

Need another word that means the same as "tertiary"? Find 4 synonyms and 30 related words for "tertiary" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Tertiary" are: 3rd, third, higher, tertiary period

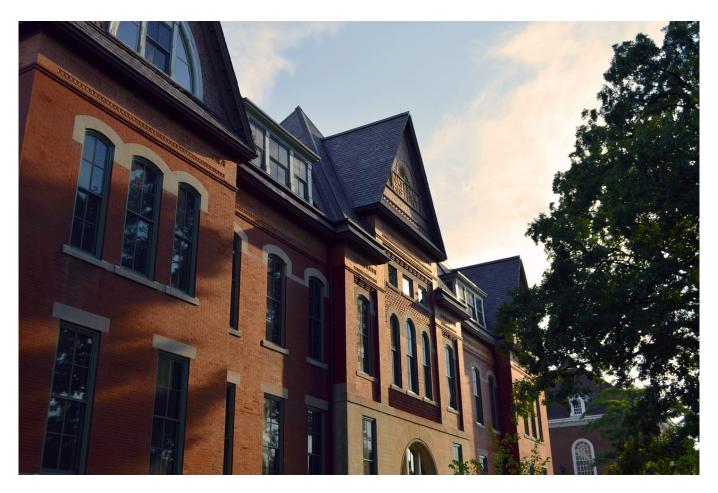
# Tertiary as a Noun

### Definitions of "Tertiary" as a noun

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "tertiary" as a noun can have the following definitions:

- A lay associate of certain Christian monastic organizations.
- The Tertiary period or the system of rocks deposited during it.
- From 63 million to 2 million years ago.





# Synonyms of "Tertiary" as a noun (1 Word)

tertiary period From 63 million to 2 million years ago.

## Usage Examples of "Tertiary" as a noun

• A Franciscan tertiary.

# Tertiary as an Adjective

# Definitions of "Tertiary" as an adjective

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "tertiary" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

• (chiefly of amines) derived from ammonia by replacement of three hydrogen atoms by



organic groups.

- Third in order or level.
- Relating to or denoting education at a level beyond that provided by schools, especially that provided by a college or university.
- (of an organic compound) having its functional group located on a carbon atom which is itself bonded to three other carbon atoms.
- Relating to or denoting the first period of the Cenozoic era, between the Cretaceous and Quaternary periods, and comprising the Palaeogene and Neogene sub-periods.
- Relating to or denoting the medical treatment provided at a specialist institution.
- Denoting or relating to carnivores that eat other carnivores and omnivores.
- Coming next after the second and just before the fourth in position.

### Synonyms of "Tertiary" as an adjective (3 Words)

**3rd** Coming next after the second and just before the fourth in position.

Standing above others in quality or position.

**higher** Higher education.

**third** Coming next after the second and just before the fourth in position.

### Usage Examples of "Tertiary" as an adjective

- The tertiary consumers must hunt for their food.
- Patients in tertiary care.
- The tertiary stage of the disease.

# Associations of "Tertiary" (30 Words)

A quantity of liquor equal to one fifth of a United States gallon.

He was **fifth** out of several hundred runners.

**five** A playing card or a domino or a die whose upward face shows five pips.

**four** A playing card or domino or die whose upward face shows four pips.

fourth In the fourth place.

**Fourth**ly you must pay the rent on the first of the month.

A group or set of six.

**hexad** Each segment down to the tiniest **hexad** of cilia is practically identical in

shape.

leash Put a leash on a dog.

He called Azor to heel so that he could **leash** him.



The number that is represented as a one followed by 6 zeros. million

There were **million**s of flies.

A symbol used to represent a number. numeral

A numeral adjective.

Relating to an ordinal number. ordinal

**Ordinal** scales.

A quadruple number or amount. quadruple

Oil prices quadrupled in the 1970s.

A composition for a quartet. quartet

He joined a barbershop quartet.

Increase or cause to increase fivefold. quintuple

The company s revenues would **quintuple** over the next decade.

A secondary school. secondary

A **secondary** source.

Position seven in a countable series of things. seventh

A composition for a sextet. sextet

The **sextet** from The Marriage of Figaro.

Multiply by six; increase sixfold. sextuple

six A playing card or domino or die whose upward face shows six pips. Coming next after the fifth and just before the seventh in position. sixth

tenth A tenth part one part in ten equal parts.

Having three units or components or elements.

ternary A ternary operation.

The third from the lowest forward ratio gear in the gear box of a motor vehicle. third

He is playing **third**.

Being ten more than twenty. thirty

three One of four playing cards in a deck having three pips.

A set of three similar things considered as a unit. triad

The **triad** of medication diet and exercise are necessary in diabetes care.

Ride on a tricycle. tricycle

A small boy **tricycle**d to the end of his driveway.

A set of three literary or dramatic works related in subject or theme.

**trilogy** The Aeschylean **trilogy**.

The union of the Father and Son and Holy Ghost in one Godhead. **trinity** 

God is said to be **trinity** in unity.



A set or group of three people or things.

A jazz **trio**.

triple Hit a triple.

**Triple** somersaults.

Art consisting of a painting or carving (especially an altarpiece) on three panels

**triptych** (usually hinged together.

A **triptych** depicting the Crucifixion.