

Need another word that means the same as “wilderness”? Find 8 synonyms and 30 related words for “wilderness” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Wilderness” are: wild, wilds, wastes, uninhabited region, badlands, wasteland, neglected area, no-man's-land**

## Wilderness as a Noun

### Definitions of "Wilderness" as a noun

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

- *(politics) a state of disfavor.*
- *A state of disfavor.*
- *A bewildering profusion.*
- *An uncultivated, uninhabited, and inhospitable region.*
- *A wooded region in northeastern Virginia near Spotsylvania where bloody but inconclusive battles were fought in the American Civil War.*
- *A neglected or abandoned area.*
- *A position of disfavour, especially in a political context.*
- *A wild and uninhabited area left in its natural condition.*



## Synonyms of "Wilderness" as a noun (8 Words)

### badlands

A barren plateau region of the western US, mainly in North and South Dakota and Nebraska.

### **neglected area**

The trait of neglecting responsibilities and lacking concern.

### **no-man's-land**

Agriculture considered as an occupation or way of life.

### **uninhabited region**

A large indefinite location on the surface of the Earth.

### wasteland

An uninhabited wilderness that is worthless for cultivation.

*We'd creep through a hole in the fence on this bit of **wasteland** and play games in the bushes.*

### **wastes**

An uninhabited wilderness that is worthless for cultivation.

*The trackless **wastes** of the desert.*

### **wild**

A wild primitive state untouched by civilization.

*He lived in the **wild**.*

### **wilds**

A wild and uninhabited area left in its natural condition.

*They collected mushrooms in the wild.*





## Usage Examples of "Wilderness" as a noun

- *The duties of citizenship are lost sight of in the wilderness of interests of individuals and groups.*
- *The man who led the Labour Party out of the wilderness.*
- *A wilderness of masts in the harbor.*
- *He led the Democratic party back from the wilderness.*
- *His wilderness years.*
- *The garden had become a wilderness of weeds and bushes.*
- *It was a wilderness preserved for the hawks and mountaineers.*





## Associations of "Wilderness" (30 Words)

<b>acreage</b>	An area of ground used for some particular purpose (such as building or farming). <i>A 35 per cent increase in net <b>acreage</b>.</i>
<b>adventure</b>	A commercial venture. <i>She travelled the world in search of <b>adventure</b>.</i>
<b>beach</b>	Land on a beach. <i>Competitive procurement seems to have <b>beached</b> several firms.</i>
<b>bumpy</b>	(of a surface) uneven, with many patches raised above the rest. <i>The car jolted on the <b>bumpy</b> road.</i>
<b>coastal</b>	Located on or near or bordering on a coast. <i><b>Coastal</b> waters.</i>
<b>countryside</b>	The inhabitants of countryside areas. <i>The political influence of the <b>countryside</b> remains strong.</i>

<b>craggy</b>	(of a landscape) having many crags. <i>A <b>craggy</b> coastline.</i>
<b>deforest</b>	Clear (an area) of forests or trees. <i>The landscape was <b>deforested</b> by the enemy attacks.</i>
<b>desert</b>	Desert a cause a country or an army often in order to join the opposing cause country or army. <i>Her luck <b>deserted</b> her.</i>
<b>dune</b>	A mound or ridge of sand or other loose sediment formed by the wind, especially on the sea coast or in a desert. <i>A sand <b>dune</b>.</i>
<b>foreshore</b>	The part of the seashore between the highwater mark and the low-water mark.
<b>gravelly</b>	(of a voice) deep and rough-sounding. <i>A <b>gravelly</b> voice.</i>
<b>hilly</b>	Having many hills. <i>A remote <b>hilly</b> district.</i>
<b>incapable</b>	Unable to do or achieve (something). <i><b>Incapable</b> of solution.</i>
<b>jagged</b>	Having a sharply uneven surface or outline. <i>The <b>jagged</b> edges gashed their fingers.</i>
<b>land</b>	Bring a fish to land with a net or rod. <i>He <b>landed</b> his troops at Hastings.</i>
<b>landlocked</b>	(of a country or region) almost or entirely surrounded by land. <i>Maine s <b>landlocked</b> sebago salmon.</i>
<b>mountainous</b>	Having hills and crags. <i>Struggling under <b>mountainous</b> debts.</i>
<b>nature</b>	The complex of emotional and intellectual attributes that determine a person's characteristic actions and reactions. <i>It s not in her <b>nature</b> to listen to advice.</i>
<b>oasis</b>	A fertile spot in a desert, where water is found. <i>The park is an <b>oasis</b> of calm in the centre of the city.</i>
<b>pebble</b>	A small smooth rounded rock. <i>A narrow <b>pebble</b> beach.</i>
<b>rock</b>	A mass of rock projecting above the earth s surface or out of the sea. <i>The new system is heading for the <b>rocks</b>.</i>
<b>rugged</b>	(of ground or terrain) having a broken, rocky, and uneven surface. <i>The <b>rugged</b> conditions of frontier life.</i>



<b>sandy</b>	Resembling or containing or abounding in sand or growing in sandy areas. <i>Pale eyes and receding <b>sandy</b> hair.</i>
<b>sediment</b>	Deposit as a sediment. <i>The DNA was <b>sedimented</b> by centrifugation.</i>
<b>soil</b>	Make soiled filthy or dirty. <i>Don t <b>soil</b> your clothes when you play outside.</i>
<b>stony</b>	Showing unfeeling resistance to tender feelings. <i>Lucenzo s hard <b>stony</b> eyes.</i>
<b>uneven</b>	Variable and recurring at irregular intervals. <i>An <b>uneven</b> color.</i>
<b>wasted</b>	Under the influence of alcohol or illegal drugs. <i><b>Wasted</b> fuel.</i>

