

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

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The synonyms of “Thunderstorm” are: electric storm, tempest, squall

Thunderstorm as a Noun

Definitions of "Thunderstorm" as a noun

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

- *A storm resulting from strong rising air currents; heavy rain or hail along with thunder and lightning.*
- *A storm with thunder and lightning and typically also heavy rain or hail.*



Synonyms of "Thunderstorm" as a noun (3 Words)

electric storm A car that is powered by electricity.

squall A sudden violent gust of wind or localized storm, especially one bringing rain, snow, or sleet.

*Low clouds and **squalls** of driving rain.*

tempest A violent windy storm.

*A raging **tempest**.*



Associations of "Thunderstorm" (30 Words)

- blizzard** A series of unexpected and unpleasant occurrences.
*A **blizzard** of lawsuits.*
- breeze** A slight wind (usually refreshing).
*Roger **breezed** into her office.*
- cloudburst** A sudden violent rainstorm.
- convolute** Practice sophistry; change the meaning of or be vague about in order to mislead or deceive.
*A **convolute** petal.*
- cyclone** Rapid inward circulation of air masses about a low pressure center; circling counterclockwise in the northern hemisphere and clockwise in the southern.
- damage** Suffer or be susceptible to damage.
*These fine china cups **damage** easily.*

deluge	A heavy fall of rain. <i>Caravans were deluged by the heavy rains.</i>
downpour	A heavy rain. <i>A sudden downpour had filled the gutters and drains.</i>
eddy	A circular movement of water causing a small whirlpool. <i>An eddy of chill air swirled into the carriage.</i>
flood	Of a flood force someone to leave their home. <i>A flood barrier.</i>
<u>gale</u>	A very strong wind. <i>I slept well despite the howling gales outside.</i>
gust	Of the wind blow in gusts. <i>The wind was gusting through the branches of the tree.</i>
<u>hail</u>	Hail falls. <i>It hailed so hard we had to stop.</i>
<u>hurricane</u>	A storm with a violent wind, in particular a tropical cyclone in the Caribbean. <i>A powerful hurricane hit the Florida coast.</i>
purl	Knit with a purl stitch. <i>The water was purling.</i>
rainfall	Water falling in drops from vapor condensed in the atmosphere. <i>The absorption of further supplies from rainfalls.</i>
rainstorm	A storm with heavy rain.
snow	A dessert or other dish resembling snow. <i>All that they could pick up on their screens was snow.</i>
squall	Blow in a squall. <i>Sarah was squalling in her crib.</i>
<u>storm</u>	Storm windows. <i>The book caused a storm in America.</i>
<u>swirl</u>	A twisting or spiralling movement or pattern. <i>The smoke was swirling around him.</i>
<u>tempest</u>	(literary) a violent wind. <i>It was only a tempest in a teapot.</i>
<u>tornado</u>	A person or thing characterized by violent or devastating action or emotion. <i>Teenagers caught up in a tornado of sexual confusion.</i>
<u>torrential</u>	Pouring in abundance. <i>Torrential applause.</i>
typhoon	A tropical storm in the region of the Indian or western Pacific oceans.

- waft** (with reference to a scent, sound, etc.) pass or cause to pass gently through the air.
*From the kitchen comes a **waft** of roasting meat.*
- warning** Cautionary advice about something imminent (especially imminent danger or other unpleasantness).
*The **warning** was to beware of surprises.*
- whirlpool** A quickly rotating mass of water in a river or sea into which objects may be drawn, typically caused by the meeting of conflicting currents.
*He was drawing her down into an emotional **whirlpool**.*
- wind** Catch the scent of get wind of.
***Wind** your watch.*
- windy** Resembling the wind in speed, force, or variability.
*The cold **windy** hills.*

