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**The synonyms of “Island” are: isle, islet**

## **Island as a Noun**

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

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

- *A traffic island.*
- *A detached portion of tissue or group of cells.*
- *A piece of land surrounded by water.*
- *A thing regarded as resembling an island, especially in being isolated, detached, or surrounded in some way.*
- *A free-standing kitchen unit with a worktop, allowing access from all sides.*
- *A land mass (smaller than a continent) that is surrounded by water.*
- *A zone or area resembling an island.*



## Synonyms of "Island" as a noun (2 Words)

**isle** A small island.  
*Crusoe s fabled **isle**.*

**islet** A portion of tissue structurally distinct from surrounding tissues.



## Usage Examples of "Island" as a noun

- *The island of Crete.*
- *The university is the last island of democracy in this country.*
- *This island nation.*



## Associations of "Island" (30 Words)

<b><u>archipelago</u></b>	A group of many islands in a large body of water. <i>The Indonesian <b>archipelago</b>.</i>
<b>atlantic</b>	The 2nd largest ocean; separates North and South America on the west from Europe and Africa on the east.
<b>atoll</b>	A ring-shaped reef, island, or chain of islands formed of coral.
<b><u>bay</u></b>	Utter in deep prolonged tones. <i>They put him in the sick <b>bay</b>.</i>
<b><u>coast</u></b>	A slope down which sleds may coast. <i>The <b>coast</b> is clear.</i>
<b>coastal</b>	Of or relating to a coast. <i><b>Coastal</b> erosion.</i>
<b>coral</b>	The pinkish red colour of red coral. <i>A <b>coral</b> reef.</i>
<b><u>derelict</u></b>	A ship or other piece of property abandoned by the owner and in poor condition. <i>The barge lay <b>derelict</b> for years.</i>
<b><u>deserted</u></b>	Forsaken by owner or inhabitants. <i><b>Deserted</b> beaches of soft sand.</i>

<b>foreshore</b>	The part of a shore between high- and low-water marks, or between the water and cultivated or developed land.
<b>gulf</b>	A deep inlet of the sea almost surrounded by land, with a narrow mouth. <i>He felt a <b>gulf</b> between himself and his former friends.</i>
<b>insular</b>	Relating to the insula of the brain. <i><b>Insular</b> attitudes toward foreigners.</i>
<b>isle</b>	A small island. <i>Crusoe s fabled <b>isle</b>.</i>
<b>islet</b>	A small island.
<b>isthmus</b>	A cord-like tissue connecting two larger parts of an anatomical structure.
<b>kelp</b>	Large brown seaweeds having fluted leathery fronds. <i>There are several <b>kelps</b> found in the lower zones.</i>
<b>lagoon</b>	A stretch of salt water separated from the sea by a low sandbank or coral reef.
<b>maritime</b>	Bordering on the sea. <i>A <b>maritime</b> museum.</i>
<b>nautical</b>	Relating to or involving ships or shipping or navigation or seamen. <i><b>Nautical</b> charts.</i>
<b>northernmost</b>	Situated farthest north. <i>The <b>northernmost</b> island of the Philippines.</i>
<b><a href="#">ocean</a></b>	The sea. <i>They scramble across the beach to the <b>ocean</b> and plunge into the surf.</i>
<b>offshore</b>	Situated at sea some distance from the shore. <i>Big businesses in most cases pay little or no tax if they are registered <b>offshore</b>.</i>
<b>peninsula</b>	A large mass of land projecting into a body of water.
<b>peninsular</b>	Of or forming or resembling a peninsula. <i>The counties of <b>peninsular</b> Florida.</i>
<b>reef</b>	Reduce a sail by taking in a reef. <i><b>Reef</b> the sailboat s mast.</i>
<b>seabed</b>	The ground under the sea; the ocean floor.
<b>seashore</b>	The land between high- and low-water marks.
<b>seaweed</b>	Large algae growing in the sea or on rocks below the high-water mark. <i><b>Seaweed</b> glistened on the rocks.</i>
<b>shellfish</b>	Shellfish as food. <i>They plied me with enormous platters of fresh <b>shellfish</b>.</i>

**shore**

Serve as a shore to.  
*I made for the **shore**.*

