

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

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The synonyms of "Perpetrate" are: commit, pull, carry out, perform, execute, do, effect, bring about, be guilty of, be to blame for, be responsible for, accomplish, inflict, wreak

## Perpetrate as a Verb

#### **Definitions of "Perpetrate" as a verb**

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "perpetrate" as a verb can have the following definitions:

- Perform an act, usually with a negative connotation.
- Carry out or commit (a harmful, illegal, or immoral action.

#### Synonyms of "Perpetrate" as a verb (14 Words)

<u>accomplish</u>	Achieve or complete successfully. Once this form has been <b>accomplish</b> ed the applicant needs to secure supporting documents.
be guilty of	Be priced at.
be responsible for	Work in a specific place, with a specific subject, or in a specific function.
be to blame for	To remain unmolested, undisturbed, or uninterrupted — used only in infinitive form.
bring about	Be accompanied by.
carry out	Be able to feed.



<u>commit</u>	Refer a parliamentary or legislative bill to a committee. They were reluctant to <b>commit</b> themselves to an opinion.
do	Get something done. <i>He s <b>do</b>ing bistro food.</i>
effect	Act so as to bring into existence. <i>Effect</i> a change.
execute	Perform (a skilful action or manoeuvre. Not only does she <b>execute</b> embroideries she designs them too.
<u>inflict</u>	Impose something unpleasant. They <b>inflict</b> ed serious injuries on three other men.
perform	Perform a function. Horowitz is <b>perform</b> ing at Carnegie Hall tonight.
pull	Cause to move by pulling. <b>Pull</b> your knees towards your chin.
wreak	Avenge (someone who has been wronged. Torrential rainstorms <b>wreak</b> ed havoc yesterday.

### Usage Examples of "Perpetrate" as a verb

- Perpetrate a crime.
- A crime has been perpetrated against a sovereign state.

# Associations of "Perpetrate" (30 Words)

adultery	Voluntary sexual intercourse between a married person and a person who is not their spouse. <i>She was committing <b>adultery</b> with a much younger man.</i>
cheat	An act of cheating a fraud or deception. She <b>cheat</b> ed death in a spectacular crash.
cheating	Violating accepted standards or rules.
<u>chicanery</u>	The use of tricks to deceive someone (usually to extract money from them. <i>Storylines packed with political chicanery.</i>
<u>collusion</u>	Collusion between ostensible opponents in a lawsuit. <i>The armed forces were working in <b>collusion</b> with drug traffickers.</i>



complicity	The fact or condition of being involved with others in an activity that is unlawful or morally wrong. They were accused of <b>complicity</b> in the attempt to overthrow the government.
<u>conspiracy</u>	The action of plotting or conspiring. A <b>conspiracy</b> to destroy the government.
conspirator	A member of a conspiracy. <b>Conspirator</b> s had planned to seize the state.
<u>conspire</u>	(of events or circumstances) seem to be working together to bring about a particular negative result. Everything <b>conspire</b> s to exacerbate the situation.
cozen	Act with artful deceit. He <b>cozen</b> ed the money out of the old man.
<u>deceit</u>	The act of deceiving. A series of lies and <b>deceit</b> s.
deceive	Be sexually unfaithful to (one's regular partner. The insurance company <b>deceive</b> d me when they told me they were covering my house.
deception	An illusory feat; considered magical by naive observers. A range of elaborate <b>deception</b> s.
<u>deceptive</u>	Giving an appearance or impression different from the true one; misleading. <i>He put the question with deceptive casualness.</i>
delude	Make (someone) believe something that is not true. Too many theorists have <b>delude</b> d the public.
embezzlement	The fraudulent appropriation of funds or property entrusted to your care but actually owned by someone else. <i>Charges of fraud and embezzlement.</i>
fraud	Intentional deception resulting in injury to another person. Prosecutions for social security <b>fraud</b> s.
<u>hoax</u>	Subject to a playful hoax or joke. A <b>hoax</b> 999 call.
hoodwink	Influence by slyness. Staff were <b>hoodwink</b> ed into thinking the cucumber was a sawn off shotgun.
humbug	Deceptive or false talk or behaviour. She was always ready to help him provided he didn t <b>humbug</b> .



illegality	Unlawfulness by virtue of violating some legal statute. Proceedings will be required to establish the <b>illegality</b> of the act.
liar	A person who tells lies. <i>The man was a notorious <b>liar</b>.</i>
peculation	The fraudulent appropriation of funds or property entrusted to your care but actually owned by someone else.
phony	Fraudulent; having a misleading appearance.
pseudo	(often used in combination) not genuine but having the appearance of. A <b>pseudo</b> esthete.
scam	A dishonest scheme; a fraud. A guy that <b>scam</b> s old pensioners out of their savings.
scandal	Rumour or malicious gossip about scandalous events or actions. I know that you would want no <b>scandal</b> attached to her name.
<u>suspicion</u>	A feeling or thought that something is possible, likely, or true. A <b>suspicion</b> of a smile.
swindle	Deprive of by deceit. A businessman <b>swindle</b> d investors out of millions of pounds.
swindler	A person who uses deception to deprive someone of money or possessions. <i>He used his charm to become a small time <b>swindler</b>.</i>