

- Sans*, without, this French word is sometimes used in blazon in English armory.
- Saracen*, see Turk.
- Savage*, see Wild Man.
- Scaling ladder*, a short ladder with hooks at the upper end, borne bendways unless otherwise specified.
- Scallop*, see escallop.
- Sea-dog*, a fabulous beast resembling a dog, with scales and having pendent ears, webbed feet, and a tail like that of a beaver.
- Sea-horse*, a fabulous beast, having the fore part like a horse, but with a fin-like mane and webbed feet, and the hinder part as a fish.
- Sea-lion*, a fabulous beast with the fore parts of a lion and hinder parts of a fish.
- Sea-wolf*, is a term sometimes used in blazon for the seal.
- Segreant*, rampant, a term used for the griffin.
- Sejant*, sitting
- Seraph's head*, the head of a child with three pairs of wings.
- Sexfoil*, a flower of six petals without stem.
- Shackbolt*, or *shaklebolt*, see fetterlock.
- Shake-fork*, a charge resembling the pall but with bluntly pointed ends.
- Sheaf*, of grain, see garb.
- Sheaf*, a bunch of arrows, three or more, tied together.
- Shield*, see text.
- Sinister*, the left side of the bearer of a shield, see text.
- Slipped*, a flower is described as slipped with regard to the stem.
- Sphinx*, a fabulous beast having the body of a lion with eagle's wings and the face and breast of a woman.
- Star*, the star, or *estoile*, has six wavy rays unless otherwise specified.
- Statant*, standing.
- Stern*, the tail of a hound.
- Strawberry leaf*, a conventional figure by which the coronet of a duke and the crest coronet (sometimes inaccurately termed a ducal coronet) are heightened; the former bears eight of which five appear in drawing. The strawberry leaf may perhaps be described as a treble trefoil.
- Sun*, (see text) is blazoned as "in his glory" or "in splendour."
- Supporters*, see text.