

Need another word that means the same as “protector”? Find 21 synonyms and 30 related words for “protector” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Protector” are: defender, guardian, shielder, preserver, bodyguard, guard, champion, watchdog, ombudsman, knight in shining armour, guardian angel, patron, chaperone, escort, keeper, custodian, shield, pad, buffer, cushion, screen**

## Protector as a Noun

### Definitions of "Protector" as a noun

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

- *A person who cares for persons or property.*
- *A regent in charge of a kingdom during the minority, absence, or incapacity of the sovereign.*
- *A person or thing that protects someone or something.*
- *The title of the head of state in England during the later period of the Commonwealth between 1653 and 1659, first Oliver Cromwell (1653-8), then his son Richard (1658-9).*



## Synonyms of "Protector" as a noun (21 Words)

### bodyguard

A group of men who escort and protect some important person.

### buffer

A part of RAM used for temporary storage of data that is waiting to be sent to a device; used to compensate for differences in the rate of flow of data between components of a computer system.

*Family and friends can provide a **buffer** against stress.*

### **champion**

Someone who has won first place in a competition.

*A **champion** hurdler.*

### **chaperone**

One who accompanies and supervises a young woman or gatherings of young people.

***Chaperones** sat at the edge of the dance gossiping and watching.*

### cushion

The layer of air that supports a hovercraft or similar vehicle.

*Comfortable chairs and sofas piled with **cushions**.*

<b><u>custodian</u></b>	One having charge of buildings or grounds or animals. <i>The <b>custodian</b> of the Great Seal in Canada is always the Secretary of State.</i>
<b><u>defender</u></b>	Either member of the partnership that did not win the auction. <i>A determined <b>defender</b> of British interests.</i>
<b>guard</b>	The person who plays the position of guard on a basketball team. <i>He was on <b>guard</b> that night.</i>
<b><u>guardian</u></b>	A person who cares for persons or property. <i>Self appointed <b>guardians</b> of public morality.</i>
<b>guardian angel</b>	A person who cares for persons or property.
<b>keeper</b>	A fish large enough to be kept when caught. <i>I m your friend not your <b>keeper</b>.</i>
<b>knight in shining armour</b>	Originally a person of noble birth trained to arms and chivalry; today in Great Britain a person honored by the sovereign for personal merit.
<b>ombudsman</b>	An official appointed to investigate individuals' complaints against a company or organization, especially a public authority.
<b>pad</b>	A platform from which rockets or space craft are launched. <i>Cricket <b>pads</b>.</i>
<b>patron</b>	A person who gives financial or other support to a person, organization, or cause. <i>We surveyed the plushness of the hotel and its sleek well dressed <b>patrons</b>.</i>
<b>preserver</b>	A substance used to preserve food, wood, or other materials against damage or decay. <i>They are the trusted <b>preservers</b> of law and order and they deserve our respect.</i>
<b><u>screen</u></b>	The data or images displayed on a computer screen. <i>A star of stage and <b>screen</b>.</i>
<b><u>shield</u></b>	A stylized representation of a shield used for displaying a coat of arms. <i>Team captain Ben Hall collected the winners <b>shield</b>.</i>
<b>shielder</b>	A person who cares for persons or property.
<b><u>watchdog</u></b>	A dog kept to guard private property. <i>The consumer <b>watchdog</b> for transport in London.</i>





## Usage Examples of "Protector" as a noun

- *Ear protectors.*
- *The King's uncle became Protector.*
- *A man who became her protector, adviser, and friend.*



## Associations of "Protector" (30 Words)

- angel** In traditional Christian angelology a being of the lowest order of the ninefold celestial hierarchy.  
*You sang like an **angel**.*
- bastion** A natural rock formation resembling a man made bastion.  
*A **bastion** against corruption.*
- citadel** A stronghold into which people could go for shelter during a battle.  
***Citadels** of private economic power.*
- conservancy** The official conservation of trees and soil and rivers etc.  
*From the point of view of nature **conservancy** I d rather see it left unspoilt.*
- convoy** A group of ships or vehicles travelling together, typically one accompanied by armed troops, warships, or other vehicles for protection.  
*The trucks **convoyed** the cars across the battle zone.*



<b>defence</b>	The case presented by or on behalf of the party accused of a crime or being sued in a civil lawsuit. <i>He spoke in <b>defence</b> of a disciplined approach.</i>
<b>defend</b>	Protect or fight for as a champion. <i>Ms Smith will represent the <b>defendant</b>.</i>
<b>defender</b>	(in sport) a player whose task it is to protect their own side's goal. <i>Owen surged between two <b>defenders</b> then drove the ball out of the reach of the goalkeeper.</i>
<b>defensible</b>	Justifiable by argument. <i>A fort with a <b>defensible</b> yard at its feet.</i>
<b>fort</b>	Enclose by or as if by a fortification. <i>The city was guarded by a ring of <b>forts</b>.</i>
<b>fortress</b>	A military stronghold, especially a strongly fortified town. <i>He had proved himself to be a <b>fortress</b> of moral rectitude.</i>
<b>guard</b>	The person who plays the position of guard on a basketball team. <i>The company fiercely <b>guarded</b> its independence.</i>
<b>guardian</b>	A person who cares for persons or property. <i>Self appointed <b>guardians</b> of public morality.</i>
<b>guide</b>	Use as a guide. <i>A tour <b>guide</b>.</i>
<b>helmet</b>	A predatory mollusc with a squat heavy shell, which lives in tropical and temperate seas.
<b>medieval</b>	Resembling or likened to the Middle Ages, especially in being cruel, uncivilized, or primitive. <i>A <b>medieval</b> castle.</i>
<b>parent</b>	Be or act as a parent to a child. <i>Some of the whetstones have been transported up to 400 km from the <b>parent</b> rock.</i>
<b>preclusive</b>	Preventing something from happening; restrictive. <i>Grounds for <b>preclusive</b> intervention.</i>
<b>preserver</b>	A substance used to preserve food, wood, or other materials against damage or decay. <i>You might also want to coat the bottom of the canes with wood <b>preserver</b>.</i>
<b>preventive</b>	Tending to prevent or hinder. <i>Quinine was used as a malaria <b>preventive</b>.</i>
<b>probation</b>	A trial period during which your character and abilities are tested to see whether you are suitable for work or for membership. <i>I went to court and was put on <b>probation</b>.</i>

<b>protect</b>	Restrict access to or use of (data or a memory location). <i>He tried to <b>protect</b> Kelly from the attack.</i>
<b><u>protective</u></b>	Solicitously caring or mindful. <i>As adults we are naturally <b>protective</b> of children.</i>
<b>safeguard</b>	Escort safely. <i>The charity called for tougher <b>safeguards</b> to protect Britain's remaining natural forests.</i>
<b>sentinel</b>	Station a soldier or guard by (a place) to keep watch. <i>A wide course had been roped off and <b>sentinelled</b> with police.</i>
<b>sentry</b>	A person employed to keep watch for some anticipated event. <i>Two men stood <b>sentry</b> on the door every evening.</i>
<b><u>soldier</u></b>	Serve as a soldier. <i>Graham wasn't enjoying this but he <b>soldiered</b> on.</i>
<b>tutelar</b>	Providing protective supervision; watching over or safeguarding. <i><b>Tutelary</b> gods.</i>
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<b>watchman</b>	A guard who keeps watch. <i>A night <b>watchman</b>.</i>

