

Need another word that means the same as "fort"? Find 12 synonyms and 30 related words for "fort" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Fort" are: fortress, garrison, castle, citadel, blockhouse, burg, keep, tower, donjon, turret, fort up, fortify

#### Fort as a Noun

#### Definitions of "Fort" as a noun

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

- A trading station.
- A fortified military post where troops are stationed.
- A fortified building or strategic position.
- A fortified defensive structure.





#### Synonyms of "Fort" as a noun (10 Words)

**blockhouse** A stronghold that is reinforced for protection from enemy fire; with apertures for defensive fire.

**burg** An ancient or medieval fortress or walled town.

I ve lived in this **burg** all my life.

castle

A large building, typically of the medieval period, fortified against attack with

thick walls, battlements, towers, and in many cases a moat.

The crumbling stonework of a ruined castle.

citadel A fortress, typically one on high ground above a city.

The garrison withdrew into the **citadel**.

**donjon** The great tower or innermost keep of a castle.

**fortress** A military stronghold, especially a strongly fortified town. *He had proved himself to be a fortress of moral rectitude.* 

**garrison** The building occupied by a garrison.

The entire **garrison** was mustered on the parade ground.



**keep** Food, clothes, and other essentials for living.

Each child was expected to pay for their **keep**.

A fortress or stronghold in the form of or including a tower.

The south west **tower** is a wonderful example of late Gothic.

turret A self-contained weapons platform housing guns and capable of rotation.

A castle with fairy tale **turret**s.



### Usage Examples of "Fort" as a noun

• The city was guarded by a ring of forts.





## Fort as a Verb

#### Definitions of "Fort" as a verb

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

- Enclose by or as if by a fortification.
- Gather in, or as if in, a fort, as for protection or defense.
- Station (troops) in a fort.





Synonyms of "Fort" as a verb (2 Words)

 ${f fort} \ {f up} \ {\sf Station} \ ({\sf troops}) \ {\sf in} \ {\sf a} \ {\sf fort}.$ 

**fortify** 

Make strong or stronger.

The wine is aged in oak barrels and fortified with French brandy.





# Associations of "Fort" (30 Words)

The act of equiping with weapons in preparation for war.

**armament Armaments** factories.

army

The army of the United States of America the agency that organizes and

trains soldiers for land warfare.

An army of photographers.

artillery Large-calibre guns used in warfare on land.

Tanks and heavy artillery.

A natural rock formation resembling a man made bastion.

A **bastion** against corruption.

**byzantine** Highly complex or intricate and occasionally devious.

cantonment A military garrison or camp.



(chess) the piece that can move any number of unoccupied squares in a

<u>castle</u> direction parallel to the sides of the chessboard.

The crumbling stonework of a ruined **castle**.

A fortress, typically one on high ground above a city.

Citadels of private economic power.

A commissioned naval officer who ranks above a lieutenant commander and

commander below a captain.

The **commander** of a paratroop regiment.

defend Be the defense counsel for someone in a trial.

They were forced to **defend** for long periods.

Absolute control over a person or group.

He encouraged the Greeks in their dream of **empire** in Asia Minor.

**fortress** A fortified defensive structure.

He had proved himself to be a **fortress** of moral rectitude.

Station troops in a fort or garrison.

The entire garrison was mustered on the parade ground.

A person who protects or defends something.

I am acting as **guardian** of my late brother s family.

**legionary** A soldier who is a member of a legion (especially the French Foreign Legion.

The **legionary** fortress of Isca.

Resembling or likened to the Middle Ages, especially in being cruel,

**medieval** uncivilized, or primitive.

A **medieval** castle.

The military forces of a nation.

The huild up of military activity.

The build up of **military** activity.

outpost

A few contracts along the ways

A few scattered **outpost**s along the west coast.

A large and stately mansion.

The royal **palace**.

A person who cares for persons or property.

protector

Ear protectors.

**rampart** Fortify or surround with or as if with a rampart.

They stormed the **rampart**s of the city.

recapture A legal seizure by the government of profits beyond a fixed amount.

The author **recapture**s an old idea here.

sally A sudden charge out of a besieged place against the enemy; a sortie.

The garrison there made a **sally** against us.



A group of herons.

Verdun had withstood a **siege** of ten weeks.

soldier Serve as a soldier.

I **soldier**ed with your father on his last four campaigns.

**sortie** An attack made by troops coming out from a position of defence.

We ll soon know if they **sortie**.

**stockade** Enclose an area by erecting a stockade.

They fortified themselves strongly and **stockade**d the city.

**stronghold** A strongly fortified defensive structure.

A Labour **stronghold**.

warfare Engagement in or the activities involved in war or conflict.

Guerrilla warfare.

Someone engaged in or experienced in warfare.

I really love the **warrior** pose it makes me feel centred and strong.



