

Need another word that means the same as “scream”? Find 56 synonyms and 30 related words for “scream” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Scream” are: call, cry, holler, hollo, shout, shout out, squall, yell, shriek, screech, howl, bellow, bawl, cry out, call out, yawp, yelp, squeal, wail, squawk, caterwaul, whoop, belly laugh, howler, riot, sidesplitter, thigh-slapper, wow, screaming, screeching, shrieking, laugh, wit, hoot, comedian, comic, entertainer, joker, clown, buffoon**

## Scream as a Noun

### Definitions of "Scream" as a noun

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

- *A long, loud, piercing cry expressing extreme emotion or pain.*
- *A high-pitched cry made by an animal.*
- *A loud, piercing sound.*
- *A joke that seems extremely funny.*
- *Sharp piercing cry.*
- *An irresistibly funny person, thing, or situation.*
- *A high-pitched noise resembling a human cry.*



## Synonyms of "Scream" as a noun (34 Words)

<b>bawl</b>	A loud, unrestrained shout. <i>He addressed every class in a terrifying <b>bawl</b>.</i>
<b>bellow</b>	A deep roaring shout or sound. <i>His <b>bellow</b> filled the hallway.</i>
<b>belly laugh</b>	A protruding abdomen.
<b>buffoon</b>	A ridiculous but amusing person; a clown.
<b>caterwaul</b>	The yowling sound made by a cat in heat. <i>The song ended in a <b>caterwaul</b> of feedback.</i>
<b>clown</b>	A playful, extrovert person. <i>A circus <b>clown</b>.</i>
<b>comedian</b>	A professional performer who tells jokes and performs comical acts. <i>He s a real <b>comedian</b> this fellow.</i>

<b>comic</b>	Comic strips. <i>The shop sold newspapers and children s <b>comics</b>.</i>
<b>cry</b>	A loud inarticulate shout or scream expressing a powerful feeling or emotion. <i>He kept a <b>cry</b> of hounds to hunt in the wilderness.</i>
<b>entertainer</b>	A person, such as a singer, dancer, or comedian, whose job is to entertain others. <i>She is one of Hollywood s highest paid <b>entertainers</b>.</i>
<b>hoot</b>	A raucous sound made by a horn, siren, or steam whistle. <i>There were <b>hoots</b> of derision.</i>
<b>howl</b>	A wailing noise in a loudspeaker due to feedback. <i><b>Howls</b> of laughter.</i>
<b>howler</b>	A joke that seems extremely funny. <i>The occasional schoolboy <b>howler</b> would amuse the examiners.</i>
<b>joker</b>	A person who enjoys telling or playing jokes. <i>When I demanded my money he showed me the <b>joker</b> in the contract.</i>
<b>laugh</b>	Something that causes laughter a source of fun amusement or derision. <i>I like Peter he s a good <b>laugh</b>.</i>
<b>riot</b>	A public act of violence by an unruly mob. <i>Everyone thought she was a <b>riot</b>.</i>
<b>screaming</b>	A high-pitched noise resembling a human cry. <i>Neighbours heard <b>screaming</b> and shouting and decided to dial 999.</i>
<b>screech</b>	A loud, harsh, squealing noise. <i>He ducked at the <b>screechings</b> of shells.</i>
<b>screeching</b>	A high-pitched noise resembling a human cry. <i>He ducked at the <b>screechings</b> of shells.</i>
<b>shout</b>	A call-out for one of the emergency services. <i>His words were interrupted by warning <b>shouts</b>.</i>
<b>shriek</b>	A high-pitched piercing cry or sound; a scream. <i><b>Shrieks</b> of laughter.</i>
<b>shrieking</b>	Sharp piercing cry. <i>There is <b>shrieking</b> and yelling from both men and women.</i>
<b>sidesplitter</b>	A joke that seems extremely funny.
<b>squall</b>	A sudden violent gust of wind or localized storm, especially one bringing rain, snow, or sleet. <i>Low clouds and <b>squalls</b> of driving rain.</i>

<b>squawk</b>	The noise of squawking. <i>She awoke to the <b>squawk</b> of chickens.</i>
<b>squeal</b>	A high-pitched howl. <i>They drew up with a <b>squeal</b> of brakes.</i>
<b>thigh-slapper</b>	A joke that seems extremely funny.
<b>wail</b>	A prolonged high-pitched cry of pain, grief, or anger. <i>Christopher let out a <b>wail</b>.</i>
<b>whoop</b>	A long rasping indrawn breath characteristic of whooping cough. <i>A moment's silence was followed by <b>whoops</b> of delight.</i>
<b>wit</b>	A witty amusing person who makes jokes. <i>He needed all his <b>wits</b> to figure out the way back.</i>
<b>wow</b>	A joke that seems extremely funny. <i>Your play's a <b>wow</b>.</i>
<b>yawp</b>	Foolish or noisy talk. <i>The cur did not bark other than a single <b>yawp</b>.</i>
<b>yell</b>	An extremely amusing person or thing. <i>Her foot slipped and she gave a <b>yell</b> of fear.</i>
<b>yelp</b>	A short, sharp cry, especially of pain or alarm. <i>She uttered a <b>yelp</b> as she bumped into a table.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Scream" as a noun

- *Her screaming attracted the neighbors.*
- *The scream of a falling bomb.*
- *The screams of the seagulls.*
- *He heard the scream of the brakes.*
- *The movie's a scream.*
- *They were awakened by screams for help.*



# Scream as a Verb

## Definitions of "Scream" as a verb

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

- *Turn informer.*
- *Move very rapidly with or as if with a loud, high-pitched sound.*
- *Make a loud, high-pitched sound.*
- *Utter a sudden loud cry.*
- *Make a loud, piercing sound.*
- *Urgently and vociferously call attention to one's views or feelings, especially ones of anger or distress.*
- *Give a long, loud, piercing cry or cries expressing extreme emotion or pain.*
- *Cry something in a high-pitched, frenzied way.*
- *Utter or declare in a very loud voice.*





## Synonyms of "Scream" as a verb (22 Words)

- bawl** Make a raucous noise.  
*I sat on the couch and **bawled** my eyes out.*
- bellow** Make a loud noise, as of animal.  
*The bull **bellowed**.*
- call** Rouse somebody from sleep with a call.  
*He had promised Celia he would **call** in at the clinic.*
- call out** Challenge the sincerity or truthfulness of.
- caterwaul** Utter shrieks, as of cats.  
*He seems to think that singing soulfully is to whine and **caterwaul** tunelessly.*
- cry** Utter a sudden loud cry.  
*Wounded people were **crying** for help.*
- cry out** Demand immediate action.

<b>holler</b>	Utter a sudden loud cry. <i>He <b>hollered</b> out to surrender our weapons.</i>
<b>hollo</b>	Encourage somebody by crying hollo.
<b>howl</b>	Make a howling sound. <i>A baby started to <b>howl</b>.</i>
<b>screech</b>	Make a high pitched screeching noise. <i>She hit her brother causing him to <b>screech</b> with pain.</i>
<b>shout</b>	Prevent someone from speaking or being heard by shouting. <i>She <b>shouted</b> for joy.</i>
<b>shout out</b>	Utter in a loud voice; talk in a loud voice (usually denoting characteristic manner of speaking).
<b>shriek</b>	Utter a high-pitched piercing sound or words, especially as an expression of terror, pain, or excitement. <i>The wheels <b>shrieked</b> as the car sped away.</i>
<b>squall</b>	Blow in a squall. <i>Sarah was <b>squalling</b> in her crib.</i>
<b>squawk</b>	(of a bird) make a loud, harsh noise. <i>He is well known for <b>squawking</b> about price fixing at local gas pumps.</i>
<b>squeal</b>	Make a squeal. <i>The girls <b>squealed</b> with delight.</i>
<b>wail</b>	Utter a wail. <i>The wind <b>wailed</b> and buffeted the timber structure.</i>
<b>whoop</b>	Give or make a whoop. <i>The children <b>whooped</b> when they were led to the picnic table.</i>
<b>yawp</b>	Make a raucous noise. <i>The fans screeched <b>yawped</b> and pounded their palms.</i>
<b>yell</b>	Utter or declare in a very loud voice. <i>I <b>yelled</b> to her from the window but she couldn't hear me.</i>
<b>yelp</b>	Utter a yelp. <i>The puppies <b>yelped</b>.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Scream" as a verb

- *They could hear him screaming in pain.*
- *The creative side of me is screaming out for attention.*
- *He screamed abuse down the phone.*
- *Sirens were screaming from all over the city.*
- *I ran to the house screaming for help.*
- *Fighter planes are screaming through the skies.*
- *A shell screamed overhead.*
- *He never got paid and my information is he's ready to scream.*
- *'Get out!' he screamed.*
- *His supporters scream that he is being done an injustice.*



## Associations of "Scream" (30 Words)

- amazingly** In a way that causes great surprise or wonder.  
*Amazingly 66 passengers and crew members survived.*
- barrack** Lodge in barracks.  
*The granary in which the platoons were **barracked**.*
- bawl** Weep or cry noisily.  
*Move **bawled** the drill corporal.*
- bellow** A deep roaring shout or sound.  
*A dozen large men were **bellowing** Jerusalem.*
- bluster** A swaggering show of courage.  
*You threaten and **bluster** but won't carry it through.*
- boo** An utterance of boo to show disapproval of a speaker or performer.  
*The audience greeted this comment with **boos** and hisses.*

<b>cackle</b>	A loud laugh suggestive of a hen s cackle. <i>She <b>cackled</b> with laughter.</i>
<b>catcall</b>	Utter catcalls at. <i>They were fired for <b>catcalling</b> at women.</i>
<b>clamor</b>	Compel someone to do something by insistent clamoring. <i>He <b>clamored</b> for justice and tolerance.</i>
<b>cry</b>	Utter a sudden loud cry. <i>Don t <b>cry</b> it ll be all right.</i>
<b>exclaim</b>	Cry out suddenly in surprise, strong emotion, or pain. <i>I won he <b>exclaimed</b>.</i>
<b>gorgeous</b>	Very pleasant or enjoyable. <i>A <b>gorgeous</b> Victorian gown.</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>heckler</b>	Someone who tries to embarrass you with gibes and questions and objections. <i>He was adept at dealing with <b>hecklers</b>.</i>
<b>holler</b>	Give a loud shout or cry. <i>He <b>hollered</b> out to surrender our weapons.</i>
<b>hoot</b>	Of an owl utter a hoot. <i>A car horn <b>hooted</b> frightening her.</i>
<b>howl</b>	Make a howling sound. <i>He <b>howled</b> in agony.</i>
<b>loud</b>	Used chiefly as a direction or description in music loud with force. <i>A group of <b>loud</b> children.</i>
<b>oh</b>	A midwestern state in north central United States in the Great Lakes region.
<b>outcry</b>	An exclamation or shout. <i>An <b>outcry</b> of spontaneous passion.</i>
<b>rumble</b>	A fight between rival gangs of adolescents. <i>The debate about television replays <b>rumbles</b> on.</i>
<b>screech</b>	Make a high pitched screeching noise. <i>He ducked at the <b>screechings</b> of shells.</i>
<b>shout</b>	Prevent someone from speaking or being heard by shouting. <i>From crocodile handbag to gold trimmed shoes she <b>shouted</b> money.</i>
<b>shouting</b>	Uttering a loud inarticulate cry as of pain or excitement. <i>It s all over but the <b>shouting</b>.</i>
<b>shriek</b>	Utter a shrill cry. <i>She was <b>shrieking</b> abuse at a taxi.</i>

- squawk** The noise of squawking.  
*Her plan provoked a loud **squawk** from her friends.*
- terrified** Thrown into a state of intense fear or desperation.  
*The **terrified** horse bolted.*
- wow** A joke that seems extremely funny.  
*They **wowed** audiences on their recent British tour.*
- yeah** Not only so, but.
- yell** A loud utterance of emotion (especially when inarticulate).  
*You heard me losing my temper and **yelling** at her.*

