

Synonyms

What is a synonym?

A word that means the same as another.
It is interchangeable.

What is an antonym?

A word that has the opposite meaning.



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Be careful when using synonyms, as it is important to be accurate. We might think a word is a synonym, but it might not make sense if we interchange it, or a word may not be precise enough.

For example, which word is NOT a precise synonym here:

attractive

pretty good looking

appealing beautiful fantastic
cute

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Which word is NOT a precise synonym here:

angry

- vexed
- irate
- convulsed
- annoyed
- furiosus
- sad
- cross
- enraged
- stormy



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Which word is NOT a precise synonym here:

bad behaviour

poor disgusting nasty

foul atrocious terrible

awful horrible reprehensible

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Which word is NOT a precise synonym here:

all

entire whole
 full total
 most
every complete

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You are looking over your work and decide to replace the word '**enormous**' in the sentence below.

The castle was enormous.

Choose another word with a similar meaning and write it in the box.

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You are looking over your work and decide to replace the word '**said**' in the sentence below.

“Stop!” said the mother as her children ran out into the road.

Choose a suitable word and write it in the box.

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Which word is closest in meaning to '**scaled**' in the sentence below?

Jimmy scaled the wall.

Tick **one**.

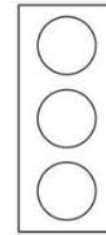
built

decorated

fixed

climbed

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Complete the table by inserting a **synonym** and an **antonym**.

One has been done for you.

Word	Synonym	Antonym
broad	wide	narrow
victory		