

Need another word that means the same as “groom”? Find 37 synonyms and 30 related words for “groom” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Groom” are: neaten, curry, dress, prepare, train, brush, comb, rub, rub down, clean, tidy, smooth, arrange, do, adjust, put in order, make tidy, spruce up, smarten up, preen, primp, freshen up, prime, make ready, ready, condition, tailor, bridegroom, hostler, ostler, stableboy, stableman, stable hand, stable lad, stable boy, stable girl, husband-to-be**

## Groom as a Noun

### Definitions of "Groom" as a noun

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

- *A man participant in his own marriage ceremony.*
- *A man who has recently been married.*
- *Any of various officials of the royal household.*
- *A person employed to take care of horses.*
- *Someone employed in a stable to take care of the horses.*
- *A bridegroom.*



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

<b>bridegroom</b>	A man participant in his own marriage ceremony.
<b>hostler</b>	Someone employed in a stable to take care of the horses.
<b>husband-to-be</b>	A light strong brittle grey toxic bivalent metallic element.
<b>ostler</b>	Someone employed in a stable to take care of the horses.
<b>stable boy</b>	A farm building for housing horses or other livestock.
<b>stable girl</b>	A farm building for housing horses or other livestock.
<b>stable hand</b>	A farm building for housing horses or other livestock.
<b>stable lad</b>	A farm building for housing horses or other livestock.
<b>stableboy</b>	Someone employed in a stable to take care of the horses.
<b>stableman</b>	Someone employed in a stable to take care of the horses.



## Groom as a Verb

### Definitions of "Groom" as a verb

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

- *Educate for a future role or function.*
- *(of a paedophile) prepare (a child) for a meeting, especially via an internet chat room, with the intention of committing a sexual offence.*
- *Prepare or train (someone) for a particular purpose or activity.*
- *Look after (a lawn, ski slope, or other surface.*
- *Care for one's external appearance.*
- *Give a neat appearance to.*
- *(of an animal) clean the fur or skin of (itself or another animal).*
- *Give a neat and tidy appearance to (someone).*

- *Brush and clean the coat of (a horse, dog, or other animal).*



## Synonyms of "Groom" as a verb (27 Words)

- adjust** Permit small alterations or movements so as to achieve a desired fit, appearance, or result.  
*A single control **adjusts** the water flow.*
- arrange** Arrange attractively.  
*Accommodation can be **arranged** if required.*
- brush** Arrange one's hair by running a brush through it.  
*Stems of grass **brush** against her legs.*
- clean** Clean and tidy up the house.  
*The boys **cleaned** the sandwich platters.*
- comb** Prepare wool flax or cotton for manufacture with a comb.  
*She **combed** her hair and put some lipstick on.*

<b>condition</b>	Apply a conditioner to the hair. <i>A product for <b>conditioning</b> leather.</i>
<b>curry</b>	Prepare or flavour (food) with a sauce of hot-tasting spices. <i><b>Curry</b> tanned leather.</i>
<b>do</b>	Get something done. <i>What can I <b>do</b> for you.</i>
<b>dress</b>	Dress in a certain manner. <i><b>Dress</b> the victim s wounds.</i>
<b>freshen up</b>	Become or make oneself fresh again.
<b>make ready</b>	Assure the success of.
<b>make tidy</b>	Represent fictitiously, as in a play, or pretend to be or act like.
<b>neaten</b>	Care for one's external appearance. <i>She made an attempt to <b>neaten</b> her hair.</i>
<b>preen</b>	(of a person) devote effort to making oneself look attractive and then admire one's appearance. <i>It did not prevent them from <b>preening</b> themselves on their achievement.</i>
<b>prepare</b>	To prepare verbally either for written or spoken delivery. <i>Schools should <b>prepare</b> children for life.</i>
<b>prime</b>	Insert a primer into a gun mine or charge preparatory to detonation or firing. <i><b>Prime</b> a mine.</i>
<b>primp</b>	Dress or groom with elaborate care. <i>She was <b>primping</b> her stiff hair.</i>
<b>put in order</b>	Arrange thoughts, ideas, temporal events.
<b>ready</b>	Make ready or suitable or equip in advance for a particular purpose or for some use event etc. <i>Get the children <b>ready</b> for school.</i>
<b>rub</b>	Make dry clean or smooth by rubbing. <i>She <b>rubbed</b> her arm where she had a large bruise.</i>
<b>rub down</b>	Scrape or rub as if to relieve itching.
<b>smarten up</b>	Raise.
<b>smooth</b>	Make smooth or smoother as if by rubbing. <i>Values are collected over a long period of time so that fluctuations are <b>smoothed</b> out.</i>
<b>spruce up</b>	Make neat, smart, or trim.
<b>tailor</b>	Of a tailor make clothes to fit individual customers. <i>He was wearing a sports coat which had obviously been <b>tailored</b> in London.</i>

**tidy**

Bring order to (something); arrange neatly.  
*She paused briefly to **tidy** her hair.*

**train**

Teach and supervise someone act as a trainer or coach to as in sports.  
*It s a learning experience I have to **train** my eyes again and refine my footwork.*



## Usage Examples of "Groom" as a verb

- *Their main preoccupation is licking and grooming themselves.*
- *Star pupils who are groomed for higher things.*
- *Groom the dogs.*
- *The horses were groomed and taken to shows.*
- *He is always well-groomed.*
- *Groom your lawn—keep the grass cut.*
- *He is grooming his son to become his successor.*
- *A beautifully groomed woman.*



## Associations of "Groom" (30 Words)

<b>adorned</b>	Provided with something intended to increase its beauty or distinction.
<b>apparel</b>	Clothe (someone). <i>They were dressed in bright <b>apparel</b>.</i>
<b>attire</b>	Clothes, especially fine or formal ones. <i>Formal <b>attire</b>.</i>
<b>bachelor</b>	Lead a bachelor s existence. <i>One of the country s most eligible <b>bachelors</b>.</i>
<b>bedeck</b>	Decorate. <i>He led us into a room <b>bedecked</b> with tinsel.</i>
<b>bouquet</b>	The characteristic scent of a wine or perfume. <i>The aperitif has a faint <b>bouquet</b> of almonds.</i>
<b>bridal</b>	Of or pertaining to a bride. <i>The <b>bridal</b> party came out into the church porch.</i>
<b>bride</b>	A woman on her wedding day or just before and after the event. <i>The <b>bride</b> and groom left early last night.</i>
<b>bridegroom</b>	A man on his wedding day or just before and after the event.
<b>chiffon</b>	A light, transparent fabric typically made of silk or nylon. <i>A <b>chiffon</b> blouse.</i>
<b>cloak</b>	Cover with or as if with a cloak. <i>She <b>cloaked</b> her embarrassment by rushing into speech.</i>
<b>decorated</b>	Provided with something intended to increase its beauty or distinction.
<b>decorative</b>	Serving to make something look more attractive; ornamental. <i>A well appointed house with original <b>decorative</b> features.</i>
<b>dowry</b>	An amount of property or money brought by a bride to her husband on their marriage. <i>Elizabeth s <b>dowry</b> was to be 45 000 in diamonds.</i>
<b>dress</b>	Dress or groom with elaborate care. <i><b>Dress</b> the salads.</i>
<b>finery</b>	Expensive or ostentatious clothes or decoration. <i>Officers in their blue gold and scarlet <b>finery</b>.</i>
<b>heterosexual</b>	A heterosexual person someone having a sexual orientation to persons of the opposite sex. <i><b>Heterosexual</b> relationships.</i>
<b>honeymoon</b>	Spend a honeymoon. <i>They flew to the West Indies on <b>honeymoon</b>.</i>



<b>male</b>	An animal that produces gametes spermatozoa that can fertilize female gametes ova. <i>A <b>male</b> infant.</i>
<b>marital</b>	Of or relating to the state of marriage. <i><b>Marital</b> status.</i>
<b>marriage</b>	The legally or formally recognized union of two people as partners in a personal relationship (historically and in some jurisdictions specifically a union between a man and a woman). <i>A <b>marriage</b> of ideas.</i>
<b>marry</b>	Join in marriage. <i>Eric asked me to <b>marry</b> him.</i>
<b>nuptial</b>	A wedding. <i><b>Nuptial</b> plumage.</i>
<b>plume</b>	Deck with a plume. <i>A hat with a jaunty ostrich <b>plume</b>.</i>
<b>preen</b>	Clean with one's bill. <i>It did not prevent them from <b>preening</b> themselves on their achievement.</i>
<b>raiment</b>	Especially fine or decorative clothing. <i>Ladies clothed in <b>raiment</b> bedecked with jewels.</i>
<b>sandal</b>	A shoe consisting of a sole fastened by straps to the foot. <i>They were dressed in open toed <b>sandals</b>.</i>
<b>trim</b>	Adjust the balance of a ship or aircraft by rearranging its cargo or by means of its trim tabs. <i>No one had been there for months everything was out of <b>trim</b>.</i>
<b>underwear</b>	Clothing worn under other clothes, typically next to the skin.
<b>wedding</b>	A party of people at a wedding.

