

Need another word that means the same as “collective”? Find 16 synonyms and 30 related words for “collective” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Collective” are: corporate, common, shared, joint, combined, mutual, communal, united, allied, cooperative, collaborative, co-op, community, kibbutz, fellowship

Collective as a Noun

Definitions of "Collective" as a noun

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

- *Members of a cooperative enterprise.*
- *A collective farm.*
- *A cooperative enterprise.*



Synonyms of "Collective" as a noun (5 Words)

- co-op** A jointly owned commercial enterprise (usually organized by farmers or consumers) that produces and distributes goods and services and is run for the benefit of its owners.
- community** A group of people living together and practising common ownership.
*The team is drawn from all parts of the **community**.*
- cooperative** A farm, business, or other organization which is owned and run jointly by its members, who share the profits or benefits.
*We run the agency as a workers **cooperative**.*
- fellowship** The status of a fellow of a college or society.
*A **fellowship** in mathematics.*
- kibbutz** A communal settlement in Israel, typically a farm.



Usage Examples of "Collective" as a noun

- *The anarchist collective and bookshop.*



Collective as an Adjective

Definitions of "Collective" as an adjective

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

- *Set up on the principle of collectivism or ownership and production by the workers involved usually under the supervision of a government.*
- *Forming a whole or aggregate.*
- *Done by people acting as a group.*
- *Done by or characteristic of individuals acting together.*
- *Taken as a whole; aggregate.*
- *Relating to or shared by all the members of a group.*



Synonyms of "Collective" as an adjective (11 Words)

allied	Of or relating to or denoting the Allies in World War II. <i>Members of the medical and allied professions.</i>
collaborative	Produced by or involving two or more parties working together. <i>Collaborative research.</i>
combined	Made or joined or united into one.
common	Commonly encountered. <i>A common soldier.</i>
<u>communal</u>	Shared by all members of a community; for common use. <i>A communal settlement in which all earnings and food were shared.</i>
<u>cooperative</u>	Willing to adjust to differences in order to obtain agreement. <i>Every member has clearly defined tasks in a cooperative enterprise.</i>
corporate	Of or belonging to a corporation. <i>A special agency set up in corporate form.</i>

- joint** Sharing in a position, achievement, or activity.
*A **joint** statement.*
- mutual** (of a feeling or action) experienced or done by each of two or more parties
towards the other or others.
*His contract with City has been terminated by **mutual** consent.*
- shared** Possessed in common with another or others.
*A joint venture with **shared** profits.*
- united** Joined together politically, for a common purpose, or by common feelings.
*Presented a **united** front.*



Usage Examples of "Collective" as an adjective

- *Ministers who share collective responsibility.*
- *Collective farms.*
- *A collective protest.*
- *A collective sigh of relief from parents.*
- *The collective power of the workforce.*
- *The collective mind.*



Associations of "Collective" (30 Words)

agglomerate Collect or form into a mass or group.
*He is seeking to **agglomerate** the functions of the Home Office.*

alliance	A formal agreement establishing an association or alliance between nations or other groups to achieve a particular aim. <i>His party is in alliance with the Greens.</i>
amalgamate	Combine or unite to form one organization or structure. <i>Amalgamated zinc.</i>
<u>annex</u>	Add as an extra or subordinate part, especially to a document. <i>Hitler annexed Lithuania.</i>
<u>coalesce</u>	Combine (elements) in a mass or whole. <i>The puddles had coalesced into shallow streams.</i>
coalescing	Growing together, fusing.
combine	Combine so as to form a whole mix. <i>Groups of teachers combined to tackle a variety of problems.</i>
<u>communist</u>	A member of the communist party. <i>A French communist writer.</i>
community	Common ownership. <i>The gay community in London.</i>
confederacy	A group of conspirators banded together to achieve some harmful or illegal purpose. <i>The Yakuza is a secret confederacy of criminal fraternities.</i>
<u>confederation</u>	The act of forming an alliance or confederation. <i>A confederation of trade unions.</i>
<u>consolidate</u>	Make (something) physically stronger or more solid. <i>The company consolidated its position in the international market.</i>
<u>federation</u>	An organization formed by merging several groups or parties. <i>A first step in the federation of Europe.</i>
<u>gather</u>	The act of gathering something. <i>The front is gathered at the waist.</i>
integrate	Become one become integrated. <i>Transport planning should be integrated with energy policy.</i>
joint	Cut the body of an animal into joints for cooking. <i>Seal the joint between the roof and the house wall.</i>
libertarian	An advocate of libertarianism. <i>A lot of people are very libertarian they just haven't heard the term.</i>
<u>merge</u>	Become one. <i>He crouched low and endeavoured to merge into the darkness of the forest.</i>

nationalist	Relating to nationalists or nationalism. <i>Minor nationalistic differences.</i>
nationalize	Naturalize (a foreigner). <i>Mitterand nationalized the banks.</i>
politician	A schemer who tries to gain advantage in an organization in sly or underhanded ways. <i>A veteran communist politician.</i>
privatize	Transfer (a business, industry, or service) from public to private ownership and control. <i>They were opposed to plans to privatize electricity and water.</i>
reunify	Unify again, as of a country. <i>Will Korea reunify.</i>
revolutionary	Markedly new or introducing radical change. <i>The revolutionary army.</i>
socialist	Advocating or following the socialist principles. <i>She was a lifelong socialist.</i>
subversive	A subversive person. <i>The government claimed we were subversives or terrorists.</i>
synthesis	The tendency in a language to use inflected forms rather than word order to express grammatical structure. <i>The synthesis of intellect and emotion in his work.</i>
unify	Join or combine. <i>The government hoped to centralize and unify the nation.</i>
united	Of or relating to two people who are married to each other. <i>Presented a united front.</i>
utopia	A work of fiction describing a utopia. <i>Misplaced faith in political utopias has led to ruin.</i>

