

Need another word that means the same as “civility”? Find 10 synonyms and 30 related words for “civility” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Civility” are: politeness, courtesy, courteousness, good manners, chivalry, gallantry, graciousness, consideration, respect, gentility

Civility as a Noun

Definitions of "Civility" as a noun

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “civility” as a noun can have the following definitions:

- *Formal politeness and courtesy in behaviour or speech.*
- *Formal or perfunctory politeness.*
- *The act of showing regard for others.*
- *Polite remarks used in formal conversation.*



Synonyms of "Civility" as a noun (10 Words)

- chivalry** Courtesy towards women.
*Tales of **chivalry** and knightly deeds.*
- consideration** Thoughtfulness and sensitivity towards others.
*You can buy the books for a small **consideration**.*
- courteousness** A courteous or respectful or considerate remark.
- courtesy** A curtsy.
*A **courtesy** car.*
- gallantry** Sexual intrigue.
*What men call **gallantry** and the gods adultery.*
- gentility** Elegance by virtue of fineness of manner and expression.
*Her grandmother's pretensions to **gentility**.*
- good manners** That which is pleasing or valuable or useful.
- graciousness** The quality of being kind and gentle.

politeness A courteous manner that respects accepted social usage.
*The daily **politenesses** of pleases and thank yous.*

respect The condition of being honored esteemed or respected or well regarded.
*Be sure to give my **respects** to the dean.*



Usage Examples of "Civility" as a noun

- *I hope we can treat each other with civility and respect.*
- *She was exchanging civilities with his mother.*



Associations of "Civility" (30 Words)

- affable** Friendly, good-natured, or easy to talk to.
*An **affable** smile.*
- benign** Pleasant and beneficial in nature or influence.
***Benign** intentions.*
- benignity** Kindness or tolerance toward others.
*His air of **benignity**.*
- chivalrous** Relating to the historical concept of chivalry.
*The concept of **chivalrous** combat.*
- chivalry** The combination of qualities expected of an ideal knight, namely courage, honour, courtesy, justice, and a readiness to help the weak.
*Tales of **chivalry** and knightly deeds.*
- comity** The mutual recognition by nations of the laws and customs of others.
*A show of public **comity** in the White House.*
- congenial** (of a person) pleasing or liked on account of having qualities or interests that are similar to one's own.
*Two **congenial** spirits united by mutual confidence and reciprocal virtues.*

<u>courteous</u>	Characterized by courtesy and gracious good manners. <i>She was courteous and obliging to all.</i>
<u>courtesy</u>	A polite remark or considerate act. <i>A courtesy car.</i> (used facetiously) refined and well-mannered.
couth	<i>He has no couth no brains and doesn't know the meaning of the word diplomacy.</i>
curtsy	Make a curtsy usually done only by girls and women as a sign of respect. <i>She bobbed a curtsy to him.</i>
<u>decent</u>	Decently clothed. <i>Are you decent.</i>
decorous	In keeping with good taste and propriety; polite and restrained. <i>The tete a tete was decorous in the extreme.</i>
estimable	Deserving of esteem and respect. <i>She was shown into that estimable woman's presence.</i>
friendly	Inclined to help or support; not antagonistic or hostile. <i>No one noticed her as she slipped out it was a friendly night.</i>
<u>generosity</u>	The quality or fact of being plentiful or large. <i>Diners certainly cannot complain about the generosity of portions.</i>
genteel	Characterized by exaggerated or affected politeness, refinement, or respectability. <i>A genteel old lady.</i>
<u>gracious</u>	Exhibiting courtesy and politeness. <i>The accession of Her present gracious Majesty.</i>
humble	Cause (someone) to feel less important or proud. <i>My humble apologies.</i>
humbleness	A humble feeling.
humility	The quality of having a modest or low view of one's importance. <i>He was filled with humility at the sight of the Pope.</i>
kindness	A kind act. <i>He thanked them for their kindness and support.</i>
<u>modest</u>	(of an amount, rate, or level) relatively moderate, limited, or small. <i>Modest inflation.</i>
nice	Fastidious; scrupulous. <i>A job requiring nice measurements with a micrometer.</i>

polite	Relating to people who regard themselves as more cultured and refined than others. <i>They thought she was wrong but were too polite to say so.</i>
politely	In a respectful and considerate manner. <i>The policeman answered politely Now look here lady.</i>
respectful	Feeling or manifesting veneration. <i>A respectful glance.</i>
respectfully	With deference and respect. <i>I must respectfully disagree with your claim.</i>
sophistication	A deliberately invalid argument displaying ingenuity in reasoning in the hope of deceiving someone. <i>The technological sophistication of their products.</i>
unassuming	Not arrogant or presuming. <i>Unassuming to a fault skeptical about the value of his work.</i>

