

Need another word that means the same as “waddle”? Find 7 synonyms and 30 related words for “waddle” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Waddle” are: coggle, dodder, paddle, toddle, totter, wobble, shamble**

## **Waddle as a Verb**

### **Definitions of "Waddle" as a verb**

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

- *Walk unsteadily.*
- *Walk with short steps and a clumsy swaying motion.*



## Synonyms of "Waddle" as a verb (7 Words)

- coggle** Walk unsteadily.
- dodder** Walk unsteadily.  
*An elderly couple gave us a concerned glance as they **doddered** past.*
- paddle** Propel a boat along a stretch of water using paddles.  
**Paddle** your own canoe.
- shamble** (of a person) move with a slow, shuffling, awkward gait.  
*He **shambled** off down the corridor.*
- toddle** Walk unsteadily.  
*Small children **toddle**.*
- totter** Walk unsteadily.  
*The building began to **totter** and then the roof gave way.*
- wobble** Move unsteadily.  
*Enthusiastic thumping may **wobble** the lectern.*



## Usage Examples of "Waddle" as a verb

- *Three geese waddled across the road.*



## Associations of "Waddle" (30 Words)

- changed** Changed in constitution or structure or composition by metamorphism.  
*A greatly **changed** country after the war.*
- collapse** Collapse due to fatigue an illness or a sudden attack.  
*The church roof is in danger of **collapse**.*
- dodder** Move in a feeble or unsteady way, especially because of old age.  
*An elderly couple gave us a concerned glance as they **doddered** past.*
- fall** Go as if by falling.  
*The hills around here **fall** towards the ocean.*
- falter** Lose strength or momentum.  
*Their enthusiasm is **faltering**.*

<b><u>lurch</u></b>	Defeat by a lurch. <i>The truck <b>lurched</b> down the road.</i>
<b>motion</b>	An optical illusion of motion produced by viewing a rapid succession of still pictures of a moving object. <i>Councillor Byrne <b>motioned</b> that the committee call on the area manager to install street lighting.</i>
<b>move</b>	Move so as to change position perform a nontranslational motion. <i>The debate <b>moved</b> from family values to the economy.</i>
<b><u>mug</u></b>	The quantity that can be held in a mug. <i>He was <b>mugged</b> by three men who stole his bike.</i>
<b>oscillate</b>	Be undecided about something; waver between conflicting positions or courses of action. <i>The grain pan near the front of the combine <b>oscillates</b> back and forth.</i>
<b>paddle</b>	A paddle shaped instrument used for mixing food or stirring or mixing in industrial processes. <i>A gentle <b>paddle</b> on sluggish water.</i>
<b>playground</b>	An area where many people go for recreation. <i><b>Playground</b> games.</i>
<b><u>quiver</u></b>	Shake with fast, tremulous movements. <i>She couldn't help the <b>quiver</b> in her voice.</i>
<b><u>ride</u></b>	Ride over along or through. <i>She <b>rides</b> the bus across 42nd Street.</i>
<b>roller</b>	Relating to or involving roller skates. <i>It's best to put <b>rollers</b> in when hair is slightly damp after washing.</i>
<b>seesaw</b>	Move up and down as if on a seesaw.
<b>shakily</b>	In an insecurely shaky manner.
<b>stagger</b>	An arrangement of things in a zigzag formation or so that they are not in line. <i>The collision <b>staggered</b> her and she fell.</i>
<b>stumble</b>	Find or encounter by chance. <i>She <b>stumbled</b> over the words.</i>
<b>suddenly</b>	On impulse; without premeditation. <i><b>Suddenly</b> I heard a loud scream.</i>
<b><u>sway</u></b>	Move or walk in a swinging or swaying manner. <i>Wind rattled and <b>swayed</b> the trees.</i>
<b>teeter</b>	Be unable to decide between different courses; waver. <i>She <b>teetered</b> after him in her high heeled sandals.</i>

<b>topple</b>	Cause to topple or tumble by pushing. <i>Disagreement had threatened to <b>topple</b> the government.</i>
<b>totter</b>	Walk unsteadily. <i>The building began to <b>totter</b> and then the roof gave way.</i>
<b>tumble</b>	Cause to topple or tumble by pushing. <i>Property prices <b>tumbled</b>.</i>
<b>unstable</b>	Disposed to psychological variability. <i>Everything was <b>unstable</b> following the coup.</i>
<b>vibrate</b>	(of a sound) resonate; continue to be heard. <i>The bumblebee <b>vibrated</b> its wings for a few seconds.</i>
<b>walk</b>	Allow or enable a batter to walk. <i>She spotted a man <b>walking</b> his retriever.</i>
<b>waver</b>	Be undecided between two opinions or courses of action. <i>She never <b>wavered</b> from her intention.</i>
<b>wobble</b>	Waver between different courses of action; vacillate. <i>They <b>wobble</b> around on their bikes.</i>

