

# rivets *(riv-ets)*

## Definition

plural n. Metal pins used for fastening materials together, typically by being passed through holes in the materials and then hammered or pressed to form a head on one or both ends.

## Example Sentence

The construction worker used **rivets** to secure the metal beams.

## More Example Sentences

**Rivets** are essential in building structures like bridges and airplanes.

## Synonyms

fasteners; pins; bolts

## Antonyms

detaches; loosens; unfastens

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