

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

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The synonyms of “Apparent” are: evident, manifest, palpable, patent, plain, unmistakable, ostensible, seeming, obvious, clear, visible, discernible, perceptible, perceivable, noticeable, detectable, recognizable, observable, outward, superficial, surface, supposed, so-called, alleged, professed, avowed, declared, purported, pretended, feigned

Apparent as an Adjective

Definitions of "Apparent" as an adjective

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

- *Appearing as such but not necessarily so.*
- *Seeming real or true, but not necessarily so.*
- *Clearly revealed to the mind or the senses or judgment.*
- *Clearly visible or understood; obvious.*



Synonyms of "Apparent" as an adjective (30 Words)

<u>alleged</u>	Said, without proof, to have taken place or to have a specified illegal or undesirable quality. <i>Alleged abuses of housing benefits.</i>
<u>avowed</u>	Openly declared as such. <i>An avowed enemy.</i>
<u>clear</u>	Clear of charges or deductions. <i>It was clear that they were in a trap.</i>
declared	Declared as fact explicitly stated. <i>Their declared and their covert objectives.</i>
detectable	Capable of being detected. <i>A detectable note of sarcasm.</i>

discernible	Capable of being seen or noticed. <i>The inscription was barely discernible.</i>
evident	Clearly seen or understood; obvious. <i>She ate the biscuits with evident enjoyment.</i>
feigned	Not genuine. <i>Her eyes widened with feigned shock.</i>
manifest	Clear or obvious to the eye or mind. <i>Manifest disapproval.</i>
noticeable	Undesirably noticeable. <i>Noticeable for its vivid historical background.</i>
observable	Capable of being seen or noticed. <i>An observable change in behavior.</i>
obvious	Easily perceived or understood; clear, self-evident, or apparent. <i>Obvious errors.</i>
ostensible	Represented or appearing as such; pretended. <i>His ostensible purpose was charity his real goal popularity.</i>
outward	Going out or away from a place. <i>Outward pressure.</i>
palpable	(medicine) can be felt by palpation. <i>There was a palpable sense of joy in the air.</i>
patent	Made and marketed under a patent proprietary. <i>She was smiling with patent insincerity.</i>
perceivable	Capable of being perceived especially by sight or hearing. <i>Perceivable through the mist.</i>
perceptible	Capable of being perceived by the mind or senses. <i>He continued after a perceptible pause.</i>
plain	(of written or spoken usage) clearly expressed, without the use of technical or abstruse terms. <i>A plain honest man with no nonsense about him.</i>
pretended	Adopted in order to deceive. <i>Eating ice cream with pretended unconcern.</i>
professed	Openly declared as such. <i>A professed philosopher.</i>
purported	Appearing or stated to be true, though not necessarily so; alleged. <i>The purported marriage was void.</i>
recognizable	Able to be recognized or identified from previous encounters or knowledge. <i>This situation produces recognizable stress symptoms.</i>

- seeming** Appearing to be real or true, but not necessarily being so; apparent.
*Ellen s **seeming** indifference to the woman s fate.*
- so-called** Doubtful or suspect.
- superficial** Situated or occurring on the skin or immediately beneath it.
Superficial burns.
- supposed** Based primarily on surmise rather than adequate evidence.
*The **supposed** reason for his absence.*
- surface** Relating to or found on the surface of something.
Surface layers.
- unmistakable** Not able to be mistaken for anything else; very distinctive.
*His opposition to slavery was **unmistakable**.*
- visible** Present and easily available.
*A **visible** object.*



Usage Examples of "Apparent" as an adjective

- *It became apparent that he was talented.*
- *The effects of the drought are apparent to anyone who sees the parched fields.*
- *The committee investigated some apparent discrepancies.*
- *For all his apparent wealth he had no money to pay the rent.*
- *For no apparent reason she laughed.*
- *His apparent lack of concern.*



Associations of "Apparent" (30 Words)

apparently

As far as one knows or can see.

*The child nodded **apparently** content with the promise.*

assuredly

Confidently.

*The lad kept his cool and **assuredly** slipped the ball between the posts.*

<u>certainly</u>	Definitely or positively (‘sure’ is sometimes used informally for ‘surely’). <i>She certainly is a hard worker.</i>
clearly	Clear to the mind; with distinct mental discernment. <i>On white paper the seeds are clearly visible.</i>
<u>conspicuous</u>	Clearly visible. <i>Wore conspicuous neckties.</i>
decidedly	Without question and beyond doubt. <i>He looked decidedly uncomfortable.</i>
decisively	In a way that shows the ability to make decisions quickly and effectively. <i>I want the person who wins the election to win decisively.</i>
definitely	Without question and beyond doubt. <i>I shall definitely be at the airport to meet you.</i>
detectable	Easily seen or detected. <i>Yvette responded finally her French accent barely detectable.</i>
<u>doubtless</u>	Without doubt; certainly. <i>Doubtless you ll solve the problem.</i>
<u>evident</u>	Clearly seen or understood; obvious. <i>She ate the biscuits with evident enjoyment.</i>
<u>evidently</u>	It would seem that. <i>She was in bed and evidently in great pain.</i>
expressly	For a specific purpose; solely. <i>She was expressly forbidden to use the stove.</i>
indubitable	Too obvious to be doubted. <i>An indubitable truth.</i>
indubitably	In a manner or to a degree that could not be doubted. <i>Indubitably liberalism parades under many guises.</i>
<u>manifest</u>	Record in a ship s manifest. <i>Bad industrial relations are often manifested in strikes.</i>
marked	Strongly marked easily noticeable. <i>Well marked roads.</i>
<u>noticeable</u>	Undesirably noticeable. <i>After a noticeable pause the lecturer continued.</i>
obvious	Easily perceived by the senses or grasped by the mind. <i>Obvious errors.</i>
obviously	Unmistakably (‘plain’ is often used informally for ‘plainly’). <i>Obviously everyone has to do what they think is right.</i>
palpability	The quality of being perceivable by touch.

<u>paradox</u>	A statement that contradicts itself. <i>The uncertainty principle leads to all sorts of paradoxes like the particles being in two places at once.</i>
pronounced	Very noticeable or marked; conspicuous. <i>A pronounced flavor of cinnamon.</i>
rightly	Correctly. <i>If I remember rightly she never gives interviews.</i>
<u>seemingly</u>	According to the facts as one knows them; as far as one knows. <i>The child is seemingly healthy but the doctor is concerned.</i>
stipulate	Give a guarantee or promise of. <i>She will stipulates that she can live in the house for the rest of her life.</i>
<u>surely</u>	Definitely or positively sure is sometimes used informally for surely. <i>No one knows how to move the economy quickly and surely in that direction.</i>
<u>unambiguous</u>	Admitting of no doubt or misunderstanding; having only one meaning or interpretation and leading to only one conclusion. <i>As a horror apartheid is absolutely unambiguous.</i>
<u>undoubtedly</u>	Without doubt; certainly. <i>They are undoubtedly guilty.</i>
unquestionably	In a way that cannot be disputed or doubted; without question. <i>The awards were unquestionably deserved.</i>

