

Need another word that means the same as “hooligan”? Find 14 synonyms for “hooligan” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Hooligan” are: bully, roughneck, rowdy, ruffian, tough, yob, yobbo, yobo, hoodlum, thug, lout, delinquent, vandal, troublemaker

Hooligan as a Noun

Definitions of "Hooligan" as a noun

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

- *A violent young troublemaker, typically one of a gang.*
- *A cruel and brutal fellow.*



Synonyms of "Hooligan" as a noun (14 Words)

bully	A person who habitually seeks to harm or intimidate those whom they perceive as vulnerable. <i>He is a ranting domineering bully.</i>
delinquent	A delinquent person. <i>Juvenile delinquents.</i>
hoodlum	An aggressive and violent young criminal. <i>A bunch of hoodlums just looking for trouble.</i>
lout	An uncouth and aggressive man or boy. <i>Drunken louts.</i>
roughneck	An oil rig worker. <i>The usual roughnecks and gangsters.</i>
rowdy	A cruel and brutal fellow. <i>We are accused of being rowdies in the pub.</i>
ruffian	A cruel and brutal fellow.

- tough** Someone who learned to fight in the streets rather than being formally trained in the sport of boxing.
*A gang of **toughs**.*
- troublemaker** A person who habitually causes difficulty or problems, especially by inciting others to defy those in authority.
- vandal** A member of a Germanic people that ravaged Gaul, Spain, Rome (455), and North Africa in the 4th-5th centuries.
*The rear window of the car was smashed by **vandals**.*
- yob** A rude, noisy, and aggressive young person.
- yobo** A cruel and brutal fellow.



Usage Examples of "Hooligan" as a noun

- *Hooligan behaviour.*
- *A drunken hooligan.*

