

Need another word that means the same as “rustic”? Find 28 synonyms and 30 related words for “rustic” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Rustic” are: bumpkinly, hick, unsophisticated, agrestic, countrified, countryfied, rural, uncultured, unrefined, uncultivated, simple, plain, homely, artless, unassuming, guileless, naive, ingenuous, homespun, countryman, countrywoman, peasant, daughter of the soil, son of the soil, country bumpkin, bumpkin, yokel, country cousin

Rustic as a Noun

Definitions of "Rustic" as a noun

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

- *An unsophisticated country person.*
- *A small brownish European moth.*



Synonyms of "Rustic" as a noun (9 Words)

bumpkin

An unsophisticated or socially awkward person from the countryside.
*She thought Tom a bit of a country **bumpkin**.*

country bumpkin

A particular geographical region of indefinite boundary (usually serving some special purpose or distinguished by its people or culture or geography).

country cousin

A particular geographical region of indefinite boundary (usually serving some special purpose or distinguished by its people or culture or geography).

countryman

A man living or born in a rural area.
*He was a complete **countryman** with a pronounced affinity with nature.*

countrywoman

A woman from the same country as someone else.
*She was a **countrywoman** through and through.*

daughter of the soil

A female human offspring.

peasant

A country person.

Peasant farmers.

son of the soil

A male human offspring.

yokel

A person who is not very intelligent or interested in culture.



Usage Examples of "Rustic" as a noun

- *They paused to watch the rustics dance and carouse.*



Rustic as an Adjective

Definitions of "Rustic" as an adjective

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

- *Characteristic of rural life.*
- *Made of untrimmed branches or rough timber.*
- *Relating to the countryside; rural.*
- *Lacking the sophistication of the city; backward and provincial.*
- *Characteristic of the fields or country.*
- *Made in a plain and simple fashion.*
- *Awkwardly simple and provincial.*
- *Having a simplicity and charm that is considered typical of the countryside.*
- *Denoting freely formed lettering, especially a relatively informal style of handwritten Roman capital letter.*
- *(of masonry) having a rough-hewn or roughened surface or deeply sunk joints.*



Synonyms of "Rustic" as an adjective (19 Words)

agrestic	(of behavior) rustic and uncouth. <i>The agrestic behavior of a country boy.</i>
artless	Without guile or deception. <i>An artless literary masterpiece.</i>
bumpkinly	Characteristic of a bumpkin; unsophisticated, rustic. <i>Bumpkinly country boys.</i>
countrified	Reminiscent or characteristic of the country, especially in being unsophisticated. <i>A countrified cottage garden.</i>
countryfied	Characteristic of rural life.
guileless	Devoid of guile; innocent and without deception. <i>His face once so open and guileless.</i>
hick	Awkwardly simple and provincial. <i>A hick town.</i>

homely	Simple and unpretentious. <i>Homely pleasures.</i>
homespun	Made of cloth spun or woven in the home. <i>A sweater knitted of nubbly homespun yarns.</i>
ingenuous	(of a person or action) innocent and unsuspecting. <i>His ingenuous explanation that he would not have burned the church if he had not thought the bishop was in it.</i>
<u>naive</u>	Of or created by one without formal training simple or naive in style. <i>The rather naive young man had been totally misled.</i>
plain	Not mixed with extraneous elements. <i>Made his meaning plain.</i>
<u>rural</u>	Living in or characteristic of farming or country life. <i>Rural people.</i>
simple	Easy and not involved or complicated. <i>Her black dress simple to austerity.</i>
<u>unassuming</u>	Not arrogant or presuming. <i>He was an unassuming and kindly man.</i>
uncultivated	(of land) not used for growing crops. <i>Uncultivated land.</i>
<u>uncultured</u>	(of persons) lacking art or knowledge. <i>To my uncultured palate most of the wines were good.</i>
<u>unrefined</u>	(used of persons and their behavior) not refined; uncouth. <i>Unrefined ore.</i>
<u>unsophisticated</u>	Not wise in the ways of the world. <i>The nightlife of Montmartre awed the unsophisticated tourists.</i>



Usage Examples of "Rustic" as an adjective

- *A rustic oak bench.*
- *Rustic farmers.*
- *Rustic capitals were much easier to form.*
- *Rustic awkwardness.*
- *You are a rustic halfwit.*
- *The unblemished charm of rustic life has been a perennial source of inspiration for the painter.*
- *A rustic bridge.*
- *Rustic pottery.*
- *Bare plaster walls and terracotta floor give a rustic feel.*
- *Rustic stone walls.*



Associations of "Rustic" (30 Words)

agrarian	Relating to rural matters. <i>Brazil is rapidly diversifying its agrarian economy.</i>
agricultural	Relating to farming or agriculture. <i>An agrarian or agricultural society.</i>
agriculture	The science or practice of farming, including cultivation of the soil for the growing of crops and the rearing of animals to provide food, wool, and other products.
<u>bucolic</u>	A pastoral poem. <i>The church is lovely for its bucolic setting.</i>
countryside	The inhabitants of countryside areas. <i>They explored the surrounding countryside.</i>
cowhand	A hired hand who tends cattle and performs other duties on horseback.

depopulate	Reduce in population. <i>The epidemic depopulated the countryside.</i>
farmer	A person who owns or manages a farm.
farming	Relating to farming or agriculture. <i>Farming communities.</i>
hamlet	A small settlement, generally one smaller than a village, and strictly (in Britain) one without a church.
idyll	An episode of such pastoral or romantic charm as to qualify as the subject of a poetic idyll. <i>The rural idyll remains strongly evocative in most industrialized societies.</i>
idyllic	Suggestive of an idyll; charmingly simple and serene. <i>An idyllic spot for a picnic.</i>
intelligentsia	An educated and intellectual elite. <i>A distrust of the intelligentsia and of theoretical learning.</i>
laity	Lay people, as distinct from the clergy.
parochial	Relating to a Church parish. <i>Parochial attitudes.</i>
pastoral	A musical composition that evokes rural life. <i>Clergy doing pastoral work.</i>
peasant	An ignorant, rude, or unsophisticated person. <i>That is a civilized drink you peasant.</i>
peon	A Spanish American day labourer or unskilled farm worker. <i>Racing drivers aren't exactly nine to five peons.</i>
provincial	(in Canada) sporting contests held between teams representing the country's administrative divisions. <i>Narrow provincial attitudes.</i>
rancher	A ranch house.
reaper	Death personified as an old man or a skeleton with a scythe.
rural	Living in or characteristic of farming or country life. <i>Rural people.</i>
serf	A person who is bound to the land and owned by the feudal lord.
slum	Put up with conditions that are less comfortable or of a lower quality than one is used to. <i>He bought some second hand clothes and slummed among the metropolis s underprivileged.</i>

suburban	Contemptibly dull and ordinary. <i>Suburban life.</i>
<u>unsophisticated</u>	Awkwardly simple and provincial. <i>An unsophisticated young man.</i>
vassalage	The state of a serf.
<u>village</u>	A self contained district or community within a town or city regarded as having features characteristic of village life. <i>The village of Claxby.</i>
yeoman	A member of the yeomanry force.
yokel	An uneducated and unsophisticated person from the countryside.

