

Need another word that means the same as “prevail”? Find 65 synonyms and 30 related words for “prevail” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Prevail” are: triumph, hold, obtain, dominate, predominate, reign, rule, die hard, endure, persist, run, win, win out, win through, be victorious, be the victor, gain the victory, carry the day, carry all before one, finish first, come out ahead, come out on top, succeed, prove superior, conquer, overcome, achieve mastery, gain mastery, gain ascendancy, exist, be in existence, be present, be the case, occur, be prevalent, be current, be rife, be rampant, be the order of the day, be customary, be established, be common, be widespread, be in force, be in effect, general, mainstream, persuade, induce, talk someone into, coax, convince, make, get, press someone into, win someone over, sway, bring someone round, argue someone into, urge, pressure someone into, bring pressure to bear on, coerce, influence, prompt**

## Prevail as a Verb

### Definitions of "Prevail" as a verb

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

- *Be larger in number, quantity, power, status or importance.*
- *Prove superior.*
- *Use persuasion successfully.*
- *Be valid, applicable, or true.*
- *Be widespread or current in a particular area or at a particular time.*
- *Persuade (someone) to do something.*
- *Prove more powerful or superior.*

- *Continue to exist.*

## Synonyms of "Prevail" as a verb (65 Words)

<b>achieve mastery</b>	To gain with effort.
<b>argue someone into</b>	Give evidence of.
<b>be common</b>	Have life, be alive.
<b>be current</b>	Be priced at.
<b>be customary</b>	Spend or use time.
<b>be established</b>	Be identical or equivalent to.
<b>be in effect</b>	Have an existence, be extant.
<b>be in existence</b>	Have life, be alive.
<b>be in force</b>	Happen, occur, take place.
<b>be present</b>	Be identical to; be someone or something.
<b>be prevalent</b>	Work in a specific place, with a specific subject, or in a specific function.
<b>be rampant</b>	Be identical to; be someone or something.
<b>be rife</b>	To remain unmolested, undisturbed, or uninterrupted — used only in infinitive form.
<b>be the case</b>	Happen, occur, take place.
<b>be the order of the day</b>	Be identical or equivalent to.
<b>be the victor</b>	Represent, as of a character on stage.
<b>be victorious</b>	Be priced at.
<b>be widespread</b>	Spend or use time.
<b>bring pressure to bear on</b>	Take something or somebody with oneself somewhere.
<b>bring someone round</b>	Be sold for a certain price.
<b>carry all before one</b>	Continue or extend.
<b>carry the day</b>	Pass on a communication.
<b><u>coax</u></b>	Obtain something from (someone) by gentle and persistent persuasion. <i>He was <b>coaxing</b> me to walk a bit further.</i>
<b><u>coerce</u></b>	Obtain (something) from someone by using force or threats. <i>Their confessions were allegedly <b>coerced</b> by torture.</i>
<b>come out ahead</b>	Come forth.

<b>come out on top</b>	Have a certain priority.
<b>conquer</b>	To put down by force or authority. <b>Conquer</b> your fears.
<b><u>convince</u></b>	Cause (someone) to believe firmly in the truth of something. She <b>convinced</b> my father to branch out on his own.
<b>die hard</b>	Pass from physical life and lose all bodily attributes and functions necessary to sustain life.
<b>dominate</b>	Have dominance or the power to defeat over. The company <b>dominates</b> the market for operating system software.
<b><u>endure</u></b>	Last and be usable. The new secretary had to <b>endure</b> a lot of unprofessional remarks.
<b>exist</b>	Have an existence be extant. A minority of people <b>exist</b> on unemployment benefit alone.
<b>finish first</b>	Cause to finish a relationship with somebody.
<b>gain ascendancy</b>	Increase or develop.
<b>gain mastery</b>	Rise in rate or price.
<b>gain the victory</b>	Reach a destination, either real or abstract.
<b><u>general</u></b>	Command as a general. We are <b>generaled</b> by an incompetent.
<b>get</b>	Take vengeance on or get even. For someone used to the tiny creatures we <b>get</b> in England it was something of a shock.
<b>hold</b>	Support or hold in a certain manner. The auditorium can t <b>hold</b> more than 500 people.
<b><u>induce</u></b>	Reason or establish by induction. <b>Induce</b> a crisis.
<b>influence</b>	Have and exert influence or effect. Government regulations can <b>influence</b> behaviour but often without changing underlying values and motivations.
<b><u>mainstream</u></b>	Bring into the mainstream. Vegetarianism has been <b>mainstreamed</b> .
<b>make</b>	Make formulate or derive in the mind. Have throw or <b>make</b> a party.
<b>obtain</b>	Be valid, applicable, or true. Adequate insurance cover is difficult to <b>obtain</b> .

<b>occur</b>	(of a thought or idea) come into the mind of. <i>The accident <b>occurred</b> at about 3 30 p m.</i>
<b>overcome</b>	Overcome usually through no fault or weakness of the person that is overcome. <i>She was obviously <b>overcome</b> with excitement.</i>
<b>persist</b>	Be persistent refuse to stop. <i>We are <b>persisting</b> with policies that will create jobs for the future.</i>
<b>persuade</b>	Induce (someone) to do something through reasoning or argument. <i>It wasn't easy but I <b>persuaded</b> him to do the right thing.</i>
<b>predominate</b>	Be the strongest or main element; be greater in number or amount. <i>Small scale producers <b>predominate</b> in the south.</i>
<b>press someone into</b>	To be oppressive or burdensome.
<b>pressure someone into</b>	Exert pressure on someone through threats.
<b>prompt</b>	Give an incentive for action. <i>She <b>prompted</b> me to call my relatives.</i>
<b>prove superior</b>	Provide evidence for.
<b>reign</b>	Have sovereign power. <i>Queen Elizabeth <b>reigns</b> over the UK.</i>
<b>rule</b>	Mark or draw with a ruler. <i>In the jutes section Indus and Pak Jute <b>ruled</b> firm.</i>
<b>run</b>	Of a batsman run from one wicket to the other in scoring or attempting to score a run. <i>The programme was <b>running</b> fifteen minutes late.</i>
<b>succeed</b>	Be the successor (of). <i>It was a mission that could not possibly <b>succeed</b>.</i>
<b>sway</b>	Move or walk in a swinging or swaying manner. <i>Now let the Lord forever reign and <b>sway</b> us as he will.</i>
<b>talk someone into</b>	Express in speech.
<b>triumph</b>	Prove superior. <i>They had no chance of <b>triumphing</b> over the Nationalists.</i>
<b>urge</b>	Recommend (something) strongly. <i>Do try to relax she <b>urged</b>.</i>
<b>win</b>	Be the winner in a contest or competition be victorious. <i>The government is <b>winning</b> the battle against inflation.</i>

<b>win out</b>	Obtain advantages, such as points, etc.
<b>win someone over</b>	Win something through one's efforts.
<b>win through</b>	Win something through one's efforts.

## Usage Examples of "Prevail" as a verb

- *The champion prevailed, though it was a hard fight.*
- *A friendly atmosphere prevailed among the crowds.*
- *It is hard for logic to prevail over emotion.*
- *She was prevailed upon to give an account of her work.*
- *He prevailed upon her to visit his parents.*

## Associations of "Prevail" (30 Words)

<b>banal</b>	Repeated too often; overfamiliar through overuse. <i>Songs with <b>banal</b> repeated words.</i>
<b>banality</b>	The fact or condition of being banal; unoriginality. <i>There is an essential <b>banality</b> to the story he tells.</i>
<b>bromide</b>	A sedative preparation containing potassium bromide. <i>Feel good <b>bromides</b> create the illusion of problem solving.</i>
<b>cliche</b>	A trite or obvious remark.
<b>commanding</b>	Possessing or giving superior strength. <i>A man of <b>commanding</b> presence.</i>
<b>common</b>	Common sense. <i>The <b>common</b> gull.</i>
<b>commonplace</b>	A notable passage in a work copied into a commonplace book. <i><b>Commonplace</b> everyday activities.</i>
<b>dogmatic</b>	Of or pertaining to or characteristic of a doctrine or code of beliefs accepted as authoritative. <i>She was not tempted to be <b>dogmatic</b> about what she believed.</i>
<b>dominance</b>	The predominance of one or more species in a plant or animal community. <i>Her apparent <b>dominance</b> of her husband was really her attempt to make him pay attention to her.</i>
<b>dominant</b>	A dominant trait or gene. <i>They are now in an even more <b>dominant</b> position in the market.</i>
<b>dominate</b>	Be in control. <i>Her husband completely <b>dominates</b> her.</i>

<b>general</b>	The general public. <i>General symptoms.</i>
<b>hackneyed</b>	Repeated too often; overfamiliar through overuse. <i>Hackneyed old sayings.</i>
<b>nationwide</b>	Extending or reaching throughout a whole nation. <i>A nationwide hunt.</i>
<b>normal</b>	Conforming with or constituting a norm or standard or level or type or social norm not abnormal. <i>A perfectly normal child.</i>
<b>omnipresent</b>	Widely or constantly encountered; widespread. <i>The omnipresent threat of natural disasters.</i>
<b>ordinary</b>	A member of the clergy, such as an archbishop in a province or a bishop in a diocese, with immediate jurisdiction. <i>Not out of the ordinary.</i>
<b>pervasive</b>	Spreading or spread throughout. <i>Ageism is pervasive and entrenched in our society.</i>
<b>platitude</b>	A trite or obvious remark. <i>She began uttering liberal platitudes.</i>
<b>predominate</b>	Be the strongest or main element; be greater in number or amount. <i>Hispanics predominate in this neighborhood.</i>
<b>preponderance</b>	A superiority in numbers or amount. <i>A preponderance of lower paid jobs.</i>
<b>prevalence</b>	A superiority in numbers or amount. <i>He was surprised by the prevalence of optimism about the future.</i>
<b>prevalent</b>	Predominant; powerful. <i>The social ills prevalent in society today.</i>
<b>rife</b>	Excessively abundant. <i>Male chauvinism was rife in medicine.</i>
<b>typical</b>	Of a feature that helps to distinguish a person or thing- Curtis Wilkie. <i>The pit is typical of hell.</i>
<b>ubiquitous</b>	Being present everywhere at once. <i>His ubiquitous influence was felt by all the family.</i>
<b>ubiquity</b>	The fact of appearing everywhere or of being very common. <i>The ubiquity of mobile phones means you don't really need a watch.</i>
<b>unexceptional</b>	Not special in any way. <i>A unexceptional incident as can be found in a lawyer's career.</i>

**unremarkable** Found in the ordinary course of events.  
An ***unremarkable*** house.

**widespread** Distributed over a considerable extent.  
There was ***widespread*** support for the war.