

Need another word that means the same as “prank”? Find 16 synonyms for “prank” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Prank” are: antic, caper, joke, put-on, trick, buffoonery, clowning, frivolity, harlequinade, jape, piece of mischief, escapade, stunt, jape, game, hoax**

## Prank as a Noun

### Definitions of "Prank" as a noun

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

- *Acting like a clown or buffoon.*
- *A ludicrous or grotesque act done for fun and amusement.*
- *A practical joke or mischievous act.*



## Synonyms of "Prank" as a noun (16 Words)

<b>antic</b>	A ludicrous or grotesque act done for fun and amusement.
<b>buffoonery</b>	Acting like a clown or buffoon. <i>The film is full of wordplay and <b>buffoonery</b>.</i>
<b>caper</b>	Any of numerous plants of the genus Capparis. <i>She did a little <b>caper</b> or dance.</i>
<b>clowning</b>	A comic incident or series of incidents.
<b><u>escapade</u></b>	An act or incident involving excitement, daring, or adventure. <i>He told of their <b>escapade</b> with a borrowed truck.</i>
<b>frivolity</b>	Acting like a clown or buffoon. <i>A night of fun and <b>frivolity</b>.</i>
<b>game</b>	A score of 100 points for tricks bid and made the best of three games constituting a rubber. <i>For him life is all fun and <b>games</b>.</i>

- harlequinade** Acting like a clown or buffoon.
- hoax** A humorous or malicious deception.  
*A **hoax** 999 call.*
- jape** A practical joke.  
*The childish **jape** of depositing a stink bomb in her locker.*
- japery** Acting like a clown or buffoon.
- joke** A triviality not to be taken seriously.  
*Public transport is a **joke**.*
- piece of mischief** An instance of some kind.
- put-on** A composition that imitates or misrepresents somebody's style, usually in a humorous way.
- stunt** A difficult or unusual or dangerous feat; usually done to gain attention.
- trick** (card games) in a single round, the sequence of cards played by all the players; the high card is the winner.  
*She had a **trick** of clipping off certain words and phrases.*



## Usage Examples of "Prank" as a noun

- *The tapestry was stolen as part of a drunken student prank.*

