Python Key Words

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Python has a set of keywords that are reserved words that cannot be used as variable names, function names, or any other identifiers:

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| **Keyword** | **Description** |
| [and](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_and.asp) | A logical operator |
| [as](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_as.asp) | To create an alias |
| [assert](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_assert.asp) | For debugging |
| [break](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_break.asp) | To break out of a loop |
| [class](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_class.asp) | To define a class |
| [continue](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_continue.asp) | To continue to the next iteration of a loop |
| [def](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_def.asp) | To define a function |
| [del](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_del.asp) | To delete an object |
| [elif](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_elif.asp) | Used in conditional statements, same as else if |
| [else](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_else.asp) | Used in conditional statements |
| [except](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_except.asp) | Used with exceptions, what to do when an exception occurs |
| [False](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_false.asp) | Boolean value, result of comparison operations |
| [finally](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_finally.asp) | Used with exceptions, a block of code that will be executed no matter if there is an exception or not |
| [for](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_for.asp) | To create a for loop |
| [from](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_from.asp) | To import specific parts of a module |
| [global](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_global.asp) | To declare a global variable |
| [if](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_if.asp) | To make a conditional statement |
| [import](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_import.asp) | To import a module |
| [in](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_in.asp) | To check if a value is present in a list, tuple, etc. |
| [is](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_is.asp) | To test if two variables are equal |
| [lambda](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_lambda.asp) | To create an anonymous function |
| [None](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_none.asp) | Represents a null value |
| [nonlocal](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_nonlocal.asp) | To declare a non-local variable |
| [not](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_not.asp) | A logical operator |
| [or](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_or.asp) | A logical operator |
| [pass](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_pass.asp) | A null statement, a statement that will do nothing |
| [raise](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_raise.asp) | To raise an exception |
| [return](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_return.asp) | To exit a function and return a value |
| [True](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_true.asp) | Boolean value, result of comparison operations |
| [try](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_try.asp) | To make a try...except statement |
| [while](https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_keyword_while.asp) | To create a while loop |
| with | Used to simplify exception handling |
| yield | To end a function, returns a generator |