

Need another word that means the same as "harass"? Find 33 synonyms and 30 related words for "harass" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Harass" are: beset, chevvy, chevy, chivvy, chivvy, harry, hassle, molest, plague, provoke, pester, badger, hound, torment, bedevil, persecute, bother, annoy, exasperate, worry, disturb, trouble, agitate, vex, attack repeatedly, raid, press hard, beleaguer, set upon, assail, maraud, ravage, oppress

Harass as a Verb

Definitions of "Harass" as a verb

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "harass" as a verb can have the following definitions:

- Make repeated small-scale attacks on (an enemy.
- Annoy continually or chronically.
- Exhaust by attacking repeatedly.
- Subject to aggressive pressure or intimidation.





Synonyms of "Harass" as a verb (33 Words)

agitate

Cause to be agitated excited or roused.

There a situated for a reversal of the decise.

They **agitate**d for a reversal of the decision.

annoy

Cause annoyance in disturb especially by minor irritations.

A gallant Saxon who annoyed this Coast.

(of an unpleasant feeling or physical sensation) come upon (someone)

<u>assail</u> suddenly and strongly.

The Scots army **assail**ed Edward s army from the rear.

attack repeatedly Begin to injure.

badgerRepeatedly ask (someone) to do something; pester.

Journalists **badger**ed him about the deals.

bedevil (of a person) torment or harass.

Projects like this are **bedevil**led by a shortage of cash.

Annoy persistently.

beleaguer
Our leaders decided to beleaguer the city.



beset Annoy continually or chronically.

I was **beset** by clouds of flies.

bother Cause annoyance in; disturb, especially by minor irritations.

He wasn t to **bother** himself with day to day things.

chevvy Annoy continually or chronically.chevy Annoy continually or chronically.

chivvyTell (someone) repeatedly to do something.

An association which chivvies government into action.

chivy Annoy continually or chronically.

disturb Interrupt the sleep, relaxation, or privacy of.

Take the rollers out carefully so as not to **disturb** the curls too much.

exasperate Exasperate or irritate.

This futile process **exasperate**s prison officers.

harry Persistently harass.

He is known to **harry** his staff when he is overworked.

hassle Harass; pester.

You want to sit and relax and not get **hassle**d.

hound Harass, persecute, or pursue relentlessly.

She was **hound**ed by the Italian press.

Raid and plunder (a place.

maraud

War parties crossed the river to maraud.

Cause to suffer.

oppress

He was oppressed by some secret worry.

Harass or annoy (someone) persistently.

Persecute

His followers were persecuted by the authorities.

Annoy persistently.

ravage

She constantly **pester**ed him with telephone calls.

Cause to suffer a blight.

He has been **plague**d by ill health.

press hard Ask for or request earnestly.

Provoke Evoke or provoke to appear or occur.

Her behavior **provoke**d a quarrel between the couple.

Conduct a raid on.

T Boone Pickens **raid**ed many large companies.

Cause extensive destruction or ruin utterly.

The hurricane **ravage**d southern Florida.



set upon Urge to attack someone.

torment Torment emotionally or mentally.

He was tormented by jealousy.

trouble Take the trouble to do something concern oneself.

My legs started to **trouble** me.

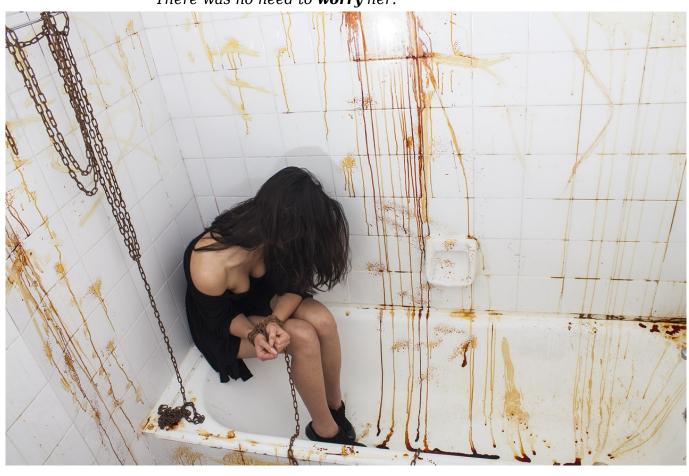
Make (someone) feel annoyed, frustrated, or worried, especially with

vex trivial matters.

Thou shalt not **vex** a stranger.

(of a dog) chase and attack (livestock, especially sheep.

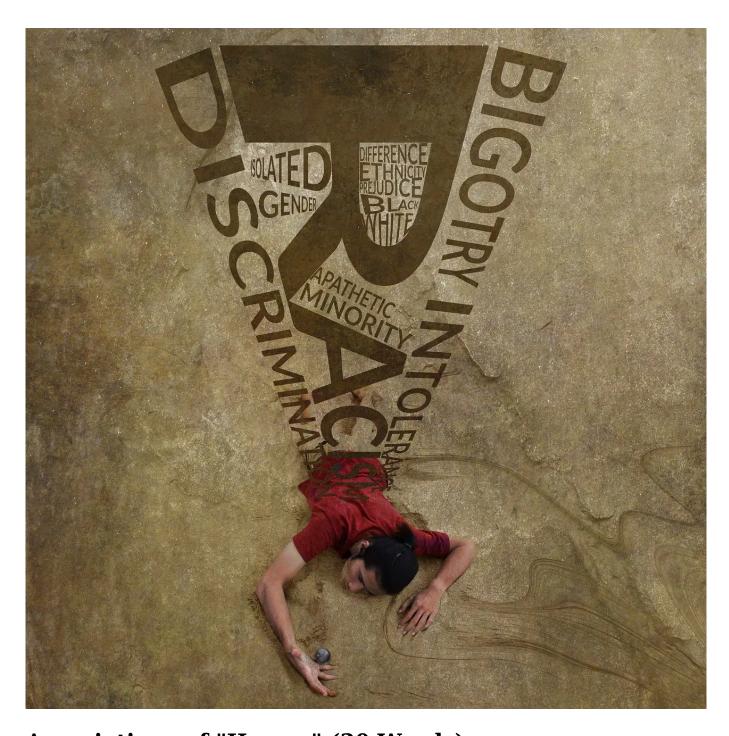
There was no need to **worry** her.



Usage Examples of "Harass" as a verb

- Harass the enemy.
- Being harassed at work can leave you feeling confused and helpless.
- \bullet The squadron's task was to harass the retreating enemy forces.
- This man harasses his female co-workers.





Associations of "Harass" (30 Words)

<u>afflict</u>

Cause great unhappiness for; distress. She was **afflict**ed by the death of her parents.



Cause annoyance in disturb especially by minor irritations.

The decision really **annoy**ed him.

beleaguer Cause problems or difficulties for.

He attempts to answer several questions that **beleaguer** the industry.

Surround and harass.

Springy grass all **beset** with tiny jewel like flowers.

blooming Informal intensifiers.

I didn t learn a **blooming** thing.

cruelly Excessively.

He marries Edgar s sister Isabella and **cruelly** ill treats her.

distressBring into difficulties or distress especially financial hardship.

She was the classic maiden in **distress**.

disturb Destroy the peace or tranquility of.

I am **disturb**ed by the document I have just read.

harry Persistently carry out attacks on (an enemy or an enemy's territory.

He is known to **harry** his staff when he is overworked.

importunate Expressing persistant and earnest entreaty.

Importunate creditors.

intensely With extreme force or strength.

She has the ability to concentrate **intensely** for long periods.

irk Irritate; annoy.

It **irk**s her to think of the runaround she received.

..... Capable of responding to stimuli.

irritable
The seeds have been reputed to help conditions such as irritable bladder.

irritate Make (someone) annoyed or a little angry.

Sprays and polishes can **irritate** dry sensitive skin.

A person who nags someone.

He s always **nag**ging at her for staying out late.

Used in names of other plants with leaves of a similar appearance to those of

nettle the nettle e g dead nettle.

I was only asking Jess said **nettle**d.

offend Cause to feel upset, annoyed, or resentful.

Those activities which **offend** against public order and decency.

Cause distress or anxiety to.

<u>oppress</u>

The government **oppress**es political activists.

An annoyed or irritated mood.

Another **peeve** of mine is these so called reality shows.



persecute Cause to suffer.

No one should be **persecute**d for their religious beliefs.

persistently In a persistent manner; continuously.

The rules are **persistently** flouted.

Annoy persistently.

She constantly **pester**ed him with telephone calls.

Give a decorative effect to a painted surface by applying paint typically of a

rag different colour with a rag.

The deputy **rag**ged the Prime Minister.

ravage Acts of destruction.

The hurricane **ravage**d southern Florida.

rile Make (someone) annoyed or irritated.

He has been **rile**d by suggestions that his Arsenal future is in doubt.

tease Backcomb (hair) in order to make it appear fuller.

I used to **tease** her about being so house proud.

throes Violent pangs of suffering.

He convulsed in his death **throes**.

torment A feeling of intense annoyance caused by being tormented.

The journey must have been a **torment** for them.

Make (someone) feel annoyed, frustrated, or worried, especially with trivial

vex matters.

A **vex**ing problem.

vexation The act of troubling or annoying someone.

The **vexation**s of life under canvas.



