

Need another word that means the same as “forget”? Find 57 synonyms and 30 related words for “forget” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Forget” are: leave, blank out, block, draw a blank, bury, fail to remember, fail to recall, fail to think of, let slip, neglect, fail, omit, not remember, leave behind, omit to take, overlook, lose track of, mislay, misplace, lose, stop thinking about, think no more of, cease to think of, cease to remember, put out of one's mind, shut out, pay no heed to, not worry about, ignore, never mind, take no notice of, banish from one's thoughts, put away, get over, set aside, lay aside, pass over, abandon, have done with, drop, disregard, brush off, shrug off, act improperly, misbehave, do wrong, go wrong, behave badly, be misbehaved, misconduct oneself, be bad, be naughty, get up to mischief, get up to no good, act up, cause someone trouble, give someone trouble**

## Forget as a Verb

### Definitions of "Forget" as a verb

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

- *Fail to remember.*
- *Neglect to behave in an appropriate way.*
- *Inadvertently neglect to do, bring, or mention something.*
- *Be unable to remember.*
- *Forget to do something.*
- *Leave behind unintentionally.*
- *Dismiss from the mind; stop remembering.*
- *Deliberately cease to think of.*



## Synonyms of "Forget" as a verb (57 Words)

**abandon**

Leave (a place or vehicle) empty or uninhabited, without intending to return.

*Her natural mother had **abandoned** her at an early age.*

**act improperly**

Pretend to have certain qualities or state of mind.

**act up**

Be suitable for theatrical performance.

**banish from one's thoughts**

Drive away.

**be bad**

Have the quality of being; (copula, used with an adjective or a predicate noun.

**be misbehaved**

To remain unmolested, undisturbed, or uninterrupted — used only in infinitive form.

**be naughty**

Have life, be alive.

**behave badly**

Behave in a certain manner; show a certain behavior; conduct or comport oneself.

**blank out**

Keep the opposing (baseball) team from winning.

**block**

Shape into a block or blocks.

*The narrow roads were **blocked** by cars.*

**brush off**

Sweep across or over.

**bury**

Hide or try to forget (a feeling or memory).

*He ran through to **bury** a right foot shot inside the near post.*

<b>cause someone trouble</b>	Give rise to; cause to happen or occur, not always intentionally.
<b>cease to remember</b>	Have an end, in a temporal, spatial, or quantitative sense; either spatial or metaphorical.
<b>cease to think of</b>	Put an end to a state or an activity.
<b><u>disregard</u></b>	Give little or no attention to. <i>The body of evidence is too substantial to <b>disregard</b>.</i>
<b>do wrong</b>	Spend time in prison or in a labor camp.
<b>draw a blank</b>	Elicit responses, such as objections, criticism, applause, etc.
<b>drop</b>	Score a goal by a drop kick. <i>He <b>dropped</b> a goal to beat England in the final minute.</i>
<b>fail</b>	Become bankrupt or insolvent fail financially and close. <i>The light began to <b>fail</b>.</i>
<b>fail to recall</b>	Become bankrupt or insolvent; fail financially and close.
<b>fail to remember</b>	Fail to do something; leave something undone.
<b>fail to think of</b>	Become bankrupt or insolvent; fail financially and close.
<b>get over</b>	Overcome or destroy.
<b>get up to mischief</b>	Undergo (as of injuries and illnesses).
<b>get up to no good</b>	Succeed in catching or seizing, especially after a chase.
<b>give someone trouble</b>	Give or supply.
<b>go wrong</b>	Progress by being changed.
<b>have done with</b>	Achieve a point or goal.
<b>ignore</b>	Refuse to take notice of or acknowledge; disregard intentionally. <i>The rules <b>ignore</b> one important principle of cricket.</i>
<b>lay aside</b>	Lay eggs.
<b>leave</b>	Leave behind unintentionally. <i><b>Leave</b> the room.</i>
<b>leave behind</b>	Go and leave behind either intentionally or by neglect or forgetfulness.
<b>let slip</b>	Actively cause something to happen.
<b>lose</b>	Miss from one's possessions lose sight of. <i>This clock will neither gain nor <b>lose</b> a second.</i>
<b>lose track of</b>	Miss from one's possessions; lose sight of.

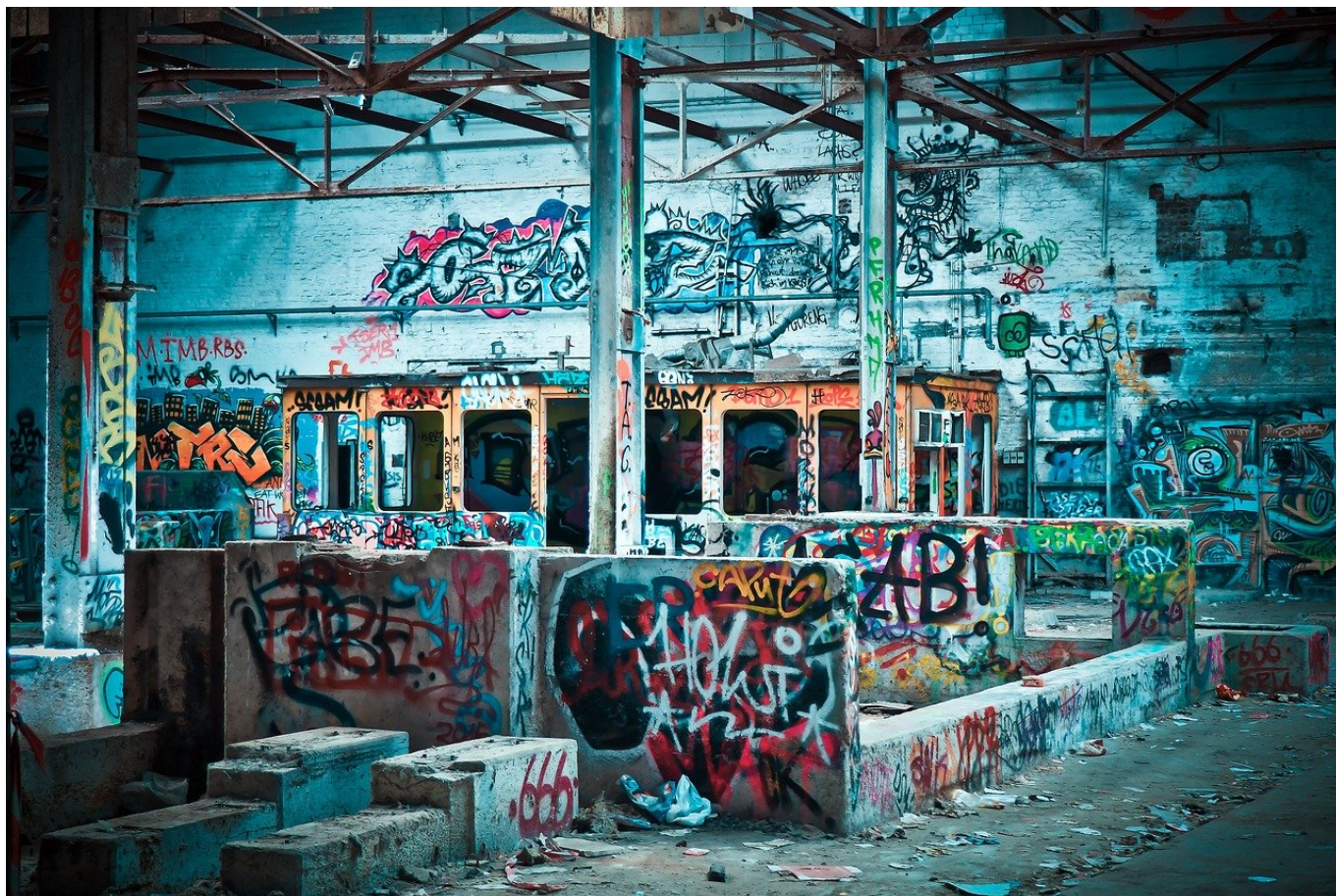
<b>misbehave</b>	(of a person, especially a child) fail to conduct oneself in an acceptable way; behave badly. <i>Josh <b>misbehaved</b> pushing his food off the table.</i>
<b>misconduct oneself</b>	Manage badly or incompetently.
<b>mislay</b>	Place (something) where one cannot find it again. <i>I seem to have mislaid my car keys.</i>
<b>misplace</b>	Put (an object) in the wrong place and so lose it temporarily. <i>Crewe came back into the game when Strachan <b>misplaced</b> a pass in the midfield.</i>
<b><u>neglect</u></b>	Not pay proper attention to; disregard. <i>You <b>neglect</b> our advice at your peril.</i>
<b>never mind</b>	Be in charge of or deal with.
<b>not remember</b>	Exercise, or have the power of, memory.
<b>not worry about</b>	Be on the mind of.
<b><u>omit</u></b>	Fail or neglect to do. <i>He was <b>omitted</b> from the second Test.</i>
<b>omit to take</b>	Prevent from being included or considered or accepted.
<b><u>overlook</u></b>	Leave undone or leave out. <i>It's better if the property isn't <b>overlooked</b>.</i>
<b>pass over</b>	Pass over across or through.
<b>pay no heed to</b>	Cancel or discharge a debt.
<b>put away</b>	Cause (someone) to undergo something.
<b>put out of one's mind</b>	Put into a certain place or abstract location.
<b>set aside</b>	Give a fine, sharp edge to a knife or razor.
<b>shrug off</b>	Raise one's shoulders to indicate indifference or resignation.
<b>shut out</b>	Prevent from entering shut out.
<b>stop thinking about</b>	Cause to stop.
<b>take no notice of</b>	Be designed to hold or take.
<b>think no more of</b>	Expect, believe, or suppose.



## Usage Examples of "Forget" as a verb

- *I'm sorry, I just forgot.*
- *Forget all this romantic stuff.*
- *She forgot to lock her door.*
- *He had forgotten his lines.*
- *She had completely forgotten how hungry she was.*
- *I forgot my raincoat.*
- *Don't forget to call the chairman of the board to the meeting!*
- *For years she had struggled to forget about him.*
- *'I'm sorry, Cassie. I forget myself.*





## Associations of "Forget" (30 Words)

<b>absolutely</b>	Completely and without qualification; used informally as intensifiers. <i>You re <b>absolutely</b> right.</i>
<b><u>altogether</u></b>	Taking everything into consideration; on the whole. <i>In the <b>altogether</b>.</i>
<b><u>collectively</u></b>	In conjunction with; combined. <i>The vast range of resources that the American people <b>collectively</b> own.</i>
<b>completely</b>	Totally; utterly. <i>It was <b>completely</b> different from what we expected.</i>
<b>conclusively</b>	In a way that is achieved easily or by a large margin. <i>Wars are difficult to win <b>conclusively</b>.</i>
<b>decisively</b>	In a way that shows the ability to make decisions quickly and effectively. <i>The government will act <b>decisively</b> against all extremist activities.</i>

<b>entirely</b>	Without any others being included or involved. <i>The traffic seemed to consist <b>entirely</b> of black cabs.</i>
<b>generic</b>	(of drugs) not protected by trademark. <i>The <b>generic</b> name.</i>
<b>ignore</b>	Refuse to acknowledge. <i>The rules <b>ignore</b> one important principle of cricket.</i>
<b>inappropriate</b>	Not suitable or proper in the circumstances. <i>Put <b>inappropriate</b> pressure on them.</i>
<b>lapse</b>	Revert to (a previous or more familiar style of speaking or behaviour). <i>He let his membership of CND <b>lapse</b>.</i>
<b>memory</b>	An electronic memory device. <i>A <b>memory</b> and the CPU form the central part of a computer to which peripherals are attached.</i>
<b>misplace</b>	Position incorrectly. <i>I <b>misplaced</b> my eyeglasses.</i>
<b>mnemonics</b>	A method or system for improving the memory.
<u><b>neglect</b></u>	The state of something that has been unused and neglected. <i>You <b>neglect</b> our advice at your peril.</i>
<u><b>obscurity</b></u>	The state of being indistinct or indefinite for lack of adequate illumination. <i>He is too good a player to slide into <b>obscurity</b>.</i>
<u><b>outright</b></u>	Open and direct. <i>Logging has been banned <b>outright</b>.</i>
<u><b>overlook</b></u>	A high place affording a good view. <i>He seems to have <b>overlooked</b> one important fact.</i>
<b>perfectly</b>	In a perfect or faultless way. <i><b>Perfectly</b> clean glass bottles.</i>
<u><b>psyche</b></u>	A beautiful princess loved by Cupid who visited her at night and told her she must not try to see him; became the personification of the soul. <i>How does constant losing affect the <b>psyches</b> of young athletes.</i>
<u><b>recollection</b></u>	A thing recollected; a memory. <i>To the best of my <b>recollection</b> no one ever had a bad word to say about him.</i>
<b>remember</b>	Mention favorably, as in prayer. <i>She <b>remembered</b> herself and sat up straighter.</i>
<u><b>solely</b></u>	Not involving anyone or anything else; only. <i>People are appointed <b>solely</b> on the basis of merit.</i>

<u><b>thoroughly</b></u>	Completely and absolutely good is sometimes used informally for thoroughly. <i>She was soon <b>thoroughly</b> bored.</i>
<u><b>totally</b></u>	Used to express agreement. <i>So then Julie like <b>totally</b> dumps her boyfriend Tommy.</i>
<u><b>undeserved</b></u>	Not deserved or earned. <i>Has an <b>undeserved</b> reputation as a coward.</i>
<u><b>unsuited</b></u>	Not right or appropriate. <i>He was totally <b>unsuited</b> for the job.</i>
<u><b>utterly</b></u>	Completely and without qualification; absolutely. <i><b>Utterly</b> miserable.</i>
<u><b>vanish</b></u>	Get lost, as without warning or explanation. <i>An entire civilization <b>vanished</b>.</i>
<u><b>wholly</b></u>	To a complete degree or to the full or entire extent whole is often used informally for wholly. <i>The distinction is not <b>wholly</b> clear.</i>



