

Need another word that means the same as “renegade”? Find 20 synonyms and 30 related words for “renegade” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Renegade” are: apostate, deserter, ratter, recreant, turncoat, traitor, defector, betrayer, critic, sceptic, questioner, treacherous, traitorous, disloyal, perfidious, treasonous, mutinous, rebellious, rebel

Renegade as a Noun

Definitions of "Renegade" as a noun

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

- *A person who behaves in a rebelliously unconventional manner.*
- *A person who abandons religion; an apostate.*
- *A person who deserts and betrays an organization, country, or set of principles.*
- *Someone who rebels and becomes an outlaw.*
- *A disloyal person who betrays or deserts his cause or religion or political party or friend etc.*



Synonyms of "Renegade" as a noun (11 Words)

- apostate** A person who renounces a religious or political belief or principle.
*After fifty years as an **apostate** he returned to the faith.*
- betrayor** A person who says one thing and does another.
- critic** A person who judges the merits of literary or artistic works, especially one who does so professionally.
***Critics** of the new legislation say it is too broad.*
- defector** A person who has abandoned their country or cause in favour of an opposing one.
*Staff interviewed escapees and **defectors** to the West.*
- deserter** A person who abandons their duty (as on a military post).
***Deserters** from the army.*
- questioner** A person who feels or expresses doubt about something.
*They respond to their **questioners** simply and directly.*
- ratter** Any of several breeds of terrier developed to catch rats.

- recreant** A coward.
*The **recreant** acted with outward boldness.*
- sceptic** A person inclined to question or doubt accepted opinions.
- traitor** A person who says one thing and does another.
*He was a **traitor** to his own class.*
- turncoat** A person who deserts one party or cause in order to join an opposing one.
*They denounced him as a **turncoat**.*



Usage Examples of "Renegade" as a noun

- *An agent who later turns out to be a renegade.*
- *Renegades and Deserters of Heaven, who renounce their God for the Favour of Man.*
- *He was a renegade and social malcontent.*



Renegade as a Verb

Definitions of "Renegade" as a verb

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

- *Become a renegade.*
- *Break with established customs.*

Synonyms of "Renegade" as a verb (1 Word)

rebel Take part in a rebellion renounce a former allegiance.
*As I came over the hill my legs **rebelled** I could walk no further.*

Usage Examples of "Renegade" as a verb

- *Johnson had renegaded from the Confederacy.*

Renegade as an Adjective

Definitions of "Renegade" as an adjective

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), "renegade" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- *Having deserted a cause or principle.*
- *Having treacherously changed allegiance.*
- *Having abandoned one's religious beliefs.*

Synonyms of "Renegade" as an adjective (8 Words)

disloyal	(of a remark or thought) demonstrating a lack of loyalty. <i>She was accused of being disloyal to the government.</i>
mutinous	Wilful or disobedient. <i>The men became mutinous and insubordinate.</i>
perfidious	Tending to betray; especially having a treacherous character as attributed to the Carthaginians by the Romans. <i>The perfidious Judas.</i>
rebellious	Participating in organized resistance to a constituted government. <i>A rebellious crew.</i>
recreant	Lacking even the rudiments of courage; abjectly fearful- Spenser. <i>What a recreant figure must he make.</i>
traitorous	Relating to or characteristic of a traitor; treacherous. <i>When his traitorous actions were discovered he was imprisoned.</i>
treacherous	Tending to betray especially having a treacherous character as attributed to the Carthaginians by the Romans. <i>The fiercest and most treacherous of foes.</i>

treasonous Involving or guilty of the betrayal of someone or something.
*Dropping out of school was considered downright **treasonous**.*

Usage Examples of "Renegade" as an adjective

- A *renegade* bodyguard.
- A *renegade* monk.
- *Renegade* supporters of the usurper.

Associations of "Renegade" (30 Words)

apostate	A person who renounces a religious or political belief or principle. <i>An apostate Roman Catholic.</i>
betray	Be sexually unfaithful to one's partner in marriage. <i>The spy betrayed his country.</i>
betrayal	An act of deliberate betrayal. <i>The betrayal by the king by his daughter.</i>
betrayor	A person who says one thing and does another.
cheat	An act of cheating a fraud or deception. <i>She cheats on her husband.</i>
cheating	A deception for profit to yourself.
deceive	Fail to admit to oneself that something is true. <i>The area may seem to offer nothing of interest but don't be deceived.</i>
defector	A person who has abandoned their country or cause in favour of an opposing one. <i>Staff interviewed escapees and defectors to the West.</i>
disloyal	Deserting your allegiance or duty to leader or cause or principle. <i>Disloyal aides revealed his indiscretions to the papers.</i>
faithless	Disloyal, especially to a spouse or partner. <i>Her faithless lover.</i>
fraud	Something intended to deceive; deliberate trickery intended to gain an advantage. <i>Prosecutions for social security frauds.</i>
fraudulence	The quality of being fraudulent.
infidelity	The quality of being unfaithful. <i>Her infidelity continued after her marriage.</i>

insurgent	Rising in active revolt. <i>An attack by armed insurgents.</i>
perfidious	Tending to betray; especially having a treacherous character as attributed to the Carthaginians by the Romans. <i>The perfidious Judas.</i>
perfidy	An act of deliberate betrayal. <i>It was an example of his perfidy.</i>
quisling	A traitor who collaborates with an enemy force occupying their country. <i>He had the Quisling owner of the factory arrested.</i>
rebel	Take part in a rebellion renounce a former allegiance. <i>Respect did not prevent children from rebelling against their parents.</i>
restive	(of a horse) stubbornly standing still or moving backwards or sideways; refusing to advance. <i>Both their horses became restive at once.</i>
revolt	Take violent action against an established government or ruler; rebel. <i>Voters may revolt when they realize the cost of the measures.</i>
sedition	In opposition to a civil authority or government. <i>The letter was declared sedition.</i>
traitor	A person who says one thing and does another. <i>He was a traitor to his own class.</i>
traitorous	Relating to or characteristic of a traitor; treacherous. <i>A lying traitorous insurrectionist.</i>
treacherous	Tending to betray especially having a treacherous character as attributed to the Carthaginians by the Romans. <i>Treacherous intrigues.</i>
treachery	An act of deliberate betrayal. <i>Many died because of his treachery.</i>
treason	Disloyalty by virtue of subversive behavior. <i>They were convicted of treason.</i>
treasonable	(of an offence or offender) punishable as treason or as committing treason. <i>There was no evidence of treasonable activity.</i>
trick	Liable to fail; defective. <i>He s a double dealer capable of any mean trick.</i>
turncoat	A disloyal person who betrays or deserts his cause or religion or political party or friend etc. <i>They denounced him as a turncoat.</i>

unfaithful

Having sexual relations with someone other than your husband or wife, or your boyfriend or girlfriend.

An ***unfaithful*** reproduction.