

Need another word that means the same as “stalk”? Find 17 synonyms and 30 related words for “stalk” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Stalk” are: chaff, husk, shuck, straw, stubble, stem, stalking, still hunt, shoot, trunk, stock, cane, bine, bent, haulm, reed, haunt**

## Stalk as a Noun

### Definitions of "Stalk" as a noun

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

- *The main stem of a herbaceous plant.*
- *A stalklike support for a sessile animal, or for an organ in an animal.*
- *A slender or elongated structure that supports a plant or fungus or a plant part or plant organ.*
- *Material consisting of seed coverings and small pieces of stem or leaves that have been separated from the seeds.*
- *A hunt for game carried on by following it stealthily or waiting in ambush.*
- *The slender attachment or support of a leaf, flower, or fruit.*
- *The act of following prey stealthily.*
- *(in a vehicle) a lever on the steering column controlling the indicators, lights, etc.*
- *A stiff or threatening gait.*
- *A slender support or stem of an object.*



## Synonyms of "Stalk" as a noun (16 Words)

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| <b>bent</b>  | A relatively permanent inclination to react in a particular way.<br><i>She had no natural <b>bent</b> for literature.</i>                |
| <b>bine</b>  | European twining plant whose flowers are used chiefly to flavor malt liquors; cultivated in America.                                     |
| <b>cane</b>  | Any plant that produces canes.<br><i>Raspberry <b>canes</b>.</i>   |
| <b>chaff</b> | Chopped hay and straw used as fodder.<br><i>He hopes to separate scientifically supported claims from pseudoscientific <b>chaff</b>.</i> |
| <b>haulm</b> | A stalk or stem.<br><i>Potato <b>haulm</b>.</i>  |
| <b>husk</b>  | The dry outer covering of some fruits or seeds.<br><i>The <b>husks</b> of dead bugs.</i>   |

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| <b>reed</b>         | A rustic musical pipe made from a reed or from straw.<br><i>A <b>reed</b> relay.</i>   |
| <b><u>shoot</u></b> | A shooting match.<br><i>Follow the portages that skirt all nine <b>shoots</b> of whitewater.</i>   |
| <b>shuck</b>        | A person or thing regarded as worthless or contemptible.<br><i>He said the idea was a <b>shuck</b>.</i>  |
| <b>stalking</b>     | The act of following prey stealthily.  |
| <b><u>stem</u></b>  | The root or main part of a word, to which inflections or formative elements are added.<br><i>Her fingers tightened on the <b>stem</b> of her glass.</i>                      |
| <b>still hunt</b>   | A static photograph (especially one taken from a movie and used for advertising purposes).   |
| <b><u>stock</u></b> | Farm animals such as cattle pigs and sheep bred and kept for their meat or milk livestock.<br><i>I felt I was right but my <b>stock</b> was low with this establishment.</i> |
| <b>straw</b>        | A pale yellow colour like that of straw.<br><i>The tramp sat chewing a <b>straw</b>.</i>   |
| <b>stubble</b>      | Material consisting of seed coverings and small pieces of stem or leaves that have been separated from the seeds.<br><i><b>Stubble</b> burning.</i>                          |
| <b><u>trunk</u></b> | An enclosed shaft or conduit for cables or ventilation.<br><i>He put his golf bag in the <b>trunk</b>.</i>   |



## Usage Examples of "Stalk" as a noun

- *He chewed a stalk of grass.*
- *The acorns grow on stalks.*
- *The control stalk on the car's fascia.*
- *Drinking glasses with long stalks.*





## Stalk as a Verb

### Definitions of "Stalk" as a verb

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

- *Go through (an area) in search of prey.*
- *Follow stealthily or recur constantly and spontaneously to.*
- *Walk stiffly.*



## Synonyms of "Stalk" as a verb (1 Word)

**haunt** Haunt like a ghost pursue.  
She **haunts** the ballet.





## Usage Examples of "Stalk" as a verb

- *Stalk the woods for deer.*
- *Her ex-boyfriend stalked her.*



## Associations of "Stalk" (30 Words)

|                    |   |
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| <b>barley</b>      | The grain of barley.  |
| <b>bean</b>        | A leguminous plant that bears beans in pods.<br><i>He didn't have a <b>bean</b>.</i>  |
| <b>bud</b>         | Develop buds.<br><i>A <b>budding</b> friendship.</i>  |
| <b>chaff</b>       | The husks of corn or other seed separated by winnowing or threshing.<br><i>He hopes to separate scientifically supported claims from pseudoscientific <b>chaff</b>.</i> |
| <b>corn</b>        | The dried grains or kernels or corn used as animal feed or ground for meal.<br><i>Fields of <b>corn</b>.</i>  |
| <b><u>crop</u></b> | Yield crops.<br><i>The southern areas are <b>cropped</b> in cotton.</i>   |



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| <b>defoliate</b> | Remove leaves from (a tree, plant, or area of land), for agricultural purposes or as a military tactic.<br><i>A <b>defoliated</b> poplar.</i>   |
| <b>flower</b>    | A flower together with its stalk picked for use as a decoration.<br><i>She <b>flowered</b> into as striking a beauty as her mother.</i>   |
| <b>grain</b>     | Form into grains.<br><i>He scored along the <b>grain</b> of the table with the knife.</i>   |
| <b>grass</b>     | A mainly herbaceous plant with jointed stems and spikes of small wind pollinated flowers predominant in grass.<br><i>Anglers <b>grassed</b> 294 trout.</i>  |
| <b>hay</b>       | Convert plant material into hay.<br><i>The grass had all <b>hayed</b> off and gone to seed.</i>   |
| <b>husk</b>      | Remove the husks from.<br><i>They set up mills to <b>husk</b> the rice.</i>   |
| <b>leaf</b>      | A thing that resembles a leaf in being flat and thin.<br><i>An oak <b>leaf</b>.</i>   |
| <b>liana</b>     | The free hanging stem of a liana.   |
| <b>ovule</b>     | A small body that contains the female germ cell of a plant; develops into a seed after fertilization.   |
| <b>pedicel</b>   | A small stalk bearing an individual flower in an inflorescence.   |
| <b>petiole</b>   | The slender stem that supports the blade of a leaf.   |
| <b>plant</b>     | Put or set seeds seedlings or plants into the ground.<br><i>Inadequate investment in new <b>plant</b>.</i>  |
| <b>planter</b>   | The owner or manager of a plantation.<br><i>Hanging baskets tubs and <b>planters</b>.</i>   |
| <b>pollen</b>    | A fine powdery substance typically yellow consisting of microscopic grains discharged from the male part of a flower or from a male cone Each grain contains a male gamete that can fertilize the female ovule to which pollen is transported by the wind insects or other animals. |
| <b>rick</b>      | Pile in ricks.<br><i>The nine cords of good spruce wood <b>ricked</b> up in the back yard.</i>  |
| <b>seed</b>      | Go to seed shed seeds.<br><i>You can grow artichokes from <b>seed</b>.</i>  |
| <b>shuck</b>     | Remove the shucks from maize or shellfish.<br><i><b>Shuck</b> oysters.</i>  |
| <b>sprout</b>    | Put forth and grow sprouts or shoots.<br><i>The potatoes <b>sprouted</b>.</i>   |

- stem** Remove the stem from.  
*The main **stem** of the wing feathers.*
- straw** Of a pale yellow color like straw straw colored.  
*The tramp sat chewing a **straw**.*
- tree** A thing that has a branching structure resembling that of a tree.  
*This lot should be **treed** so that the house will be shaded in summer.*
- vine** A climbing or trailing woody stemmed plant related to the grapevine.  
*The **vines** of a vast wisteria.*
- wheat** Grains of common wheat sometimes cooked whole or cracked as cereal usually ground into flour.
- winnow** (of the wind) blow.  
*Amidst this welter of confusing signals it s difficult to **winnow** out the truth.*

