

Need another word that means the same as “throttle”? Find 27 synonyms and 30 related words for “throttle” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Throttle” are: strangle, strangulate, bound, confine, limit, restrict, trammel, choke, garrote, asphyxiate, smother, suffocate, stifle, suppress, inhibit, control, restrain, check, contain, put a lid on, put the lid on, accelerator, accelerator pedal, gas, gas pedal, gun, throttle valve**

## Throttle as a Noun

### Definitions of "Throttle" as a noun

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

- *A valve that regulates the supply of fuel to the engine.*
- *A device controlling the flow of fuel or power to an engine.*
- *A person's throat, gullet, or windpipe.*
- *A pedal that controls the throttle valve.*



## Synonyms of "Throttle" as a noun (6 Words)

<b>accelerator</b>	An apparatus for accelerating charged particles to high velocities a particle accelerator. <i>The country has been the main <b>accelerator</b> of global growth for a decade.</i>
<b>accelerator pedal</b>	A lever that is operated with the foot.
<b>gas</b>	Gas or vapour used as a poisonous agent in warfare. <i><b>Gas</b> was one of the most dreaded weapons of the war.</i>
<b>gas pedal</b>	A volatile flammable mixture of hydrocarbons (hexane and heptane and octane etc.) derived from petroleum; used mainly as a fuel in internal-combustion engines.
<b>gun</b>	A gunman. <i>A grease <b>gun</b>.</i>
<b>throttle valve</b>	A pedal that controls the throttle valve.



## Usage Examples of "Throttle" as a noun

- *The engines were at full throttle.*



## Throttle as a Verb

### Definitions of "Throttle" as a verb

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

- *Place limits on (extent or access).*
- *Control (an engine or vehicle) with a throttle.*
- *Reduce the air supply.*
- *Reduce the power of an engine or vehicle by use of the throttle.*
- *Place limits on (extent or amount or access).*
- *Attack or kill (someone) by choking or strangling them.*
- *Kill by squeezing the throat of so as to cut off the air.*



## Synonyms of "Throttle" as a verb (21 Words)

<b>asphyxiate</b>	Be asphyxiated die from lack of oxygen. <i>They slowly <b>asphyxiated</b>.</i>
<b>bound</b>	Of an object rebound from a surface. <i>The horse <b>bounded</b> across the meadow.</i>
<b>check</b>	Write out a check on a bank account. <i>The handwriting <b>checks</b> with the signature on the <b>check</b>.</i>
<b>choke</b>	Cause to retch or choke. <i>The man <b>choked</b> his opponent.</i>
<b>confine</b>	Deprive of freedom take into confinement. <i>He was <b>confined</b> to bed for four days with a bad dose of flu.</i>
<b>contain</b>	Be capable of holding or containing. <i>Since <b>F contains</b> the factor <b>Q</b> it disappears from both sides of the equation.</i>
<b>control</b>	Control others or oneself or influence skillfully usually to one's advantage. <i>Do you <b>control</b> these data.</i>

<b>garrotte</b>	Kill (someone) by strangulation, especially with a length of wire or cord. <i>He had been <b>garrotted</b> with piano wire.</i>
<b>inhibit</b>	Hinder, restrain, or prevent (an action or process). <i><b>Inhibit</b> the action of the enzyme.</i>
<b>limit</b>	Set or serve as a limit to. <i>Class sizes are <b>limited</b> to a maximum of 10.</i>
<b>put a lid on</b>	Put into a certain place or abstract location.
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<b>restrain</b>	To close within bounds, or otherwise limit or deprive of free movement. <i>Leg cuffs are used for <b>restraining</b> and transporting violent criminals.</i>
<b>restrict</b>	Place under restrictions limit access to. <i>I shall <b>restrict</b> myself to a single example.</i>
<b><u>smother</u></b>	Form an impenetrable cover over. <i>The butter cream <b>smothered</b> the cake.</i>
<b><u>stifle</u></b>	Impair the respiration of or obstruct the air passage of. <i>Those in the streets were <b>stifled</b> by the fumes.</i>
<b>strangle</b>	Kill by squeezing the throat of so as to cut off the air. <i>They allowed bureaucracy to <b>strangle</b> initiative.</i>
<b>strangulate</b>	Constrict a hollow organ or vessel so as to stop the flow of blood or air. <i>He tried to <b>strangulate</b> his opponent.</i>
<b><u>suffocate</u></b>	Die or cause to die from lack of air or inability to breathe. <i>He said he d <b>suffocate</b> if he remained in this house for another hour.</i>
<b><u>suppress</u></b>	Lessen to the point of stopping. <i>The rising was savagely <b>suppressed</b>.</i>
<b>trammel</b>	Place limits on (extent or amount or access). <i>We have no wish to be <b>trammelled</b> by convention.</i>



### Usage Examples of "Throttle" as a verb

- *She was sorely tempted to throttle him.*
- *The pitch of the engine fell as the driver throttled back.*
- *International sanctions were then throttling the country's economy.*
- *It has two engines that can be throttled.*



## Associations of "Throttle" (30 Words)

- airway** A recognized route followed by aircraft.  
*He kept the man's **airway** clear and blood circulating.*
- bound** Bound by an oath.  
*Bullets **bounded** off the veranda.*
- button** Any artifact that resembles a button.  
***Button** the dress.*
- cased** Covered or protected with or as if with a case.  
*Knights **cased** in steel.*
- chance** Be the case by chance.  
*We ran into each other by pure **chance**.*
- chin** Hit or punch someone on the chin.  
*He looked about ready to **chin** someone.*
- choke** A knob which controls the choke in a carburettor.  
*A full **choke** gun.*



<b>clog</b>	Impede with a clog or as if with a clog. <i>Horses were <b>clogged</b> until they were tamed.</i>
<b>clutter</b>	Unwanted echoes that interfere with the observation of signals on a radar screen. <i>The room was in a <b>clutter</b> of smelly untidiness.</i>
<b>death</b>	The personification of death. <i>Even in <b>death</b> she was beautiful.</i>
<b>drown</b>	Deliberately kill a person or animal by drowning. <i>The noise <b>drowned</b> out her speech.</i>
<b>execute</b>	Carry out an instruction or program. <i><b>Execute</b> the decision of the people.</i>
<b>garrote</b>	An instrument of execution for execution by strangulation.
<b>ligature</b>	Bind or connect with a ligature. <i>There was no sign of the <b>ligature</b> which strangled her.</i>
<b>muffle</b>	Wrap or cover for warmth. <i>A <b>muffle</b> furnace.</i>
<b>neck</b>	The length of a horse's head and neck as a measure of its lead in a race. <i>We started <b>necking</b> on the sofa.</i>
<b>obstruct</b>	Shut out from view or get in the way so as to hide from sight. <i>They had to alter the course of the stream and <b>obstruct</b> the natural flow of the water.</i>
<b>open</b>	Of a victor having won an open competition. <i>The dispute erupted into <b>open</b> war.</i>
<b>pharynx</b>	The membrane-lined cavity behind the nose and mouth, connecting them to the oesophagus.
<b>smother</b>	Envelop completely. <i>The butter cream <b>smothered</b> the cake.</i>
<b>stifle</b>	Restrain (a reaction) or stop oneself acting on (an emotion). <i>Those in the streets were <b>stifled</b> by the fumes.</i>
<b>strangle</b>	Suppress (an impulse, action, or sound). <i>She <b>strangled</b> a sob.</i>
<b>strung</b>	That is on a string.
<b>suffocate</b>	Struggle for breath; have insufficient oxygen intake. <i>She was <b>suffocated</b> by fumes from the boiler.</i>
<b>suffocation</b>	The state or process of dying from being deprived of air or unable to breathe. <i>We had to face heat and <b>suffocation</b> inside the coach.</i>

- tyed** Bound together by or as if by a strong rope; especially as by a bond of affection.  
*Agricultural workers living in **tyed** accommodation.*
- trammel** A hook in a fireplace for a kettle.  
*We will forge our own future free from the **trammels** of materialism.*
- valve** Each of the halves of the hinged shell of a bivalve mollusc or brachiopod or of the parts of the compound shell of a barnacle.  
*A **valve** shuts off the flow from the boiler when the water is hot enough.*

