

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

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**The synonyms of “Intention” are: aim, design, intent, purpose, objective, object, goal, target, end, deliberateness, intentionality, calculation**

## **Intention as a Noun**

### **Definitions of "Intention" as a noun**

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

- *A thing intended; an aim or plan.*
- *A person's plans, especially a man's, in respect to marriage.*
- *An anticipated outcome that is intended or that guides your planned actions.*
- *The action or fact of intending.*
- *Conceptions formed by directing the mind towards an object.*
- *(usually plural) the goal with respect to a marriage proposal.*
- *An act of intending; a volition that you intend to carry out.*
- *The goal with respect to a marriage proposal.*
- *The healing process of a wound.*



## Synonyms of "Intention" as a noun (12 Words)

- aim** The goal intended to be attained (and which is believed to be attainable).  
*He took **aim** and fired.*
- calculation** A mathematical determination of the amount or number of something.  
*Finding ways of saving money involves complicated **calculations**.*
- deliberateness** The trait of thoughtfulness in action or decision.
- design** A plan or drawing produced to show the look and function or workings of a building, garment, or other object before it is made.  
*The appearance of **design** in the universe.*
- end** The person who plays at one end of the line of scrimmage.  
*The **end** of town.*
- goal** An instance of sending the ball into or over the goal especially as a unit of scoring in a game.  
*He achieved his **goal** of becoming King of England.*

<b>intent</b>	Intention or purpose. <i>A real <b>intent</b> to cut back on social programmes.</i>
<b>intentionality</b>	The fact of being deliberate or purposive.
<b>object</b>	A noun or noun phrase governed by an active transitive verb or by a preposition. <i>He was dragging a large <b>object</b>.</i>
<b>objective</b>	The objective case. <i>The system has achieved its <b>objective</b>.</i>
<b>purpose</b>	The quality of being determined to do or achieve something firmness of purpose. <i>State pensions are considered as earned income for tax <b>purposes</b>.</i>
<b><u>target</u></b>	The location of the target that is to be hit. <i>A military <b>target</b>.</i>



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## Usage Examples of "Intention" as a noun

- *If his intentions aren't honourable, I never want to see him again.*
- *My intention changed once I saw her.*
- *She was full of good intentions.*
- *Intention is just one of the factors that will be considered.*
- *His intentions are entirely honorable.*
- *Good intentions are not enough.*
- *He announced his intention to stand for re-election.*



## Associations of "Intention" (30 Words)

**abhor**

Find repugnant.  
He **abhorred** sexism in every form.

<b>abhorrence</b>	Hate coupled with disgust. <i>The thought of marrying him filled her with <b>abhorrence</b>.</i>
<b>abomination</b>	A person who is loathsome or disgusting. <i>Concrete <b>abominations</b> masquerading as hotels.</i>
<b>aim</b>	Propose or intend. <i>We should <b>aim</b> for free and fair competition.</i>
<b>anathema</b>	A strong curse. <i>The sergeant clutched the ruined communicator muttering <b>anathemas</b>.</i>
<b>animus</b>	A feeling of ill will arousing active hostility. <i>The author s <b>animus</b> towards her.</i>
<b>aversion</b>	The act of turning yourself (or your gaze) away. <i>My dog s pet <b>aversion</b> is visitors particularly males.</i>
<b>condemnation</b>	An appeal to some supernatural power to inflict evil on someone or some group. <i>He deserved nothing but <b>condemnation</b>.</i>
<b>designed</b>	Planned or conceived in detail or for a specific purpose. <i>Games <b>designed</b> for all ages.</i>
<b>detest</b>	Dislike intensely. <i>She <b>detests</b> politicians.</i>
<b>detestation</b>	Intense dislike. <i>Wordsworth s <b>detestation</b> of aristocracy.</i>
<b>dislike</b>	Have or feel a dislike or distaste for. <i>I know all his likes and <b>dislikes</b>.</i>
<b>displeasure</b>	The feeling of being displeased or annoyed or dissatisfied with someone or something. <i>Not for worlds would I do aught that might <b>displeasure</b> thee.</i>
<b>execration</b>	The object of cursing or detestation; that which is execrated.
<b>hate</b>	Used politely to express one's regret or embarrassment at doing something. <i>I d <b>hate</b> to live there.</i>
<b>hatred</b>	The emotion of intense dislike; a feeling of dislike so strong that it demands action. <i>His murderous <b>hatred</b> of his brother.</i>
<b>intended</b>	Planned or meant. <i>The <b>intended</b> victim escaped.</i>
<b>intentionality</b>	The quality of mental states (e.g. thoughts, beliefs, desires, hopes) which consists in their being directed towards some object or state of affairs.

<b>knowingly</b>	With full knowledge and deliberation. <i>Amy looked at me <b>knowingly</b>.</i>
<b>loathing</b>	A feeling of intense dislike or disgust; hatred. <i>The thought filled him with <b>loathing</b>.</i>
<b>objective</b>	The objective case. <i>An <b>objective</b> example.</i>
<b>odium</b>	Hate coupled with disgust. <i>He incurred widespread <b>odium</b> for military failures and government corruption.</i>
<b>opportunist</b>	Opportunistic. <i>Most burglaries are committed by casual <b>opportunists</b>.</i>
<b>purpose</b>	The quality of being determined to do or achieve something firmness of purpose. <i>The <b>purpose</b> of the meeting is to appoint a trustee.</i>
<b>purposely</b>	With intention; in an intentional manner. <i>She had <b>purposely</b> made it difficult.</i>
<b>reconfirm</b>	Confirm again. <i>You must <b>reconfirm</b> your flight reservations.</i>
<b>repellent</b>	A compound with which fabrics are treated to repel water. <i>The idea of eating meat is <b>repellent</b> to me.</i>
<b>spontaneous</b>	Happening or arising without apparent external cause. <i>The <b>spontaneous</b> mechanical activity of circular smooth muscle.</i>
<b>umbrage</b>	A feeling of anger caused by being offended. <i>She took <b>umbrage</b> at his remarks.</i>
<b>willful</b>	Done by design. <i><b>Willful</b> disobedience.</i>

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