

Need another word that means the same as “quarrel”? Find 50 synonyms and 30 related words for “quarrel” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Quarrel” are: dustup, row, run-in, words, wrangle, argument, fight, disagreement, difference of opinion, dissension, altercation, argufy, dispute, scrap, argue, have a fight, have a row, disagree, fail to agree, differ, be at odds, have a misunderstanding, be at variance, fall out, find fault with, fault, criticize, argue against, argue with, object to, be hostile to, censure, condemn, be against, be anti, oppose, be in opposition to, take exception to, attack, take issue with, find lacking, pick holes in, impugn, contradict, rebut, complain about, cavil at, carp at**

## Quarrel as a Noun

### Definitions of "Quarrel" as a noun

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

- *An arrow that is shot from a crossbow; has a head with four edges.*
- *An angry dispute.*
- *A heated argument or disagreement, typically about a trivial issue and between people who are usually on good terms.*
- *A reason for disagreement with a person, group, or principle.*



## Synonyms of "Quarrel" as a noun (10 Words)

### argument

An independent variable associated with a function or proposition and determining its value For example in the expression  $y = F(x)$  the arguments of the function  $F$  are  $x$  and  $x$  and the value is  $y$ .  
*I ve had an **argument** with my father.*

**difference of opinion** The quality of being unlike or dissimilar.

### disagreement

A conflict of people's opinions or actions or characters.  
***Disagreement** between the results of the two assessments.*

### **dissension**

Disagreement that leads to discord.  
*The mill was the cause of a **dissension** in 1620.*

### **dustup**

An angry dispute.

### **fight**

The inclination or ability to fight or struggle.  
*There was **fighting** in the streets.*

### **row**

The act of rowing as a sport.  
*A mackerel sky filled with **rows** of clouds.*

### **run-in**

An angry dispute.

### **words**

Words making up the dialogue of a play.  
*He has a gift for **words**.*

### wrangle

A dispute or argument, typically one that is long and complicated.  
*An insurance **wrangle** is holding up compensation payments.*





## Usage Examples of "Quarrel" as a noun

- *They had a quarrel.*
- *We have no quarrel with the people of the country, only with the dictator.*
- *She made the mistake of picking a quarrel with John.*



## Quarrel as a Verb

### Definitions of "Quarrel" as a verb

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

- *Take exception to or disagree with (something).*
- *Complain or scold someone.*
- *Have a disagreement over something.*
- *Have a heated argument or disagreement.*





## Synonyms of "Quarrel" as a verb (40 Words)

<b>altercate</b>	Dispute or argue noisily and publicly.
<b>argue</b>	Present reasons and arguments. <i>He <b>argued</b> for extra resources.</i>
<b>argue against</b>	Give evidence of.
<b>argue with</b>	Have an argument about something.
<b>argufy</b>	Present reasons and arguments. <i>It won't do to <b>argufy</b> I tell you.</i>
<b>attack</b>	Attack someone physically or emotionally. <i>In February the Germans <b>attacked</b> Verdun.</i>
<b>be against</b>	Have an existence, be extant.
<b>be anti</b>	Have the quality of being; (copula, used with an adjective or a predicate noun.

<b>be at odds</b>	Work in a specific place, with a specific subject, or in a specific function.
<b>be at variance</b>	Spend or use time.
<b>be hostile to</b>	Spend or use time.
<b>be in opposition to</b>	Represent, as of a character on stage.
<b>carp at</b>	Raise trivial objections.
<b>cavil at</b>	Raise trivial objections.
<b>censure</b>	Rebuke formally. <i>The company was heavily <b>censured</b> by inspectors from the Department of Trade.</i>
<b>complain about</b>	Express complaints, discontent, displeasure, or unhappiness.
<b><u>condemn</u></b>	Prove or show to be guilty or unsatisfactory. <i>She could see in his eyes that her stumble had <b>condemned</b> her.</i>
<b><u>contradict</u></b>	Be in contradiction with. <i>He did not <b>contradict</b> what he said last week.</i>
<b>criticize</b>	Indicate the faults of (someone or something) in a disapproving way. <i>The paper <b>criticized</b> the new movie.</i>
<b><u>differ</u></b>	Be of different opinions. <i>These two tests <b>differ</b> in only one respect.</i>
<b><u>disagree</u></b>	(of food, climate, or an experience) have an adverse effect on. <i>The results <b>disagree</b> with the findings reported so far.</i>
<b>dispute</b>	Have a disagreement over something. <i>The estate <b>disputes</b> that it is responsible for the embankment.</i>
<b>fail to agree</b>	Fall short in what is expected.
<b>fall out</b>	Assume a disappointed or sad expression.
<b><u>fault</u></b>	Of a rock formation be broken by a fault or faults. <i>The people of Caesarea <b>faulted</b> greatly when they called King Herod a god.</i>
<b>fight</b>	Fight against or resist strongly. <i>I will <b>fight</b> for a fairer society.</i>
<b>find fault with</b>	Decide on and make a declaration about.
<b>find lacking</b>	Obtain through effort or management.
<b>have a fight</b>	Have a personal or business relationship with someone.
<b>have a misunderstanding</b>	Cause to move; cause to be in a certain position or condition.

<b>have a row</b>	Have as a feature.
<b>impugn</b>	Dispute the truth, validity, or honesty of (a statement or motive); call into question. <i>The father does not <b>impugn</b> her capacity as a good mother.</i>
<b>object to</b>	Be averse to or express disapproval of.
<b>oppose</b>	Set into opposition or rivalry. <i>The board <b>opposed</b> his motion.</i>
<b>pick holes in</b>	Pull lightly but sharply with a plucking motion.
<b>rebut</b>	Prove to be false or incorrect. <i>But he their sharp assault right boldly did <b>rebut</b>.</i>
<b>row</b>	Propel with oars. <i><b>Row</b> the boat across the lake.</i>
<b>scrap</b>	Make into scrap or refuse. <i>A bold decision was taken to <b>scrap</b> existing plant.</i>
<b>take exception to</b>	Serve oneself to, or consume regularly.
<b>take issue with</b>	Make use of or accept for some purpose.







## Usage Examples of "Quarrel" as a verb

- *He will quarrel like hell if he see black pods on the trees.*
- *We quarreled over the question as to who discovered America.*
- *Some people quarrel with this approach.*
- *Stop quarrelling with your sister.*



## Associations of "Quarrel" (30 Words)

### **affray**

An instance of group fighting in a public place that disturbs the peace.  
*A person guilty of **affray**.*

### **altercation**

Noisy quarrel.  
*I had an **altercation** with the ticket collector.*

### **argue**

Give evidence of.  
*She was too tired to **argue** the point.*

<a href="#"><u>argument</u></a>	An independent variable associated with a function or proposition and determining its value For example in the expression $y = F(x)$ the arguments of the function $F$ are $x$ and $x$ and the value is $y$ . <i>The editor added the <b>argument</b> to the poem.</i>
<b>bicker</b>	Argue about petty and trivial matters. <i>The restless wheels whose flashing spokes <b>bicker</b> and burn.</i>
<a href="#"><u>contention</u></a>	Heated disagreement. <i>The captured territory was the main area of <b>contention</b> between the two countries.</i>
<a href="#"><u>contentious</u></a>	(of a person) given to provoking argument. <i>A <b>contentious</b> issue.</i>
<b>contentiousness</b>	An inclination to be quarrelsome and contentious.
<a href="#"><u>controversy</u></a>	A contentious speech act; a dispute where there is strong disagreement. <i>The announcement ended a protracted <b>controversy</b>.</i>
<b>counterattack</b>	Make a counterattack.
<b>debate</b>	Argue with one another. <i>There has been much <b>debate</b> about prices.</i>
<b>declamatory</b>	Vehement or impassioned in expression. <i>A long <b>declamatory</b> speech.</i>
<a href="#"><u>disagreement</u></a>	The speech act of disagreeing or arguing or disputing. <i>There was some <b>disagreement</b> about the details.</i>
<a href="#"><u>discord</u></a>	Lack of agreement or harmony between things. <i>A prosperous family who showed no signs of <b>discord</b>.</i>
<b>discussion</b>	The action or process of talking about something in order to reach a decision or to exchange ideas. <i>We had a good <b>discussion</b>.</i>
<b>disproof</b>	A set of facts that prove that something is untrue. <i>The answer ought to turn on considerations that are susceptible to verification or <b>disproof</b>.</i>
<b>disputatious</b>	Inclined or showing an inclination to dispute or disagree, even to engage in law suits. <i>A <b>disputatious</b> lawyer.</i>
<b>dispute</b>	Coming into conflict with. <i>An industrial <b>dispute</b>.</i>
<a href="#"><u>enthuse</u></a>	Utter with enthusiasm. <i>Public art is a tonic that can <b>enthuse</b> alienated youth.</i>

<b>gainsay</b>	Speak against or oppose (someone). <i>None could <b>gainsay</b> her.</i>
<b>hassel</b>	Norwegian chemist noted for his research on organic molecules (1897-1981).
<b>hotspot</b>	A small area with a relatively high temperature in comparison to its surroundings. <i>Fire engines were required to visit the scene again last night after <b>hotspots</b> appeared to be in danger of re igniting.</i>
<b>impugn</b>	Dispute the truth, validity, or honesty of (a statement or motive); call into question. <i>The father does not <b>impugn</b> her capacity as a good mother.</i>
<b>quarrelsome</b>	Given to or characterized by quarrelling. <i>A moody <b>quarrelsome</b> man.</i>
<b>refutable</b>	Able to be refuted.
<b>refute</b>	Overthrow by argument, evidence, or proof. <i>A spokesman totally <b>refuted</b> the allegation of bias.</i>
<b>rivalry</b>	The act of competing as for profit or a prize. <i>There always has been intense <b>rivalry</b> between the clubs.</i>
<b>row</b>	The act of rowing as a sport. <i>Visualize the subject in the form of a sheet of paper divided into columns and <b>rows</b>.</i>
<b>squabble</b>	A noisy quarrel about something trivial. <i>Family <b>squabbles</b>.</i>
<b>wrangle</b>	A dispute or argument, typically one that is long and complicated. <i><b>Wrangle</b> horses.</i>



