

# hunkered

## Definition

v. to crouch down or squat low.

## Example Sentence

The escaped convicts **hunkered** down in a cave in the mountains.

## More Example Sentences

They **hunkered** to stay warm in the cold.

## Synonyms

crouched; squatted; huddled

## Antonyms

stood; straightened; rose

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