

Need another word that means the same as “hood”? Find 17 synonyms for “hood” in this overview.

Table Of Contents:

- [Hood as a Noun](#)
- [Definitions of "Hood" as a noun](#)
- [Synonyms of "Hood" as a noun \(17 Words\)](#)
- [Usage Examples of "Hood" as a noun](#)

**The synonyms of “Hood” are: cap, bonnet, cowl, cowling, goon, hoodlum, punk, strong-armed, thug, tough, toughie, exhaust hood, lens hood, head covering, snood, scarf, head scarf**

## Hood as a Noun

### Definitions of "Hood" as a noun

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

- *A covering for the head and neck with an opening for the face, typically forming part of a coat or cloak.*
- *The hinged metal canopy covering the engine of a motor vehicle; the bonnet.*
- *A tubular attachment used to keep stray light out of the lens of a camera.*
- *A leather covering for a hawk's head.*
- *Protective covering consisting of a metal part that covers the engine.*
- *A canopy to protect users of machinery or to remove fumes from it.*
- *A neighborhood.*
- *(slang) a neighborhood.*
- *A large hood-shaped piece of fabric, typically trimmed with fur or a similar material, worn over the shoulders of a university gown or a surplice to indicate the wearer's degree.*
- *A headdress that protects the head and face.*
- *A thing resembling a hood in shape or use.*
- *The folding roof of a carriage.*
- *An aggressive and violent young criminal.*

- *A structure or marking resembling a hood on the head or neck of an animal.*
- *(falconry) a leather covering for a hawk's head.*
- *The upper part of the flower of a plant such as a dead-nettle.*
- *A leather covering for a hawk's head.*
- *Metal covering leading to a vent that exhausts smoke or fumes.*
- *A protective covering that is part of a plant.*
- *An expandable part or marking that resembles a hood on the head or neck of an animal.*
- *A folding waterproof cover of a car, pram, etc.*
- *(zoology) an expandable part or marking that resembles a hood on the head or neck of an animal.*



## Synonyms of "Hood" as a noun (17 Words)

<b>bonnet</b>	An additional canvas laced to the foot of a sail to catch more wind.
<b>cap</b>	A player to whom a cap is awarded. <i>They established a <b>cap</b> for prices.</i>
<b>cowl</b>	A monk's hooded, sleeveless habit. <i>The mechanic removed the <b>cowling</b> in order to repair the plane s engine.</i>
<b>cowling</b>	Protective covering consisting of a metal part that covers the engine. <i>The mechanic removed the <b>cowling</b> in order to repair the plane s engine.</i>
<b>exhaust hood</b>	Gases ejected from an engine as waste products.
<b>goon</b>	A violent, aggressive person who is hired to intimidate or harm people. <i>He hired <b>goons</b> to hunt down supporters.</i>
<b>head covering</b>	A tiny electromagnetic coil and metal pole used to write and read magnetic patterns on a disk.
<b>head scarf</b>	The part in the front or nearest the viewer.
<b>hoodlum</b>	A violent criminal or troublemaker; a hooligan or gangster. <i>They were the professional gangsters of New York <b>hoodlums</b> and racketeers.</i>
<b>lens hood</b>	A tubular attachment used to keep stray light out of the lens of a camera.
<b>punk</b>	A teenager or young adult who is a performer or enthusiast of punk rock and a member of the punk youth subculture. <i>He determined to be made into no one s <b>punk</b>.</i>
<a href="#"><u>scarf</u></a>	A length or square of fabric worn around the neck or head. <i>A silk <b>scarf</b>.</i>
<b>snood</b>	An ornamental net in the shape of a bag that confines a woman's hair; pins or ties at the back of the head. <i>A bit of silver paper wrapped on the <b>snood</b> often triggers a bite.</i>
<b>strong-armed</b>	An aggressive and violent young criminal.
<a href="#"><u>tough</u></a>	A cruel and brutal fellow. <i>A gang of <b>toughs</b>.</i>
<b>toughie</b>	A person who is tough and determined. <i>She was a <b>toughie</b> on the phone.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Hood" as a noun

- *A jacket with a detachable hood.*
- *The hood of a rearing cobra.*
- *There are powerful engines under the hoods of new cars.*

