

Need another word that means the same as “maneuver”? Find 14 synonyms and 30 related words for “maneuver” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Maneuver” are: manoeuvre, play, tactic, tactics, manoeuver, operate, channelise, channelize, direct, guide, head, point, steer**

## Maneuver as a Noun

### Definitions of "Maneuver" as a noun

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

- *A move made to gain a tactical end.*
- *A military training exercise.*
- *A plan for attaining a particular goal.*
- *A deliberate coordinated movement requiring dexterity and skill.*
- *An action aimed at evading an opponent.*



## Synonyms of "Maneuver" as a noun (4 Words)

- manoeuvre** A carefully planned or cunning scheme or action.  
*Snowboarders performed daring **manoeuvres** on precipitous slopes.*
- play** In games or plays or other performances the time during which play proceeds.  
*They gave full **play** to the artist's talent.*
- tactic** An action or strategy carefully planned to achieve a specific end.  
*These are possible tax saving **tactics** to discuss with your accountant.*
- tactics** The branch of military science dealing with detailed maneuvers to achieve objectives set by strategy.



## Usage Examples of "Maneuver" as a noun

- *He made a great maneuver.*



## Maneuver as a Verb

### Definitions of "Maneuver" as a verb

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), "maneuver" as a verb can have the following definitions:

- *Act in order to achieve a certain goal.*
- *Direct the course; determine the direction of travelling.*
- *Perform a movement in military or naval tactics in order to secure an advantage in attack or defense.*



## Synonyms of "Maneuver" as a verb (10 Words)

- channelise** Send from one person or place to another.
- channelize** Send from one person or place to another.  
***Channelize** the country for better transportation.*
- direct** Give directions to point somebody into a certain direction.  
*Put them all in one packet and **direct** them to me.*
- guide** Use as a guide.  
*His life was **guided** by his religious beliefs.*
- head** Shoot or pass the ball with the head.  
*An article **headed** The Protection of Human Life.*
- manoeuvre** Direct the course; determine the direction of travelling.
- manoeuvre** Direct the course; determine the direction of travelling.  
*She tried to **manoeuvre** her trolley round people.*



- operate** (of an armed force) conduct military activities in a specified area.  
*The Prime Minister **operates** a system of divide and rule.*
- point** Mark a psalm text to indicate the points at which the music changes.  
*He twisted and **pointed** his moustache.*
- steer** (of a vehicle, vessel, or aircraft) be guided in a specified direction.  
*He let Lily **steer**.*



## Usage Examples of "Maneuver" as a verb

- *He maneuvered to get the chairmanship.*
- *She maneuvered herself into the directorship.*



## Associations of "Maneuver" (30 Words)

<b>battlefield</b>	A region where a battle is being (or has been) fought. <i><b>Battlefield</b> nuclear weapons.</i>
<b>bearish</b>	Resembling or likened to a bear, typically in being rough, surly, or clumsy. <i>A <b>bearish</b> figure with mutton chop whiskers.</i>
<b>bluff</b>	The act of bluffing in poker deception by a false show of confidence in the strength of your cards. <i>They <b>bluffed</b> their way past the sentries.</i>
<a href="#"><u>calculated</u></a>	(of an action) done with full awareness of the likely consequences. <i>A <b>calculated</b> insult.</i>
<b>cozen</b>	Obtain by deception. <i>He <b>cozened</b> the money out of the old man.</i>
<b>deception</b>	The action of deceiving someone. <i>A range of elaborate <b>deceptions</b>.</i>

<b>feint</b>	Make a deceptive or distracting movement, especially during a fight. <i>A brief <b>feint</b> at the opponent's face.</i>
<b>infiltration</b>	The slow passage of a liquid through a filtering medium. <i>Swelling of the lymph nodes due to <b>infiltration</b> of cancerous cells.</i>
<b>machievellian</b>	A follower of Machiavelli's principles.
<b>obstructionist</b>	Someone who systematically obstructs some action that others want to take.
<b>ouster</b>	A wrongful dispossession. <i><b>Ouster</b> proceedings to remove the husband from the matrimonial home.</i>
<b>plan</b>	A drawing or diagram made by projection on a horizontal plane especially one showing the layout of a building or one floor of a building. <i>Look at the seating <b>plan</b>.</i>
<b>plot</b>	Mark out or allocate (points) on a graph. <i>The <b>plot</b> consists almost entirely of a man and woman falling in love.</i>
<b>ploy</b>	A cunning plan or action designed to turn a situation to one's own advantage. <i>The eternal cross stitch I was set to do before I could indulge my own <b>loys</b>.</i>
<b>project</b>	Project on a screen. <i>A <b>project</b> to build a new power station.</i>
<b>scheme</b>	Arrange according to a colour scheme. <i>Sheila and me were in that gang on the <b>scheme</b>.</i>
<b>steer</b>	The type of steering of a vehicle. <i>He made an attempt to <b>steer</b> the conversation back to Heather.</i>
<b>stratagem</b>	An elaborate or deceitful scheme contrived to deceive or evade. <i>A series of devious <b>stratagems</b>.</i>
<b>strategically</b>	With regard to strategy. <i><b>Strategically</b> important ports.</i>
<b>strategy</b>	A plan of action designed to achieve a long-term or overall aim. <i>Time to develop a coherent economic <b>strategy</b>.</i>
<b>swindle</b>	The act of swindling by some fraudulent scheme. <i>A businessman <b>swindled</b> investors out of millions of pounds.</i>
<b>tactic</b>	A plan for attaining a particular goal. <i>The minority attempted to control the Council by a delaying <b>tactic</b>.</i>
<b>tactical</b>	Of or pertaining to tactic or tactics. <i>NATO already has about 7 000 <b>tactical</b> nuclear weapons in Europe.</i>



<b>tactician</b>	A person who uses a carefully planned strategy to achieve a specific end. <i>A brilliant political <b>tactician</b>.</i>
<b>tactics</b>	The branch of military science dealing with detailed maneuvers to achieve objectives set by strategy.
<b>transition</b>	Undergo or cause to undergo a process or period of transition. <i>He began the <b>transition</b> from female to male in the 10th grade.</i>
<u><b>trend</b></u>	A topic that is the subject of many posts on a social media website or application within a short period of time. <i>The <b>trend</b> of the stock market.</i>
<b>trick</b>	A cunning or deceitful action or device. <i>She had a <b>trick</b> of clipping off certain words and phrases.</i>
<u><b>unbeatable</b></u>	Hard to defeat. <i>Views from the patio are <b>unbeatable</b>.</i>
<u><b>warfare</b></u>	The waging of armed conflict against an enemy. <i>Diplomatic <b>warfare</b>.</i>

