

# Meaning of military in English

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relating to or belonging to the armed forces:

foreign military intervention

military targets/forces

military uniform

typical of the armed forces:

military precision

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- The minister argued against making cuts in military spending.
- The military expedition was made up of 100 officers and men.
- Spain was an important military power in the 16th century.
- The general made some bellicose statements about his country's military strength.
- Over 100 military vehicles paraded through the capital in a show of strength.

Thesaurus: synonyms and related words

## Related word

militarily adverb

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the armed forces:

The military has opposed any cuts in defence spending.

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A military academy is a place where soldiers are trained to become officers.

A military academy (or school) is also a private school or college that expects obedience to rules, has uniforms, and is generally run like the armed forces.

the armed forces of a country:

My Dad was in the military.

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## Examples of military

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The first three chapters raise initial concerns about using private violence in place of state militaries.

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Moreover, a penchant for intervention in the economy cannot be used to explain the military's enthusiasm for industrial promotion.

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военный, воинский...