

Need another word that means the same as “scoff”? Find 25 synonyms and 30 related words for “scoff” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Scoff” are: flout, barrack, gibe, jeer, mock, deride, ridicule, sneer at, be scornful about, treat contemptuously, jeer at, jibe at, make fun of, poke fun at, laugh at, scorn, laugh to scorn, dismiss, pooh-pooh, make light of, belittle, jeering, mockery, scoffing**

## **Scoff as a Noun**

### **Definitions of "Scoff" as a noun**

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

- *An expression of scornful derision.*
- *Showing your contempt by derision.*
- *An object of ridicule.*



## Synonyms of "Scoff" as a noun (4 Words)

- jeer** A rude and mocking remark.  
*The taunts and **jeers** of my classmates.*
- jeering** Showing your contempt by derision.
- mockery** A composition that imitates or misrepresents somebody's style, usually in a humorous way.  
*In her bitterness she felt that all rejoicing was **mockery**.*
- scoffing** Showing your contempt by derision.  
*He had to overcome the **scoffing** of theoretical physicists.*

## Usage Examples of "Scoff" as a noun

- *His army was the scoff of all Europe.*
- *Scoffs of disbelief.*

## Scoff as a Verb

### Definitions of "Scoff" as a verb

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

- *Laugh at with contempt and derision.*
- *Treat with contemptuous disregard.*
- *Speak to someone or about something in a scornfully derisive or mocking way.*

### Synonyms of "Scoff" as a verb (21 Words)

<b>barrack</b>	Lodge in barracks. <i>The granary in which the platoons were <b>barracked</b>.</i>
<b>be scornful about</b>	Occupy a certain position or area.
<b><u>belittle</u></b>	Dismiss (someone or something) as unimportant. <i>Don't <b>belittle</b> your colleagues.</i>
<b>deride</b>	Treat or speak of with contempt. <i>He <b>derided</b> his student's attempt to solve the biggest problem in mathematics.</i>
<b><u>dismiss</u></b>	Terminate the employment of; discharge from an office or position. <i>He suspected a double meaning in her words but <b>dismissed</b> the thought.</i>
<b>flout</b>	Mock; scoff. <i>The advertising code is being <b>flouted</b>.</i>
<b>gibe</b>	Laugh at with contempt and derision. <i>Some cynics in the media might <b>gibe</b>.</i>
<b><u>jeer</u></b>	Make rude and mocking remarks, typically in a loud voice. <i>Councillors were <b>jeered</b> and heckled.</i>
<b>jeer at</b>	Laugh at with contempt and derision.
<b>jibe at</b>	Shift from one side of the ship to the other.
<b>laugh at</b>	Produce laughter.
<b>laugh to scorn</b>	Produce laughter.
<b>make fun of</b>	Earn on some commercial or business transaction; earn as salary or wages.
<b>make light of</b>	Reach a destination, either real or abstract.

<b>mock</b>	Imitate with mockery and derision. <i>He ought to find out who used his name <b>mocked</b> his voice and aped a few of his guitar lines.</i>
<b>poke fun at</b>	Stir by poking.
<b>pooh-pooh</b>	Reject with contempt.
<b>ridicule</b>	Subject to laughter or ridicule. <i>The satirists <b>ridiculed</b> the plans for a new opera house.</i>
<b>scorn</b>	Reject with contempt. <i>The minister <b>scorned</b> Labour's attempt to woo voters.</i>
<b>sneer at</b>	Smile contemptuously.
<b>treat contemptuously</b>	Provide with choice or abundant food or drink.

## Usage Examples of "Scoff" as a verb

- *Patrick professed to scoff at soppy love scenes in films.*
- *'You, a scientist?' he scoffed.*

## Associations of "Scoff" (30 Words)

<b>barrack</b>	Lodge in barracks. <i>The granary in which the platoons were <b>barracked</b>.</i>
<b>boo</b>	An utterance of boo to show disapproval of a speaker or performer. <i>They <b>booed</b> and hissed when he stepped on stage.</i>
<b>catcall</b>	Utter catcalls at. <i>He walked out to jeers and <b>catcalls</b>.</i>
<b>contempt</b>	A manner that is generally disrespectful and contemptuous. <i>This action displays an arrogant <b>contempt</b> for the wishes of the majority.</i>
<b>deride</b>	Treat or speak of with contempt. <i>He <b>derided</b> his student's attempt to solve the biggest problem in mathematics.</i>
<b>derision</b>	Contemptuous ridicule or mockery. <i>My stories were greeted with <b>derision</b> and disbelief.</i>
<b>discredit</b>	A person or thing that is a source of disgrace. <i>They committed crimes which brought <b>discredit</b> upon the administration.</i>
<b>disdain</b>	Look down on with disdain. <i>He <b>disdained</b> his patients as an inferior rabble.</i>

<b>disrepute</b>	The state of being held in low esteem. <i>Because of the scandal the school has fallen into <b>disrepute</b>.</i>
<b>disrespect</b>	A manner that is generally disrespectful and contemptuous. <i>A young brave who <b>disrespects</b> his elders.</i>
<b>flout</b>	Laugh at with contempt and derision. <i><b>Flout</b> the rules.</i>
<b>gibe</b>	Be compatible, similar or consistent; coincide in their characteristics. <i>She proved impervious to his sarcastic <b>gibes</b>.</i>
<b>heckle</b>	Comb with a heckle. <i>He was booed and <b>heckled</b> when he tried to address the demonstrators.</i>
<b>hoot</b>	With reference to a car horn siren etc make or cause to make a hoot. <i>Owls <b>hooted</b> the new moon rose.</i>
<b>ignore</b>	Refuse to take notice of or acknowledge; disregard intentionally. <i>He <b>ignored</b> her outraged question.</i>
<b>indignity</b>	Treatment or circumstances that cause one to feel shame or to lose one's dignity. <i>The <b>indignity</b> of needing financial help.</i>
<b>insult</b>	A deliberately offensive act or something producing the effect of deliberate disrespect. <i>You re <b>insulting</b> the woman I love.</i>
<b>irreverence</b>	A lack of respect for people or things that are generally taken seriously. <i>An attitude of <b>irreverence</b> towards politicians.</i>
<b>jeer</b>	A rude and mocking remark. <i>Councillors were <b>jeered</b> and heckled.</i>
<b>jibe</b>	An aggressive remark directed at a person like a missile and intended to have a telling effect. <i>Some cynics in the media might <b>jibe</b>.</i>
<b>joke</b>	Tell a joke speak humorously. <i>The others were playing a <b>joke</b> on her.</i>
<b>mock</b>	The act of mocking or ridiculing. <i>They made a <b>mock</b> of him.</i>
<b>mockery</b>	A composition that imitates or misrepresents somebody's style, usually in a humorous way. <i>Stung by her <b>mockery</b> Frankie hung his head.</i>
<b>parody</b>	Make a parody of. <i>His speciality was <b>parodying</b> schoolgirl fiction.</i>

<b><u>ridicule</u></b>	Subject to laughter or ridicule. <i>He is held up as an object of <b>ridicule</b>.</i>
<b>sarcasm</b>	Witty language used to convey insults or scorn-Jonathan Swif. <i>He used <b>sarcasm</b> to upset his opponent.</i>
<b>scorn</b>	A statement or gesture indicating contempt. <i>A letter <b>scorning</b> his offer of intimacy.</i>
<b><u>sneer</u></b>	A contemptuous or scornful remark. <i>He acknowledged their presence with a condescending <b>sneer</b>.</i>
<b>spoof</b>	A humorous imitation of something, typically a film or a particular genre of film, in which its characteristic features are exaggerated for comic effect. <i>It is a movie that <b>spoofs</b> other movies.</i>
<b><u>travesty</u></b>	Make a travesty of. <i>Michael has betrayed the family by <b>travesty</b>ing them in his plays.</i>