

Need another word that means the same as “wrestling”? Find 5 synonyms and 30 related words for “wrestling” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Wrestling” are: grappling, rassling, grapple, hand-to-hand struggle, wrestle

Wrestling as a Noun

Definitions of "Wrestling" as a noun

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

- *The act of engaging in close hand-to-hand combat.*
- *The sport or activity of grappling with an opponent and trying to throw or hold them down on the ground, typically according to a code of rules.*
- *The sport of hand-to-hand struggle between unarmed contestants who try to throw each other down.*



Synonyms of "Wrestling" as a noun (5 Words)

grapple

A dredging bucket with hinges like the shell of a clam.

grappling

The act of engaging in close hand-to-hand combat.

*We watched his **grappling** and wrestling with the bully.*

hand-to-hand struggle A position given by its location to the side of an object.

rassling

The sport of hand-to-hand struggle between unarmed contestants who try to throw each other down.

wrestle

The act of engaging in close hand-to-hand combat.

*They had a fierce **wrestle**.*



Usage Examples of "Wrestling" as a noun

- *We watched his grappling and wrestling with the bully.*



Associations of "Wrestling" (30 Words)

archery	Shooting with a bow and arrows, especially at a target as a sport.
badminton	A game played on a court with light long-handled rackets used to volley a shuttlecock over a net.
ball	A ball game played with a bat and ball between two teams of nine players teams take turns at bat trying to score runs. <i>There was a baseball game on every empty lot.</i>
baseball	The hard ball used in baseball. <i>A game of baseball.</i>
basketball	The inflated ball used in basketball.
bowling	The game of tenpin bowling. <i>On paper their bowling looks weak.</i>
chess	A board game of strategic skill for two players, played on a chequered board on which each playing piece is moved according to precise rules. The object is to put the opponent's king under a direct attack from which escape is impossible (checkmate).
cricket	Play cricket.
fencing	A barrier that serves to enclose an area. <i>The horse makes his fencing debut today.</i>
frisky	Playful and full of energy. <i>He bounds about like a frisky pup.</i>
frolicsome	Lively and playful. <i>Frolicsome students celebrated their graduation with parties and practical jokes.</i>
golf	Play golf. <i>He was a fixture at the golf club in Rockport where he golfed until his early nineties.</i>
gymnastics	Exercises developing or displaying physical agility and coordination The modern sport of gymnastics typically involves exercises on bars beam floor and vaulting horse. <i>These vocal gymnastics make the music unforgettable.</i>
hockey	A team game played between two teams of eleven players each using hooked sticks with which the players try to drive a small hard ball towards goals at opposite ends of a field In North America it is called field hockey to distinguish it from ice hockey.

joggle	Fasten or join with a joggle. <i>The lurch and joggle of the car.</i>
play	Be at play be engaged in playful activity amuse oneself in a way characteristic of children. <i>I play squash and badminton.</i>
<u>playful</u>	Giving or expressing pleasure and amusement. <i>A playful tomboy who loves to dress up.</i>
<u>shoes</u>	A particular situation.
skate	An ice skate or roller skate. <i>The Dutch often skate along the canals in winter.</i>
soccer	A form of football played by two teams of eleven players with a round ball which may not be handled during play except by the goalkeepers.
sport	Someone who engages in sports. <i>I have heard there is good sport to be had in Buttermere.</i>
sportive	Playful; light-hearted. <i>Sir John was in sportive mood.</i>
<u>swimming</u>	The act of swimming. <i>A swimming instructor.</i>
tennis	A game in which two or four players strike a ball with rackets over a net stretched across a court The usual form originally called lawn tennis is played with a felt covered hollow rubber ball on a grass clay or artificial surface.
<u>tournament</u>	A sporting competition in which contestants play a series of games to decide the winner. <i>The Royal Tournament.</i>
volleyball	The inflated ball used in volleyball.
wiggle	Move or cause to move up and down or from side to side with small rapid movements. <i>A wiggle on a chart.</i>
wrestle	Engage in a wrestling match. <i>He wrestled all his life with his feeling of inferiority.</i>
wriggle	To move in a twisting or contorted motion, (especially when struggling). <i>She gave an impatient little wriggle.</i>
<u>writhe</u>	Make twisting, squirming movements or contortions of the body. <i>He writhed in agony on the ground.</i>

