

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

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The synonyms of "Harassment" are: molestation, torment, persecution, badgering, intimidation, bother, annoyance, aggravation, irritation, pressure, force, coercion

Harassment as a Noun

Definitions of "Harassment" as a noun

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

- A feeling of intense annoyance caused by being tormented.
- The act of tormenting by continued persistent attacks and criticism.
- Aggressive pressure or intimidation.





Synonyms of "Harassment" as a noun (12 Words)

aggravation An exasperated feeling of annoyance.

The **aggravation** of her condition resulted from lack of care.

annoyance The feeling or state of being annoyed; irritation.

There was **annoyance** at government interference.

badgering Sturdy carnivorous burrowing mammal with strong claws; widely distributed

in the northern hemisphere.

bother An angry disturbance.

It may seem like too much **bother** to cook just for yourself.

The act of compelling by force of authority.

coercion Our problem cannot be solved by any form of **coercion** but only by

agreement.

The army navy and air force of a country.

The Committee accepted the **force** of this argument.



intimidation The feeling of being intimidated; being made to feel afraid or timid.

The **intimidation** of witnesses and jurors.

irritation A sudden outburst of anger. The minor **irritation**s of life.

The action of pestering or harassing someone in an aggressive or persistent

molestation manner.

He was tried for **molestation** of two young girls.

persecution The act of persecuting (especially on the basis of race or religion.

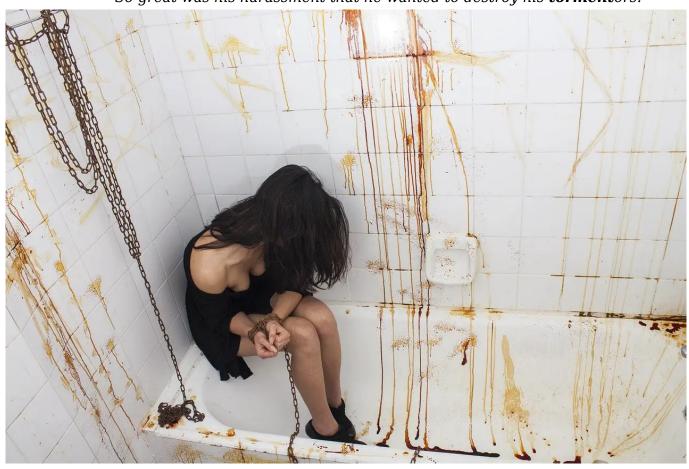
His **persecution** at the hands of other students.

pressureThe pressure exerted by the atmosphere.

Gas can be fed to the turbines at a **pressure** of around 250 psi.

torment A feeling of intense annoyance caused by being tormented.

So great was his harassment that he wanted to destroy his **torment**ors.



Usage Examples of "Harassment" as a noun

• So great was his harassment that he wanted to destroy his tormentors.



• They face daily harassment and assault on the streets.



Associations of "Harassment" (30 Words)

avaricious Immoderately desirous of acquiring e.g. wealth.

They are **avaricious** and will do anything for money.

Take revenge for a perceived wrong.

Avenge He vowed in silent fervour to **avenge** their murders.

browbeat Be bossy towards.

A witness is being **browbeat**en under cross examination.

bully

Be bossy towards.

He did a bully job.

bullying The act of intimidating a weaker person to make them do something.

The expression of dissatisfaction or annoyance about something.

complaining A complaining boss.



defraud Illegally obtain money from (someone) by deception.

She **defraud**ed the customers who trusted her.

The act of making some area of land or water more profitable or productive

exploitation or useful.

Capitalistic **exploitation** of the working class.

fractions Unpredictably difficult in operation; likely to be troublesome.

King Malcolm struggled to unite his **fractious** kingdom.

fretful Nervous and unable to relax.

The baby was crying with a **fretful** whimper.

An act of gloating.

His enemies **gloat**ed over his death.

hector Be bossy towards.

She doesn t **hector** us about giving up things.

The act of intimidating a weaker person to make them do something.

intimidation The election was marred by allegations of government **intimidation** and

vote rigging.

moneylender A person whose business is lending money to others who pay interest.

Habitually complaining.

She became **querulous** and demanding.

The forcible seizure of a foreign subject or their goods as an act of

reprisal retaliation.

The threat of **reprisal**.

retaliate Make a counterattack and return like for like, especially evil for evil.

The blow stung and she **retaliate**d immediately.

The action of harming someone because they have harmed oneself;

retaliation revenge.

roque

The bombings are believed to be in **retaliation** for the trial of 15 suspects.

The act of taking revenge (harming someone in retaliation for something

retribution harmful that they have done) especially in the next life.

Employees asked not to be named saying they feared **retribution**.

Inflict revenge on behalf of someone else.

Other spurned wives have taken public **revenge** on their husbands.

A seedling or plant deviating from the standard variety.

A **roque** elephant.

ruffian A violent criminal or troublemaker.

stigmatize Describe or regard as worthy of disgrace or great disapproval.

Francis **stigmatize**d in fashion as his Lord.



tease Ruffle (one's hair) by combing the ends towards the scalp, for a full effect.

Some think of him as a **tease** who likes to keep others guessing.

Pronounced with relatively tense tongue muscles e g the vowel sound in

tense beat.

Relations between the two neighbouring states were **tense**.

testy Easily irritated or annoyed.

She could see him growing quite **testy** beneath that polished urbanity.

Having or showing no moral principles; not honest or fair.

unscrupulous Unscrupulous landlords might be tempted to harass existing tenants.

The act of taking revenge (harming someone in retaliation for something

vengeance harmful that they have done) especially in the next life-Romans 12:19.

He swore **vengeance** on the man who betrayed him.

victimize Punish unjustly.

I was **victimize**d by this con man.

wreak Avenge (someone who has been wronged.

Torrential rainstorms **wreak**ed havoc yesterday.



