

Need another word that means the same as “proprietor”? Find 12 synonyms and 30 related words for “proprietor” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Proprietor” are: owner, possessor, holder, keeper, freeholder, landowner, squire, landlord, landlady, master, mistress, proprietress**

## Proprietor as a Noun

### Definitions of "Proprietor" as a noun

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

- *(law) someone who owns (is legal possessor of) a business.*
- *The owner of a business, or a holder of property.*
- *Someone who owns (is legal possessor of) a business.*

### Synonyms of "Proprietor" as a noun (12 Words)

<b>freeholder</b>	A person who owns the freehold to a piece of land or property. <i><b>Freeholders</b> are usually responsible for the repair and maintenance of the exterior of the building.</i>
<b>holder</b>	A smallholder. <i>I replaced the phone in its <b>holder</b>.</i>
<b>keeper</b>	An animal attendant employed in a zoo. <i>These lakes consistently give up healthy pound size <b>keepers</b>.</i>
<b>landlady</b>	A landlord who is a woman.
<b>landlord</b>	A landowner who leases to others.
<b>landowner</b>	A holder or proprietor of land.

<b>master</b>	Someone who holds a master's degree from an academic institution. <i>He was <b>master</b> of the situation.</i>
<b>mistress</b>	A female head of a household. <i>He asked for the <b>mistress</b> of the house.</i>
<b>owner</b>	(law) someone who owns (is legal possessor of) a business. <i>Who is the <b>owner</b> of that friendly smile.</i>
<b>possessor</b>	A person who owns something or has a particular quality. <i>His father was the <b>possessor</b> of a considerable fortune.</i>
<b>proprietress</b>	A female proprietor.
<b>squire</b>	Young nobleman attendant on a knight. <i>The <b>squire</b> of Radbourne Hall.</i>

## Usage Examples of "Proprietor" as a noun

- *Chinese restaurant proprietors.*
- *By 1640 he was himself the proprietor of a three-hundred-acre tract.*

## Associations of "Proprietor" (30 Words)

<b>aristocrat</b>	A member of the aristocracy. <i>An <b>aristocrat</b> by birth.</i>
<b>chancellor</b>	The British cabinet minister responsible for finance. <i>The Lord <b>chancellor</b> and the judges will consider the application.</i>
<b>chattel</b>	An item of property other than freehold land including tangible goods chattels personal and leasehold interests chattels real.
<b>duke</b>	A nobleman (in various countries) of high rank.
<b>estate</b>	A class or order regarded as forming part of the body politic in particular in Britain one of the three groups constituting Parliament now the Lords spiritual the heads of the Church the Lords temporal the peerage and the Commons They are also known as the three estates. <i>An industrial <b>estate</b>.</i>
<b>fief</b>	A piece of land held under the feudal system.
<b>founder</b>	Break down, literally or metaphorically. <i>The horses <b>foundered</b>.</i>
<b>holder</b>	A smallholder. <i>A British passport <b>holder</b>.</i>

<b>holding</b>	Books, periodicals, magazines, and other material in a library. <i>Commercial property <b>holdings</b>.</i>
<b>host</b>	A person who acts as host at formal occasions makes an introductory speech and introduces other speakers. <i>Atlanta was chosen to be <b>host</b> for the Olympic Games.</i>
<b>hostess</b>	A woman who presents a television or radio programme. <i>The perfect dinner party <b>hostess</b>.</i>
<b>landed</b>	Consisting of or relating to land owned through inheritance. <i>The decline of <b>landed</b> estates.</i>
<b>landholder</b>	A holder or proprietor of land.
<b>landlady</b>	A woman who keeps lodgings, a boarding house, or a pub.
<b>landlord</b>	A man who keeps lodgings, a boarding house, or a pub.
<b>liege</b>	A feudal lord entitled to allegiance and service. <i>One s <b>liege</b> lord.</i>
<b>lord</b>	Make a lord of someone. <i>Our <b>lord</b> the king.</i>
<b>master</b>	Someone who holds a master s degree from academic institution. <i>I m a <b>master</b> of disguise.</i>
<b>nobleman</b>	A man who belongs by rank, title, or birth to the aristocracy; a peer.
<b>overlord</b>	A ruler, especially a feudal lord. <i>The Jews rebelled against their Roman <b>overlords</b>.</i>
<b>own</b>	Have something as one s own possess. <i>Do your <b>own</b> thing.</i>
<b>owner</b>	(law) someone who owns (is legal possessor of) a business. <i>He is the <b>owner</b> of a chain of restaurants.</i>
<b>possessor</b>	A person who owns something. <i>His father was the <b>possessor</b> of a considerable fortune.</i>
<b>property</b>	Shares or investments in property. <i>She wanted Oliver and his <b>property</b> out of her flat.</i>
<b>proprietorship</b>	A business or property, etc., owned by a proprietor. <i>Plenty of new firms especially sole <b>proprietorships</b> don t make money in their first few years of operation.</i>
<b>rancher</b>	A ranch house.
<b>rent</b>	Hold under a lease or rental agreement of goods and services. <i>Let s <b>rent</b> a car.</i>
<b>tenant</b>	Occupy property as a tenant. <i>The landlord can evict a <b>tenant</b> who doesn t pay the rent.</i>

**vassal** A person or country in a subordinate position to another.  
*A **vassal** state of the Ottoman Empire.*

**wealthy** Having an abundant supply of money or possessions of value.  
*The burden of taxation on the **wealthy**.*