

Treason Terms

200 alternative words or closely related terms for treason. These range from **direct legal synonyms** to **historical, political, moral, metaphorical, and critical descriptors**. Not all are strict legal equivalents, but each captures an aspect of betrayal, disloyalty, or violation of allegiance.

Direct / Legal / Historical

1. Betrayal
 2. High treason
 3. Seditious
 4. Insurrection
 5. Rebellion
 6. Mutiny
 7. Subversion
 8. Treachery
 9. Espionage
 10. Sabotage
 11. Defection
 12. Collaboration (with enemy)
 13. Aiding the enemy
 14. Giving aid and comfort
 15. Levying war
 16. Usurpation
 17. Overthrow attempt
 18. Coup plotting
 19. Seditious conspiracy
 20. Insurgent activity
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Political & State-Level Disloyalty

21. Disloyalty
 22. Disaffection
 23. Renegade action
 24. Turncoat behavior
 25. Double-dealing
 26. Fifth-column activity
 27. Enemy collusion
 28. Hostile alignment
 29. Foreign allegiance
 30. Illicit allegiance
 31. Divided loyalty
 32. Undermining the state
 33. State betrayal
 34. National betrayal
 35. Sovereign violation
 36. Constitutional violation
 37. Government overthrow
 38. Regime betrayal
 39. Political apostasy
 40. Ideological defection
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Military & Intelligence Contexts

41. Desertion (contextual)
42. Dereliction of duty
43. Breach of command
44. Compromising security
45. Intelligence compromise
46. Classified disclosure

- 47. Leaking (classified)
 - 48. Counterintelligence breach
 - 49. Strategic sabotage
 - 50. Operational betrayal
 - 51. Friendly-fire betrayal
 - 52. Military treachery
 - 53. War betrayal
 - 54. Battlefield betrayal
 - 55. Chain-of-command violation
 - 56. National security breach
 - 57. Defense betrayal
 - 58. Complicity with enemy forces
 - 59. Hostile intelligence cooperation
 - 60. Wartime disloyalty
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Moral / Ethical / Relational

- 61. Faithlessness
- 62. Perfidy
- 63. Bad faith
- 64. Duplicity
- 65. False allegiance
- 66. Oath-breaking
- 67. Oath violation
- 68. Covenant breaking
- 69. Broken fealty
- 70. Broken loyalty
- 71. Dishonor
- 72. Moral betrayal
- 73. Ethical collapse

- 74.Trust violation
 - 75.Backstabbing
 - 76.Two-facedness
 - 77.Deceit
 - 78.Deception
 - 79.Deviuousness
 - 80.Judas act
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Covert / Subtle Undermining

- 81.Subterfuge
- 82.Infiltration
- 83.Undermining
- 84.Saboteur activity
- 85.Internal sabotage
- 86.Covert betrayal
- 87.Quiet treason
- 88.Soft treason (rhetorical)
- 89.Institutional subversion
- 90.Bureaucratic sabotage
- 91.Administrative betrayal
- 92.Procedural sabotage
- 93.Strategic noncompliance
- 94.Malign influence
- 95.Disruptive infiltration
- 96.Enemy sympathizing
- 97.Internal erosion
- 98.Hidden allegiance
- 99.Shadow loyalty
- 100.Silent betrayal

Legal–Political Euphemisms & Framing Language

- 101. Constitutional breach
- 102. National security violation
- 103. Unlawful allegiance
- 104. Hostile collaboration
- 105. Illicit coordination
- 106. Unauthorized foreign contact
- 107. Improper influence
- 108. Conflict of allegiance
- 109. Compromised loyalty
- 110. Foreign interference participation
- 111. Unregistered foreign agency
- 112. Influence peddling
- 113. Policy sabotage
- 114. State endangerment
- 115. Government destabilization
- 116. Democratic erosion
- 117. Rule-of-law violation
- 118. Civic betrayal
- 119. Public trust breach
- 120. Institutional disloyalty

Historical / Archaic / Literary

- 121. Treitorship
- 122. Apostasy (political)
- 123. Reprobation
- 124. False fealty
- 125. King-breaking

- 126.Crown betrayal
 - 127.Realm betrayal
 - 128.Liege betrayal
 - 129.Regicide plotting
 - 130.Crown conspiracy
 - 131.Treasonable conduct
 - 132.Seditionary acts
 - 133.Usurpative plotting
 - 134.Conspiracy against the realm
 - 135.Infidelity (archaic loyalty sense)
 - 136.False oaths
 - 137.Black treachery
 - 138.Double allegiance
 - 139.Perfidy of state
 - 140.Political heresy
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Ideological / Cultural

- 141.Ideological betrayal
- 142.Cultural treason
- 143.Civilizational betrayal
- 144.National apostasy
- 145.Revolutionary betrayal
- 146.Counterrevolutionary action
- 147.Subversive ideology
- 148.Anti-state activity
- 149.Anti-sovereign action
- 150.Hostile worldview alignment
- 151.Anti-constitutional conduct
- 152.Anti-national conduct

- 153. Anti-civic action
 - 154. Internal enemy action
 - 155. Political sabotage
 - 156. Institutional capture
 - 157. Cultural subversion
 - 158. Loyalty inversion
 - 159. Identity betrayal
 - 160. Values betrayal
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Rhetorical / Analytical / Critical

- 161. Betrayal of trust
- 162. Betrayal of oath
- 163. Betrayal of country
- 164. Betrayal of sovereignty
- 165. Treasonous conduct
- 166. Treasonous intent
- 167. Disloyal praxis
- 168. Hostile allegiance shift
- 169. Enemy enablement
- 170. State endangerment act
- 171. National self-sabotage
- 172. Internal collapse facilitation
- 173. Allegiance nullification
- 174. Civic faithlessness
- 175. Loyalty breach
- 176. Strategic betrayal
- 177. System betrayal
- 178. Political treachery
- 179. Sovereign sabotage

180.National disintegration

Extreme / Emphatic / Moral Condemnation

- 181.Ultimate betrayal
 - 182.Unforgivable betrayal
 - 183.Capital betrayal
 - 184.Foundational betrayal
 - 185.Mortal betrayal
 - 186.Nation-killing act
 - 187.Sovereignty murder (rhetorical)
 - 188.Republic betrayal
 - 189.Constitutional treachery
 - 190.Enemy service
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Academic / Structural Language

- 191.Illicit allegiance transfer
 - 192.Hostile power alignment
 - 193.State loyalty violation
 - 194.Allegiance breach
 - 195.Sovereign betrayal
 - 196.Political defection
 - 197.Institutional betrayal
 - 198.Systemic disloyalty
 - 199.State-subversive action
 - 200.Absolute disloyalty
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