

Need another word that means the same as “restricts”? Find 9 synonyms and 30 related words for “restricts” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Restricts” are: control, bound, confine, limit, throttle, trammel, curb, curtail, cut back**

## Restricts as a Verb

### Definitions of "Restricts" as a verb

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

- *Place under restrictions; limit access to.*
- *Place limits on (extent or access).*
- *Place restrictions on.*
- *Make more specific.*
- *Prevent (information) from being circulated or disclosed.*
- *Place limits on (extent or amount or access).*
- *Place under restrictions; limit access to by law.*



### Synonyms of "Restricts" as a verb (9 Words)

- bound** Of an object rebound from a surface.  
*Bullets **bounded** off the veranda.*
- confine** Restrict or confine.  
*You ve **confined** yourself to what you know.*
- control** Exercise authoritative control or power over.  
***Control** your anger.*
- curb** Restrain a horse by means of a curb.  
*She promised she would **curb** her temper.*
- curtail** Terminate or abbreviate before its intended or proper end or its full extent.  
*I that am **curtailed** of this fair proportion.*
- cut back** Hit (a ball) with a spin so that it turns in the opposite direction.
- limit** Restrict or confine within limits.  
*Class sizes are **limited** to a maximum of 10.*

**throttle** Control an engine or vehicle with a throttle.  
*She was sorely tempted to **throttle** him.*

**trammel** Place limits on (extent or access).  
*We have no wish to be **trammelled** by convention.*



### Usage Examples of "Restricts" as a verb

- *That area is restricted to security personnel only.*
- *Restrict the use of this parking lot.*



## Associations of "Restricts" (30 Words)

- boundary** The greatest possible degree of something.  
*A county **boundary**.*
- circumscribe** To draw a geometric figure around another figure so that the two are in contact but do not intersect.  
*The minister's powers are **circumscribed** both by tradition and the organization of local government.*
- confine** Deprive of freedom take into confinement.  
*You've **confined** yourself to what you know.*
- conquer** Overcome by conquest.  
***Conquer** one's desires.*
- constrict** Inhibit or restrict.  
*The fear and the reality of crime **constrict** many people's lives.*
- curb** An edge between a sidewalk and a roadway consisting of a line of curbstones usually forming part of a gutter.  
*Both men were instinctively **curbing** their horses.*

<b>defeat</b>	An instance of defeating or being defeated. <i>She was <b>defeated</b> by the last steep hill.</i>
<b>demarcate</b>	Separate or distinguish from. <i>Art was being <b>demarcated</b> from the more objective science.</i>
<b>detain</b>	Stop or halt. <i>She made to open the door but he <b>detained</b> her.</i>
<b>limit</b>	Place limits on extent or access. <i>A 30 mph <b>limit</b>.</i>
<b>miser</b>	A stingy hoarder of money and possessions often living miserably. <i>A typical <b>miser</b> he hid his money in the house in various places.</i>
<b>oppress</b>	Come down on or keep down by unjust use of one's authority. <i>He was <b>oppressed</b> by some secret worry.</i>
<b>overcome</b>	Overcome usually through no fault or weakness of the person that is overcome. <i>You must <b>overcome</b> all difficulties.</i>
<b>password</b>	A string of characters that allows access to a computer system or service. <i>Each user has a <b>password</b> in order to log on to the network.</i>
<b>periphery</b>	The outer limits or edge of an area or object. <i>New buildings on the <b>periphery</b> of the hospital site.</i>
<b>refrain</b>	The part of a song where a soloist is joined by a group of singers. <i>She <b>refrained</b> from comment.</i>
<b>repress</b>	Subdue (someone or something) by force. <i><b>Repress</b> a cry of fear.</i>
<b>restrain</b>	Prevent (someone or something) from doing something. <i>All front seats must be equipped with seat belts which <b>restrain</b> the upper part of the body.</i>
<b>scrimp</b>	Subsist on a meager allowance. <i>Scratch and <b>scrimp</b>.</i>
<b>skimp</b>	Expend or use less time, money, or material on something than is necessary in an attempt to economize. <i>Don't <b>skimp</b> on insurance when you book your holidays.</i>
<b>stint</b>	Supply sparingly and with restricted quantities. <i><b>Stint</b> with the allowance.</i>
<b>subdue</b>	Hold within limits and control. <i>Charles went on a campaign to <b>subdue</b> the Saxons.</i>
<b>subjugate</b>	Put down by force or intimidation. <i>The rich landowners <b>subjugated</b> the peasants working the land.</i>

**sumptuary** Relating to or denoting laws that limit private expenditure on food and personal items.

***Sumptuary** laws forbidding gambling.*

**suppress** Prevent or inhibit (a process or reaction).

*She could not **suppress** a rising panic.*

**suppression** The conscious inhibition of unacceptable memories, impulses, or desires.

*A **suppression** of the newspaper.*

**surmount** Reach the highest point of.

*The tomb was **surmounted** by a sculptured angel.*

**thrifty** (of livestock or plants) strong and healthy.

*The sheep are vigorous and **thrifty**.*

**transcend** Be greater in scope or size than some standard.

*He doubts that he will ever **transcend** Shakespeare.*

**withhold** Suppress or hold back (an emotion or reaction).

*Her mouth clenched as if **withholding** a cry.*

