

# hunkered

## Definition

v. 1 to squat on one's heels often followed by down 2 Informal to hunch; to hid; hide out or take shelter 3 slang to lumber along; walk or move slowly or aimlessly

## Example Sentence

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

## Synonyms

squat; crouch; scrunch

## Antonyms

stand up

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