

Need another word that means the same as “gothic”? Find 4 synonyms and 30 related words for “gothic” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Gothic” are: gothic architecture, black letter, mediaeval, medieval**

## **Gothic as a Noun**

### **Definitions of "Gothic" as a noun**

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

- *A heavy typeface in use from 15th to 18th centuries.*
- *A style of architecture developed in northern France that spread throughout Europe between the 12th and 16th centuries; characterized by slender vertical piers and counterbalancing buttresses and by vaulting and pointed arches.*
- *Extinct East Germanic language of the ancient Goths; the only surviving record being fragments of a 4th-century translation of the Bible by Bishop Ulfilas.*



## Synonyms of "Gothic" as a noun (2 Words)

- black letter** A person with dark skin who comes from Africa (or whose ancestors came from Africa).
- gothic architecture** A heavy typeface in use from 15th to 18th centuries.



## Gothic as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Gothic" as an adjective

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), "gothic" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- *Characteristic of the style of type commonly used for printing German.*
- *As if belonging to the Middle Ages; old-fashioned and unenlightened.*
- *Of or relating to the language of the ancient Goths.*
- *Of or relating to the Goths.*
- *Characterized by gloom and mystery and the grotesque.*



## Synonyms of "Gothic" as an adjective (2 Words)

**mediaeval** Characteristic of the time of chivalry and knighthood in the Middle Ages.  
Relating to the Middle Ages.

**medieval** *Without other people around I would let my flat degenerate into **medieval** levels of squalor.*



## Usage Examples of "Gothic" as an adjective

- *Gothic novels like `Frankenstein.*



## Associations of "Gothic" (30 Words)

- abbess** A woman who is the head of an abbey of nuns.
- abbey** A church that was formerly an abbey.
- abbot** A man who is the head of an abbey of monks.
- apocrypha** 14 books of the Old Testament included in the Vulgate (except for II Esdras) but omitted in Jewish and Protestant versions of the Bible; eastern Christian churches (except the Coptic Church) accept all these books as canonical; the Russ.
- archdeacon** A senior Christian cleric (in the early Church a deacon, in the modern Anglican Church a priest) to whom a bishop delegates certain responsibilities.
- architecture** The structure and organization of a computer's hardware or system software.  
*Schools of **architecture** and design.*

<b>augustinian</b>	A Roman Catholic friar or monk belonging to one of the Augustinian monastic orders.
<b>biblical</b>	Resembling the language or style of the Bible. <i><b>Biblical</b> times.</i>
<b>bishop</b>	A chess piece typically with its top shaped like a mitre that can move in any direction along a diagonal on which it stands Each player starts the game with two bishops one moving on white squares and the other on black.
<b>buddhist</b>	One who follows the teachings of Buddha.
<b>canon</b>	A general law, rule, principle, or criterion by which something is judged. <i>A set of ecclesiastical <b>canons</b>.</i>
<b>cathedral</b>	Relating to or containing or issuing from a bishop's office or throne. <i>St Paul's <b>Cathedral</b>.</i>
<b>catholic</b>	Of or relating to or supporting Catholicism. <i><b>Catholic</b> in one's tastes.</i>
<b>christian</b>	Following the teachings or manifesting the qualities or spirit of Jesus Christ.
<b>church</b>	Perform a special church rite or service for. <i>The separation of <b>church</b> and state.</i>
<b>cloister</b>	Seclude from the world in or as if in a cloister. <i>The monastery was where the Brothers would <b>cloister</b> themselves to meditate.</i>
<b>convent</b>	The building or buildings occupied by a convent. <i>Maria entered the <b>convent</b> at the age of eighteen.</i>
<b>dean</b>	An administrator in charge of a division of a university or college. <i>He is the <b>dean</b> of foreign correspondents.</i>
<b>diocese</b>	A district under the pastoral care of a bishop in the Christian Church.
<b>doyen</b>	A man who is the senior member of a group. <i>He became the <b>doyen</b> of British physicists.</i>
<b>minster</b>	Any of certain cathedrals and large churches; originally connected to a monastery. <i>York <b>Minster</b>.</i>
<b>monastery</b>	A building or buildings occupied by a community of monks living under religious vows.
<b>nunnery</b>	A building or group of buildings in which nuns live as a religious community; a convent.
<b>parish</b>	(in Louisiana) a territorial division corresponding to a county in other states. <i>A <b>parish</b> church.</i>
<b>priory</b>	A small monastery or nunnery that is governed by a prior or prioress.

- pyx** In the UK a box at the Royal Mint in which specimen gold and silver coins are deposited to be tested annually at the trial of the pyx by members of the Goldsmiths Company.
- rector** (in the Church of England) the incumbent of a parish where all tithes formerly passed to the incumbent.
- saint** A person who has died and has been declared a saint by canonization.  
*The poor **saints** which are at Jerusalem.*
- subculture** A social group within a national culture that has distinctive patterns of behavior and beliefs.  
*In what ways does the social environment predispose certain individuals to join delinquent **subcultures**.*
- theology** The study of the nature of God and religious belief.  
*A **theology** degree.*

