

Need another word that means the same as “throat”? Find 3 synonyms and 30 related words for “throat” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Throat” are: pharynx, gullet, oesophagus**

## Throat as a Noun

### Definitions of "Throat" as a noun

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

- *The forward upper corner of a quadrilateral fore-and-aft sail.*
- *A voice of a person or a songbird.*
- *A thing compared to a throat, especially a narrow passage, entrance, or exit.*
- *The passage to the stomach and lungs; in the front part of the neck below the chin and above the collarbone.*
- *The part of an animal's body that corresponds to a person's throat.*
- *An opening in the vamp of a shoe at the instep.*
- *A passage resembling a throat in shape or function.*
- *The front part of a person's or animal's neck.*
- *A passage resembling a throat in shape or function.*
- *The passage which leads from the back of the mouth of a person or animal.*



### Synonyms of "Throat" as a noun (3 Words)

- gullet** The passage by which food passes from the mouth to the stomach; the oesophagus.
- oesophagus** The part of the alimentary canal which connects the throat to the stomach. In humans and other vertebrates it is a muscular tube lined with mucous membrane.
- pharynx** The part of the alimentary canal immediately behind the mouth in invertebrates.



### Usage Examples of "Throat" as a noun

- *Her throat was parched with thirst.*
- *A gold pendant gleamed at her throat.*
- *From a hundred throats came the cry 'Vive l'Empereur.'*
- *He's pouring beer down his throat.*
- *The throat of the vase.*
- *The throat of a chimney.*



## Associations of "Throat" (30 Words)

- airway** A commercial enterprise that provides scheduled flights for passengers.  
*He kept the man's **airway** clear and blood circulating.*
- [breathe](#) Take air into the lungs and then expel it, especially as a regular physiological process.  
*Letting a wine **breathe** allows oxygen to enter.*
- breathing** A sign in Greek or indicating the presence of an aspirate rough breathing or the absence of an aspirate smooth breathing at the beginning of a word.  
*The boy was disappointed to find only skeletons instead of living **breathing** dinosaurs.*
- bronchus** Either of the two main branches of the trachea.
- brow** An eyebrow.  
*The cottages were built on the **brow** of a hill.*



<b>cheek</b>	Either side of the face below the eye. <i>Frankie always got away with <b>cheeking</b> his elders.</i>
<b>chin</b>	Hit or punch someone on the chin. <i>He looked about ready to <b>chin</b> someone.</i>
<b>choking</b>	A condition caused by blocking the airways to the lungs (as with food or swelling of the larynx). <i>No evidence that the <b>choking</b> was done by the accused.</i>
<b>epiglottis</b>	A flap of cartilage that covers the windpipe while swallowing.
<b>esophagus</b>	The passage between the pharynx and the stomach.
<b>forehead</b>	The large cranial bone forming the front part of the cranium: includes the upper part of the orbits.
<b>halitosis</b>	Offensive breath.
<b>hyoid</b>	Of or relating to the hyoid bone.
<b>jaw</b>	The lower movable bone of the jaw or the part of the face containing it. <i>She suffered a broken <b>jaw</b>.</i>
<b>larynx</b>	A cartilaginous structure at the top of the trachea; contains elastic vocal cords that are the source of the vocal tone in speech.
<b>lingua</b>	A mobile mass of muscular tissue covered with mucous membrane and located in the oral cavity.
<b>lip</b>	The edge of a hollow container or an opening. <i>He kissed her on the <b>lips</b>.</i>
<b><u>mouth</u></b>	An opening that resembles a mouth as of a cave or a gorge. <i>A pool at the <b>mouth</b> of the river.</i>
<b>nasal</b>	A nasal speech sound. <i>A whining <b>nasal</b> voice.</i>
<b><u>neck</u></b>	A person's neck regarded as bearing a burden of responsibility or guilt. <i>The bottle had a wide <b>neck</b>.</i>
<b><u>oral</u></b>	Done or taken by the mouth. <i>An <b>oral</b> tradition.</i>
<b>palate</b>	The upper surface of the mouth that separates the oral and nasal cavities. <i>A wine with a zingy peachy <b>palate</b>.</i>
<b>pharyngeal</b>	A pharyngeal consonant.
<b>pharynx</b>	The membrane-lined cavity behind the nose and mouth, connecting them to the oesophagus.
<b>pulmonary</b>	Relating to the lungs. <i><b>Pulmonary</b> disease.</i>

- shoulder** Push with the shoulders.  
*A jacket with padded **shoulders**.*
- stifler** A person who stifles or smothers or suppresses.  
*He is a real conversation **stifler**.*
- stricture** Abnormal narrowing of a canal or duct in the body.  
*A colonic **stricture**.*
- tongue** Lick or explore with the tongue.  
*The girls were singing in their native **tongue**.*
- tonsil** Either of two masses of lymphatic tissue one on each side of the oral pharynx.

