

Need another word that means the same as “tenet”? Find 10 synonyms and 30 related words for “tenet” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Tenet” are: dogma, principle, belief, doctrine, precept, creed, credo, article of faith, canon, rule**

## Tenet as a Noun

### Definitions of "Tenet" as a noun

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

- *A religious doctrine that is proclaimed as true without proof.*
- *A principle or belief, especially one of the main principles of a religion or philosophy.*

### Synonyms of "Tenet" as a noun (10 Words)

**article of faith** A separate section of a legal document (as a statute or contract or will).

**belief** Trust, faith, or confidence in (someone or something).  
*We re prepared to fight for our **beliefs**.*

**canon** A complete list of saints that have been recognized by the Roman Catholic Church.  
*Legislation which enables the Church of England General Synod to provide by **canon** for women to be ordained.*

**credo** A statement of the beliefs or aims which guide someone’s actions.  
*He announced his **credo** in his first editorial.*

<b>creed</b>	The written body of teachings of a religious group that are generally accepted by that group. <i>Liberalism was more than a political <b>creed</b>.</i>
<b>doctrine</b>	A stated principle of government policy, mainly in foreign or military affairs. <i>The <b>doctrine</b> of predestination.</i>
<b>dogma</b>	A religious doctrine that is proclaimed as true without proof. <i>The rejection of political <b>dogma</b>.</i>
<b>precept</b>	A rate or tax set by a precept. <i>The <b>precept</b> required a supplementary rate of 6 1p in the pound.</i>
<b>principle</b>	Rule of personal conduct. <i>The combination of male and female <b>principles</b>.</i>
<b>rule</b>	Linguistics a rule describing or prescribing a linguistic practice. <i>The <b>rule</b> of St Dominic.</i>

## Usage Examples of "Tenet" as a noun

- *The tenets of classical liberalism.*

## Associations of "Tenet" (30 Words)

<b>belief</b>	A religious conviction. <i>It strengthened my <b>belief</b> in his sincerity.</i>
<b>casuistry</b>	The resolving of moral problems by the application of theoretical rules. <i>The minister is engaging in nothing more or less than <b>casuistry</b>.</i>
<b>convention</b>	Orthodoxy as a consequence of being conventional. <i>The party held its biennial <b>convention</b>.</i>
<b>credo</b>	Any system of principles or beliefs. <i>He announced his <b>credo</b> in his first editorial.</i>
<b>creed</b>	A system of religious belief; a faith. <i>People of many <b>creeds</b> and cultures.</i>
<b>doctrine</b>	A belief or set of beliefs held and taught by a Church, political party, or other group. <i>The <b>doctrine</b> of predestination.</i>
<b>dogma</b>	A religious doctrine that is proclaimed as true without proof. <i>The <b>dogmas</b> of faith.</i>
<b>ecumenical</b>	Of worldwide scope or applicability- Christopher Morley. <i>The shrewdest political and <b>ecumenical</b> comment of our time.</i>

<b>guiding</b>	Showing the way by conducting or leading; imposing direction on. <i>A <b>guiding</b> principle.</i>
<b>hydrostatics</b>	The branch of mechanics concerned with the hydrostatic properties of liquids.
<b>hyperborean</b>	(Greek mythology) one of a people that the ancient Greeks believed lived in a warm and sunny land north of the source of the north wind.
<b>immemorial</b>	Originating in the distant past; very old. <i>Time <b>immemorial</b>.</i>
<b>impregnate</b>	Fertilize and cause to grow. <i>Wood which had been <b>impregnated</b> with preservative.</i>
<b>inculcate</b>	Instil (an idea, attitude, or habit) by persistent instruction. <i>I tried to <b>inculcate</b> in my pupils an attitude of enquiry.</i>
<b>infuse</b>	(of tea, herbs, etc.) release flavour or healing properties while being soaked. <i>Her work is <b>infused</b> with an anger born of pain and oppression.</i>
<b>inspire</b>	Breathe in (air); inhale. <i>His philosophy <b>inspired</b> a later generation of environmentalists.</i>
<b>instill</b>	Teach and impress by frequent repetitions or admonitions. <i>Her presence <b>instilled</b> faith into the children.</i>
<b>mores</b>	(sociology) the conventions that embody the fundamental values of a group. <i>An offence against social <b>mores</b>.</i>
<b>morris</b>	English poet and craftsman (1834-1896).
<b>permeable</b>	Allowing fluids or gases to pass or diffuse through. <i><b>Permeable</b> membranes.</i>
<b>pigeonhole</b>	Put a document in a pigeonhole. <i>I was <b>pigeonholed</b> as a youth writer.</i>
<b>porous</b>	(of a rock or other material) having minute spaces or holes through which liquid or air may pass. <i>He ran through a <b>porous</b> home defence to score easily.</i>
<b>preach</b>	Used to affirm one's approval of or support for a stated opinion, advocated course of action, etc. <i>He <b>preached</b> to a large congregation.</i>
<b>precept</b>	A rate or tax set by a precept. <i>Children learn far more by example than by <b>precept</b>.</i>
<b>principle</b>	A fundamental quality determining the nature of something. <i>The first <b>principle</b> of all things was water.</i>

<b>rationale</b>	(law) an explanation of the fundamental reasons (especially an explanation of the working of some device in terms of laws of nature. <i>He explained the <b>rationale</b> behind the change.</i>
<b>rudiment</b>	The remains of a body part that was functional at an earlier stage of life. <i>Meckel's diverticulum is the <b>rudiment</b> of the embryonic yolk sac.</i>
<b>rule</b>	Mark or draw with a ruler. <i><b>Rule</b> the margins.</i>
<b>statics</b>	The branch of mechanics concerned with bodies at rest and forces in equilibrium.
<b>transfuse</b>	Pour out of one vessel into another. <i>We became <b>transfused</b> by a radiance of joy.</i>