

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**.*

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

defence	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 defence of a disciplined approach.</i>
defend	Protect or fight for as a champion. <i>Ms Smith will represent the defendant.</i>
defender	(in sport) a player whose task it is to protect their own side's goal. <i>Owen surged between two defenders then drove the ball out of the reach of the goalkeeper.</i>
defensible	Justifiable by argument. <i>A fort with a defensible yard at its feet.</i>
fort	Enclose by or as if by a fortification. <i>The city was guarded by a ring of forts.</i>
fortress	A military stronghold, especially a strongly fortified town. <i>He had proved himself to be a fortress of moral rectitude.</i>
guard	The person who plays the position of guard on a basketball team. <i>The company fiercely guarded its independence.</i>
guardian	A person who cares for persons or property. <i>Self appointed guardians of public morality.</i>
guide	Use as a guide. <i>A tour guide.</i>
helmet	A predatory mollusc with a squat heavy shell, which lives in tropical and temperate seas.
medieval	Resembling or likened to the Middle Ages, especially in being cruel, uncivilized, or primitive. <i>A medieval castle.</i>
parent	Be or act as a parent to a child. <i>Some of the whetstones have been transported up to 400 km from the parent rock.</i>
preclusive	Preventing something from happening; restrictive. <i>Grounds for preclusive intervention.</i>
preserver	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 preserver.</i>
preventive	Tending to prevent or hinder. <i>Quinine was used as a malaria preventive.</i>
probation	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 probation.</i>

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

