something else. <i>The display is a single sheet of glass <b>tempered</b> for strength.</i>
<b>temperament</b>	The adjustment of intervals in tuning a piano or other musical instrument so as to fit the scale for use in different keys in equal temperament the octave consists of twelve equal semitones. <i>He had begun to show signs of <b>temperament</b>.</i>



**tendency**

A characteristic likelihood of or natural disposition toward a certain condition or character or effect.

*For students there is a **tendency** to socialize in the evenings.*

**whim**

A windlass for raising ore or water from a mine.

*He appeared and disappeared at **whim**.*