

Need another word that means the same as “vessel”? Find 17 synonyms and 30 related words for “vessel” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Vessel” are: watercraft, vas, boat, sailing boat, ship, yacht, craft, container, receptacle, repository, holder, carrier, duct, tube, channel, passage, pipe**

## Vessel as a Noun

### Definitions of "Vessel" as a noun

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

- *A craft designed for water transportation.*
- *A duct or canal holding or conveying blood or other fluid.*
- *A ship or large boat.*
- *(chiefly in biblical use) a person regarded as having or embodying a particular quality.*
- *Any of the tubular structures in the vascular system of a plant, serving to conduct water and mineral nutrients from the root.*
- *A hollow container, especially one used to hold liquid, such as a bowl or cask.*
- *An object used as a container (especially for liquids).*
- *A tube in which a body fluid circulates.*



## Synonyms of "Vessel" as a noun (17 Words)

<b>boat</b>	A serving dish in the shape of a boat. <i>A gravy <b>boat</b>.</i>
<b><u>carrier</u></b>	An aircraft carrier. <i>The bonds were transmitted by <b>carrier</b>.</i>
<b><u>channel</u></b>	A service or station using a channel of frequencies. <i>The fields were crossed with irrigation <b>channels</b>.</i>
<b><u>container</u></b>	An object for holding or transporting something. <i>More <b>containers</b> can run on a server than traditional virtual machines.</i>
<b><u>craft</u></b>	An aircraft or spaceship. <i>A <b>craft</b> fair.</i>
<b>duct</b>	(in the body) a vessel for conveying lymph or glandular secretions such as tears or bile. <i>Ventilation <b>ducts</b>.</i>
<b>holder</b>	A smallholder. <i><b>Holders</b> of two American hostages.</i>
<b><u>passage</u></b>	A narrow way allowing access between buildings or to different rooms within a building a passageway. <i>The species occurs regularly on <b>passage</b>.</i>

<b>pipe</b>	A set of musical pipes joined together as in pan pipes. <i>The sad little <b>pipe</b> of the ringed plover.</i>
<b>receptacle</b>	An enlarged area at the apex of a stem on which the parts of a flower or the florets of a flower head are inserted. <i>Fast food <b>receptacles</b>.</i>
<b>repository</b>	A central location in which data is stored and managed. <i>The metadata will be aggregated in a <b>repository</b>.</i>
<b>sailing boat</b>	Riding in a sailboat.
<b>ship</b>	A spaceship. <i>The <b>ship</b> left England with a crew of 36.</i>
<b>tube</b>	A thing in the form of or resembling a tube. <i>He angled his board to get in the <b>tube</b>.</i>
<b>vas</b>	A vessel or duct.
<b>watercraft</b>	A boat or other vessel that travels on water.
<b>yacht</b>	A medium-sized sailing boat equipped for cruising or racing. <i>An eighty five foot diesel <b>yacht</b>.</i>





## Usage Examples of "Vessel" as a noun

- *Lord, use this lowly vessel, let me serve You as You will.*



## Associations of "Vessel" (30 Words)

<b>barge</b>	Transport by barge on a body of water. <i>You can use this method to <b>barge</b> an opponent.</i>
<b>boat</b>	A serving dish in the shape of a boat. <i>A fishing <b>boat</b>.</i>
<b>capillary</b>	A tube of small internal diameter holds liquid by capillary action. <i><b>Capillary</b> blood.</i>
<b>cruise</b>	Travel or move around a place slowly, typically in search of something. <i>A <b>cruise</b> liner.</i>
<b>demurrage</b>	Detention of a ship or freight car or other cargo beyond its scheduled time of departure.

<b>dock</b>	Of a ship come into a dock and tie up at a wharf. <i>The yard where the boats were <b>docked</b> and maintained.</i>
<b>ferry</b>	Travel by ferry. <i>Ambulances <b>ferried</b> the injured to hospital.</i>
<b>ferryman</b>	A man who operates a ferry.
<b>flotilla</b>	A small fleet of ships or boats. <i>A <b>flotilla</b> of cargo boats.</i>
<b>foresail</b>	The principal sail on a foremast.
<b>galleon</b>	A large square-rigged sailing ship with three or more masts; used by the Spanish for commerce and war from the 15th to 18th centuries. <i>A Spanish treasure <b>galleon</b> wrecked off the Florida Keys.</i>
<b>liner</b>	A boat engaged in sea fishing with lines as opposed to nets. <i>The batter hit a <b>liner</b> to the shortstop.</i>
<b>motorboat</b>	Ride in a motorboat.
<b>naval</b>	Relating to a navy or navies. <i>A <b>naval</b> base.</i>
<b>oakum</b>	Loose fibre obtained by untwisting old rope, used especially in caulking wooden ships.
<b>pier</b>	A platform on pillars projecting from the shore into the sea, typically incorporating entertainment arcades and places to eat.
<b>privateer</b>	An officer or crew member of a privateer. <i>She was captured by a French 44 gun <b>privateer</b>.</i>
<b>sail</b>	A voyage or excursion in a ship especially a sailing ship or boat. <i>Plastic ships could be <b>sailing</b> the oceans soon.</i>
<b>sailing</b>	The action of sailing in a ship or boat. <i>On the eve of her <b>sailing</b> she learned that news had come in from Cyprus.</i>
<b>ship</b>	Travel by ship. <i>Bob got sick a week before we <b>shipped</b> out.</i>
<b>sinking</b>	A feeling caused by uneasiness or apprehension. <i>They still talk about the <b>sinking</b> of the Titanic.</i>
<b>steamboat</b>	A boat that is propelled by a steam engine, especially (in the US) a paddle-wheel craft of a type used on rivers in the 19th century.
<b>submarine</b>	Control a submarine. <i><b>Submarine</b> volcanic activity.</i>
<b>sunken</b>	Having a sunken area. <i>The wreck of a <b>sunken</b> ship.</i>

**transatlantic** Concerning countries on both sides of the Atlantic, typically Britain and the US.

A *transatlantic* flight.

**tugboat** A powerful small boat designed to pull or push larger ships.

**warship** A government ship that is available for waging war.

**whaler** A seaman engaged in whaling.

**wreck** The destruction of a ship at sea a shipwreck.  
The blast *wrecked* 100 houses.

**yacht** Travel in a yacht.  
An eighty five foot diesel *yacht*.

