

Need another word that means the same as “stake”? Find 46 synonyms and 30 related words for “stake” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Stake” are: bet, stakes, wager, post, interest, pole, stick, spike, upright, support, prop, strut, stave, pale, paling, picket, pile, piling, stanchion, shaft, cane, beanpole, rod, mast, adventure, hazard, jeopardize, venture, impale, back, bet on, gage, game, punt, prop up, tie up, tether, hold up, bolster up, brace, buttress, reinforce, truss, stay

Stake as a Noun

Definitions of "Stake" as a noun

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

- *(law) a right or legal share of something; a financial involvement with something.*
- *The money risked on a gamble.*
- *A strong wooden or metal post with a point at one end, driven into the ground to support a plant, form part of a fence, mark a boundary, etc.*
- *A right or legal share of something; a financial involvement with something.*
- *A pole or stake set up to mark something (as the start or end of a race track.*
- *A territorial division of a Latter-day Saints (Mormon) Church under the jurisdiction of a president.*
- *A metalworker's small anvil, typically with a projection for fitting into a socket on a*

bench.

- Instrument of execution consisting of a vertical post that a victim is tied to for burning.
- A strong wooden or metal post with a point at one end so it can be driven into the ground.
- A long vertical rod used in basket-making.
- A wooden post to which a person was tied before being burned alive as a punishment.



Synonyms of "Stake" as a noun (24 Words)

beanpole A tall, thin person.

bet An act of betting a sum of money.
*The bookies are taking **bets** on his possible successor.*

cane A length of cane or a slender stick especially one used as a support for plants a walking stick or an instrument of punishment.
*Tie the shoot to a **cane** if vertical growth is required.*

interest The selfish pursuit of one's own welfare self interest.
*They said nothing of great **interest**.*

mast Any sturdy upright pole.

pale A wooden strip forming part of a fence.

paling	A post used in a paling.
picket	A blockade of a workplace or other venue staged by a picket. <i>When would this headlong advance run into the enemy pickets.</i>
pile	(often followed by `of') a large number or amount or extent. <i>He s making piles of money.</i>
piling	A nuclear reactor that uses controlled nuclear fission to generate energy. <i>Wooden piling supporting a complex of waterfront buildings.</i>
pole	A long fiberglass sports implement used for pole vaulting. <i>They are at opposite poles.</i>
post	A goalpost. <i>A soldier manned the entrance post.</i>
prop	A propeller that rotates to push against air. <i>He looked around for a prop to pin the door open.</i>
rod	A square rod of land. <i>Concrete walls reinforced with steel rods.</i>
shaft	An arrow or spear. <i>The shaft of a feather.</i>
spike	Fruiting spike of a cereal plant especially corn. <i>The seismograph showed a sharp spike in response to the temblor.</i>
stakes	A strong wooden or metal post with a point at one end so it can be driven into the ground.
stanchion	Any vertical post or rod used as a support.
stave	A vertical wooden post or plank in a building or other structure.
stick	In field hockey the foul play of raising the stick above the shoulder. <i>He felt hard done by living out in the sticks.</i>
strut	Brace consisting of a bar or rod used to resist longitudinal compression. <i>A supporting strut.</i>
support	The action of supporting something or someone or the state of being supported. <i>He leaned against the wall for support.</i>
upright	An upright piano. <i>The ball sailed between the uprights.</i>
wager	The money risked on a gamble. <i>They have made a wager on who will win tonight.</i>



Usage Examples of "Stake" as a noun

- *Bishop Ridley was burned at the stake.*
- *A stake in the company's future.*
- *The corner of the lot was indicated by a stake.*



Stake as a Verb

Definitions of "Stake" as a verb

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

- *Support (a plant) with a stake or stakes.*
- *Tie or fasten to a stake.*
- *Kill by piercing with a spear or sharp pole.*
- *Mark with a stake.*
- *Put at risk.*
- *Place a bet on.*



Synonyms of "Stake" as a verb (22 Words)

- adventure** Put (one's money or life) at risk.
*He **adventured** 300 in the purchase of land.*
- [back](#) Be in back of.
*Can you **back** up your claims.*
- bet on** Maintain with or as if with a bet.
- bolster up** Add padding to.
- [brace](#) Support or hold steady and make steadfast with or as if with a brace.
*She **braced** her feet against a projecting shelf.*
- buttress** Reinforce with a buttress.
*Authority was **buttressed** by religious belief.*
- gage** Place a bet on.
*A guide sent to them by the headman of this place **gaged** his life as a forfeit if he failed.*

game	Play gambling games. <i>The majority of the audience are teens who game and watch anime.</i>
<u>hazard</u>	Put at risk. <i>He hazarded a guess.</i>
hold up	Assert or affirm.
impale	Transfix or pierce with a sharp instrument. <i>The impaled arms of her husband and her father.</i>
<u>jeopardize</u>	Put (someone or something) into a situation in which there is a danger of loss, harm, or failure. <i>A devaluation of the dollar would jeopardize New York's position as a financial centre.</i>
post	Assign to a post put into a post. <i>The company posted the news on its blog yesterday.</i>
prop up	Support by placing against something solid or rigid.
punt	Convey in a punt. <i>In summer you can enjoy punting along the river.</i>
<u>reinforce</u>	Strengthen or support (an object or substance), especially with additional material. <i>The helmet has been reinforced with a double layer of cork.</i>
stay	Fasten with stays. <i>I grabbed something to stay the pangs of hunger.</i>
support	Be the physical support of carry the weight of. <i>The evidence supports the defendant.</i>
<u>tether</u>	Tie with a tether. <i>Tether horses.</i>
tie up	Finish a game with an equal number of points, goals, etc.
truss	Support a roof bridge or other structure with a truss or trusses. <i>Truss the roofs.</i>
venture	Put at risk. <i>May I venture to add a few comments.</i>



Usage Examples of "Stake" as a verb

- *I will stake my good reputation for this.*
- *Vigorous plants need staking.*
- *Stake your goat.*
- *Stake out the path.*
- *The gladioli were staked in gaudy ranks.*



Associations of "Stake" (30 Words)

<u>adhere</u>	Be loyal to. <i>The account adhered firmly to fact.</i>
bonus	An extra and unexpected advantage. <i>Good weather is an added bonus but the real appeal is the landscape.</i>
bush	Vegetation growing in the bush. <i>A rose bush.</i>
dividend	An individual's share of a dividend. <i>Buying a rail pass may still pay dividends.</i>
<u>drill</u>	Similar to the mandrill but smaller and less brightly colored. <i>Tables can be mastered by drill and practice.</i>
<u>empower</u>	Make (someone) stronger and more confident, especially in controlling their life and claiming their rights. <i>Members are empowered to audit the accounts of limited companies.</i>
endue	Endow or provide with a quality or ability. <i>Our sight would be endued with a far greater sharpness.</i>

harpoon	Spear with a harpoon. <i>Gilbert s father harpooned a five metre basking shark.</i>
impale	Pierce with a sharp stake or point. <i>Impale a shrimp on a skewer.</i>
<u>income</u>	Money received, especially on a regular basis, for work or through investments. <i>He has a nice home and an adequate income.</i>
<u>invest</u>	Make an investment. <i>He stands before you invested in the full canonicals of his calling.</i>
lance	Prick or cut open an abscess or boil with a lancet or other sharp instrument. <i>He lanced through Harlequins midfield to score Swansea s lone try.</i>
payment	An amount paid or payable. <i>A compensation payment of 2500.</i>
pinch	Irritate as if by a nip pinch or tear. <i>Mrs Grandison s pointed Italian style shoes were already beginning to pinch her feet.</i>
<u>poke</u>	Prod and stir a fire with a poker to make it burn more fiercely. <i>His mother comes into his room sometimes and has a poke round.</i>
porcupine	Relatively large rodents with sharp erectile bristles mingled with the fur.
prickle	Cause a stinging or tingling sensation. <i>The prickles of the gorse bushes.</i>
prickly	Very irritable. <i>This is a prickly subject.</i>
shareholder	Someone who holds shares of stock in a corporation.
<u>sliver</u>	Convert textile fibres into slivers. <i>The fibres are combed or carded then slivered and spun into yarn.</i>
<u>spear</u>	Pierce with a spear. <i>She speared her last chip with her fork.</i>
<u>spike</u>	Of a newspaper editor reject a story by or as if by filing it on a spike. <i>Lightning spiked across the sky.</i>
spindle	A Eurasian shrub or small tree with slender toothed leaves and pink capsules containing bright orange seeds Its hard timber was formerly used for making spindles. <i>Chromosomes are distributed by spindles in mitosis and meiosis.</i>
spinous	Having spines. <i>The dorsal fin is spinous.</i>

spiny	Difficult to understand or handle. <i>A spiny problem.</i>
stick	In field hockey the foul play of raising the stick above the shoulder. <i>Janet s not such a bad old stick sometimes.</i>
sticker	A small sharp-pointed tip resembling a spike on a stem or leaf. <i>A disabled sticker for our car.</i>
<u>sting</u>	A painful wound caused by the thrust of an insect s stinger into skin. <i>She smiled to take the sting out of her words.</i>
<u>thorn</u>	A thorny bush shrub or tree especially a hawthorn. <i>The issue has become a thorn in renewing the peace talks.</i>
transfix	Pierce with a sharp stake or point. <i>A field mouse is transfixed by the curved talons of an owl.</i>

