



# eliminate

(verb)

**Verb:** completely remove or get rid of (something).

**Etymology:** mid 16th century (in the sense 'drive out'): from Latin *eliminat-* 'turned out of doors', from the verb *eliminare*, from *e-* (variant of *ex-*) 'out' + *limen, limin-* 'threshold'.



## Synonyms

- Remove
- Banish
- Abolish

Sentences containing the word 'eliminate' in different forms:

- They tried to eliminate the pungent smell by opening windows.
- They tried to introduce a policy to drive down inflation.
- The health plan was designed to help eliminate toxins in the body.



French translation:  
éliminer

## Antonyms

- Add
- Create
- establish