

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

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The synonyms of “Upbringing” are: breeding, fosterage, fostering, nurture, raising, rearing, care, upkeep, cultivation, tending

Upbringing as a Noun

Definitions of "Upbringing" as a noun

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

- *Properties acquired during a person's formative years.*
- *The treatment and instruction received by a child from its parents throughout its childhood.*
- *Helping someone grow up to be an accepted member of the community.*



Synonyms of "Upbringing" as a noun (10 Words)

breeding	The production of animals or plants by inbreeding or hybridization. <i>A woman of breeding and refinement.</i>
care	Serious attention or consideration applied to doing something correctly or to avoid damage or risk. <i>No medical care was required.</i>
cultivation	The process of fostering the growth of something. <i>The cultivation of arable crops.</i>
fosterage	Helping someone grow up to be an accepted member of the community. <i>Fosterage was commonplace with the support of the extended family.</i>
fostering	Encouragement; aiding the development of something.
<u>nurture</u>	The action or process of nurturing someone or something. <i>The nurture of children.</i>
raising	The properties acquired as a consequence of the way you were treated as a child. <i>A raising of the land resulting from volcanic activity.</i>
rearing	The properties acquired as a consequence of the way you were treated as a child.
tending	The work of providing treatment for or attending to someone or something.
<u>upkeep</u>	The process of keeping something in good condition. <i>Payments for the children s upkeep.</i>

Usage Examples of "Upbringing" as a noun

- *She had had a Christian upbringing.*
- *He was a countryman by upbringing.*

Associations of "Upbringing" (30 Words)

adoption	A legal proceeding that creates a parent-child relation between persons not related by blood; the adopted child is entitled to all privileges belonging to a natural child of the adoptive parents (including the right to inherit). <i>Private adoptions are illegal in Britain.</i>
<u>austere</u>	Practicing great self-denial- William James. <i>He was an austere man with a rigidly puritanical outlook.</i>
baby	Treat someone as a baby pamper or be overprotective towards. <i>This project is his baby.</i>

breed	Rear and train (someone) to behave in a particular way or have certain qualities. <i>He experimented on a particular breed of white rats.</i>
breeding	The production of animals or plants by inbreeding or hybridization. <i>That s the kind of modesty you get from good breeding.</i>
<u>elevation</u>	The raising of the consecrated elements for adoration at Mass. <i>A dancer of exceptional elevation.</i>
exacting	Requiring precise accuracy. <i>The exacting standards laid down by the organic food industry.</i>
feeding	The act of consuming food.
formalism	The practice of scrupulous adherence to prescribed or external forms. <i>There is a formalism which expresses the idea of superposition.</i>
<u>foster</u>	Bring up under fosterage of children. <i>A person who would foster Holly was found.</i>
housework	The work of cleaning and running a house. <i>I was busy doing housework when the doorbell rang.</i>
increasing	Music increasing in tempo and or volume. <i>The increasing numbers of students.</i>
martinet	Someone who demands exact conformity to rules and forms. <i>A martinet of a staff officer.</i>
mounting	The action of mounting something. <i>The mounting of rapid fire guns.</i>
<u>nurture</u>	Look after a child until it is an adult. <i>Nurture his talents.</i>
<u>parent</u>	Be or act as a parent to a child. <i>Stems will root down creating a new crown near the parent.</i>
raise	Raise the level or amount of something. <i>Raise the roof.</i>
raising	The event of something being raised upward. <i>A cost raising increase in the basic wage rate.</i>
rearing	Rearing on left hind leg with forelegs elevated and head usually in profile.
<u>reproduction</u>	A copy of a work of art, especially a print or photograph of a painting. <i>The design was changed to allow louder reproduction.</i>
rigid	Incapable of adapting or changing to meet circumstances. <i>A face rigid with pain.</i>
<u>rigorous</u>	Harsh and demanding. <i>Rigorous application of the law.</i>

rigour	The quality of being valid and rigorous. <i>His analysis is lacking in rigour.</i>
severity	Excessive sternness. <i>She stared at me with mock severity.</i>
spartan	Showing or characterized by austerity or a lack of comfort or luxury. <i>The accommodation was fairly spartan.</i>
strict	Characterized by strictness severity or restraint. <i>Strict standards.</i>
stringency	A state occasioned by scarcity of money and a shortage of credit.
<u>stringent</u>	Demanding strict attention to rules and procedures. <i>Stringent safety measures.</i>
training	Activity leading to skilled behavior. <i>You ll have to go into strict training.</i>
unbending	Reserved, formal, or strict in one's behaviour or attitudes; austere and inflexible. <i>An unbending will to dominate.</i>