

# SQL RENAME TABLE

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**SQL RENAME TABLE** syntax is used to change the name of a table. Sometimes, we choose non-meaningful name for the table. So it is required to be changed.

Let's see the syntax to rename a table from the database.

1. `ALTERTABLE table_name`
2. `RENAME TO new_table_name;`

Optionally, you can write following command to rename the table.

1. `RENAME old_table_name To new_table_name;`

Let us take an example of a table named "STUDENTS", now due to some reason we want to change it into table name "ARTISTS".

Table1: students

Name	Age	City
Amrita gill	25	Amritsar
Amrender sirohi	22	Ghaziabad
Divya khosla	20	Delhi

You should use any one of the following syntax to RENAME the table name:

1. `ALTERTABLE STUDENTS`
2. `RENAME TO ARTISTS;`

Or

1. `RENAME STUDENTS TO ARTISTS;`
2. After that the table "students" will be changed into table name "artists"