

Need another word that means the same as “hobby”? Find 16 synonyms and 30 related words for “hobby” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Hobby” are: hobbyhorse, rocking horse, avocation, by-line, pursuit, sideline, spare-time activity, falco subbuteo, pastime, leisure activity, leisure pursuit, leisure interest, amateur interest, diversion, divertissement, enthusiasm

Hobby as a Noun

Definitions of "Hobby" as a noun

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

- *An activity done regularly in one's leisure time for pleasure.*
- *A child's plaything consisting of an imitation horse mounted on rockers; the child straddles it and pretends to ride.*
- *A small horse or pony.*
- *An early type of bicycle without pedals, propelled by pushing the feet against the ground.*
- *Small Old World falcon formerly trained and flown at small birds.*
- *An auxiliary activity.*



Synonyms of "Hobby" as a noun (16 Words)

amateur interest	Someone who pursues a study or sport as a pastime.
avocation	An auxiliary activity. <i>They are basically doctors and negotiators by avocation.</i>
by-line	A line giving the name of the writer of a story or article.
<u>diversion</u>	The action of reallocating something. <i>The diversion of resources from defence to civil research.</i>
divertissement	A minor entertainment or diversion. <i>The intellectual divertissements of working men.</i>
enthusiasm	Something that arouses enthusiasm. <i>Enthusiasm for his program is growing.</i>
falco subbuteo	Small Old World falcon formerly trained and flown at small birds.
hobbyhorse	A topic to which one constantly reverts. <i>Don't get him started on his hobbyhorse.</i>
leisure activity	Time available for ease and relaxation.
leisure interest	Freedom to choose a pastime or enjoyable activity.

leisure pursuit	Time available for ease and relaxation.
pastime	An activity that someone does regularly for enjoyment rather than work; a hobby. <i>Sailing is her favorite pastime.</i>
pursuit	The action of the eye in following a moving object. <i>A whole range of leisure pursuits.</i>
rocking horse	A lump or mass of hard consolidated mineral matter.
sideline	The area immediately outside either sideline as a place for non players substitutes or spectators. <i>Electronic handbooks are a lucrative sideline for the firm.</i>
spare-time activity	A process existing in or produced by nature (rather than by the intent of human beings).



Usage Examples of "Hobby" as a noun

- *Her hobbies are reading and gardening.*



Associations of "Hobby" (30 Words)

amenities	Things that make you comfortable and at ease.
avocation	A hobby or minor occupation. <i>They are basically doctors and negotiators by avocation.</i>
bagatelle	Something of little value or significance. <i>Dealing with these boats was a mere bagatelle for the world's oldest yacht club.</i>
basketball	The inflated ball used in basketball.
bingo	A game in which numbered balls are drawn at random and players cover the corresponding numbers on their cards. <i>A bingo hall.</i>
bonanza	An especially rich vein of precious ore. <i>A bonanza year for the computer industry.</i>
boxing	The enclosure of something in a package or box.

championship	The position or title of the winner of a championship contest. <i>Alan s championship of his estranged wife.</i>
chess	A board game for two players who move their 16 pieces according to specific rules; the object is to checkmate the opponent's king.
collector	The region in a bipolar transistor that absorbs charge carriers. <i>The ticket collector closed the gates.</i>
dice	Play dice. <i>Cut the meat into dice.</i>
entertainment	An activity that is diverting and that holds the attention. <i>Everyone just sits in front of the television for entertainment.</i>
gambling	The act of playing for stakes in the hope of winning (including the payment of a price for a chance to win a prize). <i>His gambling cost him a fortune.</i>
interest	The selfish pursuit of one s own welfare self interest. <i>He counts reading among his interests.</i>
intrigue	Form intrigues for in an underhand manner. <i>Henry and Louis intrigued with the local nobles.</i>
leisure	Use of free time for enjoyment. <i>He lacked the leisure for golf.</i>
marvel	Express astonishment or surprise about something. <i>The marvels of technology.</i>
numismatist	A collector and student of money (and coins in particular).
pastime	A diversion that occupies one's time and thoughts (usually pleasantly). <i>His favourite pastimes were shooting and golf.</i>
pentathlon	An athletic event comprising five different events for each competitor in particular also modern pentathlon an event involving fencing shooting swimming riding and cross country running.
philatelist	A collector and student of postage stamps.
philately	The collection and study of postage stamps.
play	Play a role or part. <i>Play families are arranged in play houses.</i>
pursuit	A cycling race in which competitors set off from different parts of a track and attempt to overtake one another. <i>They criticized the boy for his limited pursuits.</i>
rebus	A puzzle where you decode a message consisting of pictures representing syllables and words.

- recreation** An activity that diverts or amuses or stimulates.
*She rides for **recreation**.*
- repeatedly** Over and over again; constantly.
*They have been warned **repeatedly** with no effect.*
- stadium** An ancient Roman or Greek measure of length about 185 metres originally the length of a stadium.
- tournament** A modern event involving display of military techniques and exercises.
*The Royal **Tournament**.*
- winning** Succeeding with great difficulty.
*He went to collect his **winnings**.*

