

# embankment *(em-bank-ment)*

## Definition

n. a raised area of land used to stop water or to support a road.

## Example Sentence

The children walked along the **embankment** to see the river.

## More Example Sentences

Cars drove safely along the road on the **embankment**.

## Synonyms

levee; dam; berm

## Antonyms

ditch; valley; depression

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