

Need another word that means the same as “heritage”? Find 10 synonyms and 30 related words for “heritage” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Heritage” are: inheritance, birthright, patrimony, tradition, history, background, culture, customs, past, classic**

## Heritage as a Noun

### Definitions of "Heritage" as a noun

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

- *Valued objects and qualities such as historic buildings and cultural traditions that have been passed down from previous generations.*
- *Denoting or relating to things of special architectural, historical, or natural value that are preserved for the nation.*
- *Practices that are handed down from the past by tradition.*
- *Denoting a breed of livestock or poultry that was once traditional to an area but is no longer farmed in large numbers.*
- *That which is inherited; a title or property or estate that passes by law to the heir on the death of the owner.*
- *Property that is or may be inherited; an inheritance.*
- *Hereditary succession to a title or an office or property.*
- *Any attribute or immaterial possession that is inherited from ancestors.*
- *Denoting a traditional brand or product regarded as emblematic of fine craftsmanship.*
- *A special or individual possession; an allotted portion.*
- *(of a plant variety) not hybridized with another; old-fashioned.*
- *Christians, or the ancient Israelites, seen as God's chosen people.*



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

	Low-intensity radiation from radioisotopes present in the natural environment.
<b>background</b>	<i>They got a bad connection and could hardly hear one another over the <b>background</b> signals.</i>
<b>birthright</b>	An inheritance coming by right of birth (especially by primogeniture). <i>Free public education is the <b>birthright</b> of every American child.</i>
<b>classic</b>	An artist who has created classic works. <i>His books have become <b>classics</b>.</i>
<b>culture</b>	A refined understanding or appreciation of culture. <i>The reason that the agency is doomed to inaction has something to do with the FBI <b>culture</b>.</i>
<b>customs</b>	The official department that administers and collects the duties levied by a government on imported goods. <i>A <b>customs</b> officer.</i>
<b>history</b>	The aggregate of past events. <i>Medieval European <b>history</b>.</i>
<b>inheritance</b>	Attributes acquired via biological heredity from the parents. <i>I don't want a penny of your <b>inheritance</b>.</i>
<b>past</b>	A verb tense that expresses actions or states in the past. <i>Forget the <b>past</b>.</i>
<b>patrimony</b>	A church endowment. <i>An organization that saves the world's cultural <b>patrimony</b> by restoring historic buildings.</i>
<b>tradition</b>	An inherited pattern of thought or action. <i>Members of different castes have by <b>tradition</b> been associated with specific occupations.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Heritage" as a noun

- *God's love remains your heritage.*
- *A heritage of freedom.*
- *The world's heritage of knowledge.*
- *They had stolen his grandfather's heritage.*
- *Heritage brands have found a growing cachet among younger customers.*
- *The estuary has a sense of history and heritage.*
- *Europe's varied cultural heritage.*
- *A heritage centre.*
- *Cotswold sheep are considered a heritage breed in Canada.*
- *Heritage roses.*
- *60 miles of heritage coastline.*



## Associations of "Heritage" (30 Words)

- accustomed** Customary; usual.  
*His **accustomed** thoroughness.*
- bequeath** Pass (something) on or leave (something) to someone else.  
*He ditched the unpopular policies **bequeathed** to him.*
- bequest** A gift of personal property by will.  
*A painting acquired by **bequest**.*
- conventional** Rigidly formal or bound by convention.  
***Conventional** bourgeois lives.*
- cultural** Relating to the ideas, customs, and social behaviour of a society.  
*Influenced by ethnic and **cultural** ties.*
- custom** Regular dealings with a shop or business by customers.  
***Custom** demanded that a person should have gifts for the child.*

<b>customary</b>	According to the customs or usual practices associated with a particular society, place, or set of circumstances. <i>It is <b>customary</b> to mark an occasion like this with a toast.</i>
<b>descendants</b>	All of the offspring of a given progenitor.
<b>disinherit</b>	Change one's will or take other steps to prevent (someone) from inheriting one's property. <i>The Duke is seeking to <b>disinherit</b> his eldest son.</i>
<b>dower</b>	Give a dowry to. <i>A <b>dower</b> house.</i>
<b>ethnic</b>	A person who is a member of an ethnic group. <i><b>Ethnic</b> Albanians in Kosovo.</i>
<b>executor</b>	A person who produces something or puts something into effect. <i>The makers and <b>executors</b> of policy.</i>
<b>family</b>	A taxonomic group containing one or more genera. <i>I could not turn him away for he was <b>family</b>.</i>
<b>habitual</b>	Regular; usual. <i>His <b>habitual</b> comment.</i>
<a href="#">heir</a>	A person who inherits some title or office. <i>They saw themselves as <b>heirs</b> of the Cubists.</i>
<b>inheritance</b>	(genetics) attributes acquired via biological heredity from the parents. <i>He came into a comfortable <b>inheritance</b>.</i>
<b>legacy</b>	An amount of money or property left to someone in a will. <i>Being a <b>legacy</b> increased a student's chance of being accepted to a highly selective college by up to 45 per cent.</i>
<b>miscegenation</b>	The interbreeding of people considered to be of different racial types. <i>They believe in <b>miscegenation</b> as the answer to world peace.</i>
<b>mom</b>	Informal terms for a mother. <i>My <b>mom</b> gave us each a slice of pizza.</i>
<b>posterity</b>	The descendants of a person. <i>God offered Abraham a <b>posterity</b> like the stars of heaven.</i>
<b>preservation</b>	The state of being preserved, especially to a specified degree. <i>Food <b>preservation</b>.</i>
<b>primeval</b>	(of emotion or behaviour) strongly instinctive and unreasoning. <i>Mile after mile of <b>primeval</b> forest.</i>
<b>primogeniture</b>	The right of succession belonging to the firstborn child, especially the feudal rule by which the whole real estate of an intestate passed to the eldest son.

<b>regular</b>	A regular patron. <i>Took his <b>regular</b> morning walk.</i>
<b>renaissance</b>	The revival of learning and culture.
<b>seniority</b>	A privileged position earned by reason of longer service or higher rank. <i>26 archbishops and bishops in order of <b>seniority</b>.</i>
<b>testator</b>	A person who has made a will or given a legacy.
<b>tradition</b>	A doctrine believed to have divine authority though not in the scriptures. <i>Members of different castes have by <b>tradition</b> been associated with specific occupations.</i>
<b>traditional</b>	Consisting of or derived from tradition. <i>The <b>traditional</b> festivities of the Church year.</i>
<b>will</b>	Leave or give by will after one's death. <i>Accidents <b>will</b> happen.</i>

