

Need another word that means the same as “alkaline”? Find 9 synonyms and 30 related words for “alkaline” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Alkaline” are: alkalic, corrosive, mordant, acid, burning, stinging, acrid, harsh, destructive

Alkaline as an Adjective

Definitions of "Alkaline" as an adjective

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “alkaline” as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- *Having the properties of an alkali, or containing alkali; having a pH greater than 7.*
- *Relating to or containing an alkali; having a pH greater than 7.*



Synonyms of "Alkaline" as an adjective (9 Words)

acid	Having the characteristics of an acid. <i>Acid soils.</i>
<u>acid</u>	Harsh or corrosive in tone. <i>Her acid remarks make her many enemies.</i>
alkalic	(of a rock or mineral) richer in sodium and/or potassium than is usual for its type.
<u>burning</u>	Of immediate import. <i>Burning issues of the day.</i>
corrosive	Spitefully sarcastic. <i>Corrosive criticism.</i>
<u>destructive</u>	Causing great and irreparable damage. <i>A policy that is destructive to the economy.</i>
harsh	Having an undesirably strong effect. <i>A harsh penalty.</i>

mordant	Harshly ironic or sinister. A mordant sense of humour.
stinging	Having a sting; capable of wounding or piercing with a sting. A stinging rebuke.



Usage Examples of "Alkaline" as an adjective

- *Alkaline soils derived from chalk or limestone.*
- *An alkaline soil.*
- *A slightly alkaline solution.*



Associations of "Alkaline" (30 Words)

acetate	A transparency made of cellulose acetate film. <i>Acetate silk.</i>
acid	Having the characteristics of an acid. <i>An acid reaction.</i>
alkali	Any of various water-soluble compounds capable of turning litmus blue and reacting with an acid to form a salt and water. <i>Flint is not subject to chemical weathering except by strong alkalis.</i>
<u>atom</u>	Atomic particles as a source of nuclear energy. <i>The power of the atom.</i>
battery	An artillery subunit of guns, men, and vehicles. <i>A camera battery.</i>
brackish	Of fish or other organisms living in or requiring brackish water. <i>A cup of brackish water.</i>

brine	Soak in brine. <i>Brined anchovies.</i>
cadmium	The chemical element of atomic number 48, a silvery-white metal.
carbonate	Convert into a carbonate.
chemistry	The chemical composition and properties of a substance or body. <i>The chemistry of soil.</i>
desalinate	Remove salt from (seawater). <i>Desalinate water.</i>
electrolyte	A liquid or gel which contains ions and can be decomposed by electrolysis, e.g. that present in a battery. <i>The proper amount and distribution of electrolytes in the body is essential for health.</i>
galvanic	Pertaining to or producing electric current by chemical action. <i>A voltaic or galvanic couple.</i>
hydroxide	A compound of a metal with the hydroxide ion OH as in many alkalis or the group OH.
ion	A particle that is electrically charged (positive or negative); an atom or molecule or group that has lost or gained one or more electrons. <i>Hydrogen ions.</i>
lithium	Lithium carbonate or another lithium salt used as a mood stabilizing drug.
metal	Cover with metal. <i>An adjustable pole made of metal.</i>
nitrate	Any compound containing the nitrate group such as a salt or ester of nitric acid. <i>Fish fry populations are damaged by nitrate.</i>
oxide	A binary compound of oxygen with another element or group. <i>Nitrogen oxide.</i>
potassium	A light soft silver-white metallic element of the alkali metal group; oxidizes rapidly in air and reacts violently with water; is abundant in nature in combined forms occurring in sea water and in carnallite and kainite and sylvite.
reagent	A chemical agent for use in chemical reactions. <i>This compound is a very sensitive reagent for copper.</i>
saccharin	A sweet-tasting synthetic compound used in food and drink as a substitute for sugar.
saline	A saline solution used in medicine. <i>I was having a saline transfusion day and night.</i>

salt	The taste experience when common salt is taken into the mouth. <i>The region is rich in salt plant communities and reed beds.</i>
salty	Containing or filled with salt. Salty language.
seawater	Water in or taken from the sea. A seawater swimming pool.
silicate	A salt in which the anion contains both silicon and oxygen, especially one of the anion SiO_4^{2-} .
silicon	The chemical element of atomic number 14 a non metal with semiconducting properties used in making electronic circuits Pure silicon exists in a shiny dark grey crystalline form and as an amorphous powder.
sodium	A silvery soft waxy metallic element of the alkali metal group; occurs abundantly in natural compounds (especially in salt water); burns with a yellow flame and reacts violently in water; occurs in sea water and in the mineral halite (r.
sulfide	A compound of sulphur and some other element that is more electropositive.

