

Need another word that means the same as "enemies"? Find 3 synonyms and 30 related words for "enemies" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Enemies" are: foe, foeman, opposition

Enemies as a Noun

Definitions of "Enemies" as a noun

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "enemies" as a noun can have the following definitions:

- An opposing military force.
- A personal enemy.
- Any hostile group of people.
- An armed adversary (especially a member of an opposing military force.





Synonyms of "Enemies" as a noun (3 Words)

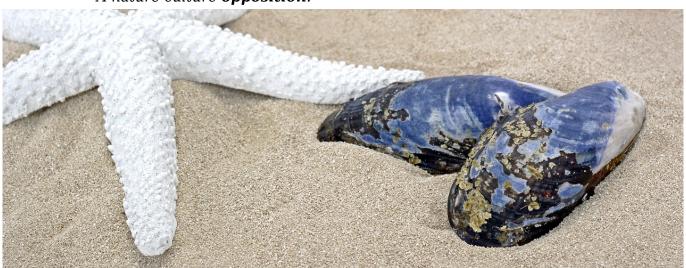
foe An armed adversary (especially a member of an opposing military force.

They had been political **foe**s for years.

foeman An armed adversary (especially a member of an opposing military force.

Resistance or dissent, expressed in action or argument.

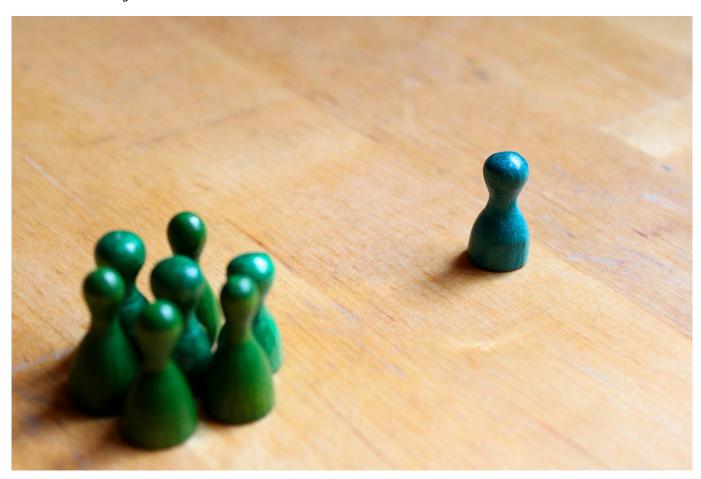
opposition A nature culture opposition.





Usage Examples of "Enemies" as a noun

- He viewed lawyers as the real enemy.
- The enemy attacked at dawn.



Associations of "Enemies" (30 Words)

Someone who offers opposition. adversary

Davis beat his old **adversary** in the quarter finals.

Someone who offers opposition. antagonist

When bending the elbow the triceps are the **antagonist**.

Inflict harm in return for an injury or wrong on behalf of (oneself or another. <u>avenge</u>

He wants to **avenge** the murder of his brother.

The contestant you hope to defeat. challenger

A serious **challenger** for the title.



compete Compete for something engage in a contest measure oneself against others.

He **compete**d with a number of other candidates.

competitor A person who takes part in a sporting contest.

Our main industrial **competitor**s.

contender
The contestant you hope to defeat.

The major **contender**s in the football championship.

crossfire Fire from two or more points so that the lines of fire cross.

A photographer was killed in **crossfire**.

The act of protesting a public often organized manifestation of dissent.

He was sent off for dissent.

dissident Characterized by departure from accepted beliefs or standards.

A **dissident** who had been jailed by a military regime.

foe An enemy or opponent.

His work was praised by friends and **foe**s alike.

Unsolicited and resisted by the management of the target company (used of

hostile attempts to buy or take control of a business.

Hostile takeover.

Retributive justice.

nemesis
One risks nemesis by uttering such words.

A person who expresses opposition to or disagreement with something.

Objector Objectors to the housing plans.

Someone who offers opposition.

opponentAgainst superior **opponent**s they fell two goals behind.

Fight against or resist strongly.

A workers movement **oppose**d the regime.

opposed (of two or more things) contrasting or conflicting with each other.

Two bitterly **opposed** schools of thought.

Characterized by active hostility.

opposing

The brothers fought on opposing sides in the war.

The relation between opposed entities.

<u>opposition</u>
Despite **opposition** from the newspapers he went ahead.

An act of retaliation.

reprisal

The threat of **reprisal**.

requital An act of requiting; returning in kind.

retaliate Repay (an injury or insult) in kind.

They used their abilities to **retaliate** the injury.



rival

The act of taking revenge (harming someone in retaliation for something

retribution harmful that they have done) especially in the next life-Romans 12:19.

Employees asked not to be named saying they feared **retribution**.

Inflict revenge on behalf of someone else.

revenge
Zimbabwe snatched the game 18 16 but the Spanish had their revenge later.

Be the rival of be in competition with.

Nothing can **rival** cotton for durability.

spurn An act of spurning.

With one touch of my feet I **spurn** the solid Earth.

Punishment inflicted or retribution exacted for an injury or wrong.

vengeance For **vengeance** I would do nothing This nation is too great to look for mere

revenge.

vengeful

Disposed to seek revenge or intended for revenge.

A **vengeful** ex con.

vie Compete for something; engage in a contest; measure oneself against others.

The athletes were vying for a place in the British team.

vindictive Showing malicious ill will and a desire to hurt; motivated by spite.

More **vindictive** than jealous love.



