

Need another word that means the same as “constitute”? Find 38 synonyms and 30 related words for “constitute” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Constitute” are: be, comprise, make up, represent, appoint, name, nominate, establish, found, institute, plant, form, make, amount to, add up to, account for, compose, serve as, act as, function as, perform the function of, do duty for, embody, be equivalent to, be the equivalent of, be tantamount to, be regarded as, inaugurate, initiate, create, set up, put in place, start, begin, originate, organize, develop, shape**

## Constitute as a Verb

### Definitions of "Constitute" as a verb

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

- *Be (a part) of a whole.*
- *Be or be equivalent to (something).*
- *Give legal or constitutional form to (an institution); establish by law.*
- *Combine to form (a whole).*
- *To compose or represent.*
- *Form or compose.*
- *Create and charge with a task or function.*
- *To compose or represent.*
- *Set up or lay the groundwork for.*



## Synonyms of "Constitute" as a verb (38 Words)

<b>account for</b>	Furnish a justifying analysis or explanation.
<b>act as</b>	Have an effect or outcome; often the one desired or expected.
<b>add up to</b>	Determine the sum of.
<b>amount to</b>	Add up in number or quantity.
<b>appoint</b>	Determine or decide on (a time or a place). <i>Such laws are <b>appointed</b> by God.</i>
<b>be</b>	Be priced at. <i>The opening event is on <b>October</b> 16.</i>
<b>be equivalent to</b>	Have the quality of being; (copula, used with an adjective or a predicate noun.
<b>be regarded as</b>	Form or compose.
<b>be tantamount to</b>	Happen, occur, take place.
<b>be the equivalent of</b>	Spend or use time.

<b>begin</b>	Begin to speak or say he began. <i>I can't <b>begin</b> to tell you how much I hate that commercial.</i>
<u><b>compose</b></u>	Prepare (a text) for printing by manually, mechanically, or electronically setting up the letters and other characters in the order to be printed. <b>Compose</b> and draw a still life.
<u><b>comprise</b></u>	Make up or constitute (a whole). <i>Documents are <b>comprised</b> of words.</i>
<b>create</b>	Create or manufacture a man made product. <i>The company was <b>created</b> 25 years ago.</i>
<b>develop</b>	Cause to grow and differentiate in ways conforming to its natural development. <i>The plot <b>developed</b> slowly.</i>
<b>do duty for</b>	Be sufficient; be adequate, either in quality or quantity.
<u><b>embody</b></u>	Represent in bodily form. <i>A national team that embodies competitive spirit and skill.</i>
<b>establish</b>	Institute enact or establish. <i>The right plan would be to <b>establish</b> dummy s diamonds.</i>
<b>form</b>	Bring or be brought into a certain formation. <b>Form</b> the dough into balls.
<b>found</b>	Set up or found.
<b>function as</b>	Perform duties attached to a particular office or place or function.
<b>inaugurate</b>	Admit (someone) formally to office. <i>He <b>inaugurated</b> a new policy of trade and exploration.</i>
<b>initiate</b>	Admit (someone) into a secret or obscure society or group, typically with a ritual. <i>He proposes to <b>initiate</b> discussions on planning procedures.</i>
<b>institute</b>	Advance or set forth in court. <i>His sons were <b>instituted</b> to the priesthood.</i>
<b>make</b>	Compel or make somebody or something to act in a certain way. <b>Make</b> the first team.
<b>make up</b>	Make or cause to be or to become.
<u><b>name</b></u>	Mention and identify by name. <i>She was <b>named</b> as Student of the Year.</i>
<b>nominate</b>	Put forward nominate for appointment to an office or for an honor or position. <i>The company <b>nominated</b> her as a delegate to the convention.</i>

<b><u>organize</u></b>	Coordinate the activities of (a person or group) efficiently. <i>The soul doth <b>organize</b> the body.</i>
<b><u>originate</u></b>	Have a specified beginning. <i>The word <b>originated</b> as a marketing term.</i>
<b>perform the function of</b>	Carry out or perform an action.
<b>plant</b>	Place a plant in the ground out of doors so it can grow especially after growing it from seed in an indoor environment. <i><b>Plant</b> bugs in the dissident s apartment.</i>
<b>put in place</b>	Adapt.
<b>represent</b>	Be a delegate or spokesperson for represent somebody s interest or be a proxy or substitute for as of politicians and office holders representing their constituents or of a tenant representing other tenants in a housing dispute. <i>The three heads of Cerberus <b>represent</b> the past present and future.</i>
<b>serve as</b>	Contribute or conduce to.
<b>set up</b>	Alter or regulate so as to achieve accuracy or conform to a standard.
<b><u>shape</u></b>	Give a particular shape or form to. <i>I had plenty of time and <b>shaped</b> to kick to the near touchline.</i>
<b>start</b>	Give a signal to competitors to start in a race. <i>Who <b>started</b> this company.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Constitute" as a verb

- *There were enough members present to constitute a quorum.*
- *His failure to act constituted a breach of duty.*
- *The superior courts were constituted by the Judicature Acts 1873-5.*
- *Lone parents constitute a great proportion of the poor.*
- *These constitute my entire belonging.*



## Associations of "Constitute" (30 Words)

<b>apostle</b>	Any important early teacher of Christianity or a Christian missionary to a people. <i>Kiril and Metodije the <b>apostles</b> of the Slavs.</i>
<b>arrange</b>	Arrange attractively. <i>Songs <b>arranged</b> for viola and piano.</i>
<b>be</b>	Be priced at. <i>I want to <b>be</b> a teacher.</i>
<b>become</b>	Grow to be; develop into. <i>What would <b>become</b> of her now.</i>
<b>compose</b>	Put together out of existing material. <i>The king with some difficulty <b>composed</b> this difference.</i>
<b>composition</b>	A thing composed of various elements. <i>None of the other photographs shared this particular <b>composition</b>.</i>
<b>comprise</b>	Consist of; be made up of. <i>A totally new idea is <b>comprised</b> in this paper.</i>

<b>consider</b>	Regard or treat with consideration respect and esteem. <i>You must <b>consider</b> her age.</i>
<b><u>consist</u></b>	Be consistent in form tenor or character be congruous. <i>Desires are to be satisfied only so far as <b>consists</b> with an approved end.</i>
<b>construct</b>	Draw with suitable instruments and under specified conditions. <i>Some eccentric <b>constructed</b> an electric brassiere warmer.</i>
<b>coordinate</b>	Form a coordinate bond to an atom or molecule. <i><b>Coordinate</b> his actions with that of his colleagues.</i>
<b><u>correlate</u></b>	To bear a reciprocal or mutual relation. <i>Do these facts <b>correlate</b>.</i>
<b><u>disguise</u></b>	An outward semblance that misrepresents the true nature of something. <i>Does holding a handkerchief over the mouthpiece really <b>disguise</b> your voice.</i>
<b>disguised</b>	Having its true character concealed with the intent of misleading. <i>The <b>disguised</b> form of aggression available to the powerless against the powerful.</i>
<b>harmonize</b>	Bring into consonance or accord. <i>The economic group founded to <b>harmonize</b> national development plans.</i>
<b>institute</b>	An association organized to promote art or science or education. <i>The award was <b>instituted</b> in 1900.</i>
<b>lipstick</b>	Apply lipstick to. <i>Her <b>lipstick</b> was smudged.</i>
<b>makeup</b>	The way in which someone or something is composed. <i>The two teams played a <b>makeup</b> one week later.</i>
<b><u>orchestrate</u></b>	Plan or coordinate the elements of (a situation) to produce a desired effect, especially surreptitiously. <i>The situation has been <b>orchestrated</b> by a tiny minority.</i>
<b>orchestration</b>	An arrangement of a piece of music for performance by an orchestra or band. <i>The <b>orchestration</b> of the campaign needed tightening.</i>
<b><u>organize</u></b>	Bring order and organization to. <i>She was unsuited to anything where she had to <b>organize</b> herself.</i>
<b><u>prepare</u></b>	To prepare verbally either for written or spoken delivery. <i><b>Prepare</b> the discord in bar 139.</i>
<b>priesthood</b>	The body of ordained religious practitioners. <i>The ordination of women to the <b>priesthood</b>.</i>

<b>quorum</b>	A gathering of the minimal number of members of an organization to conduct business.
<b><u>reconcile</u></b>	Restore friendly relations between. <i>It is not necessary to <b>reconcile</b> the cost accounts to the financial accounts.</i>
<b><u>redefine</u></b>	Give a new or different definition of (a word). <i>The role of the Emperor was <b>redefined</b>.</i>
<b>reorganize</b>	Change the way in which (something) is organized. <i>The company <b>reorganized</b> into fewer key areas.</i>
<b>required</b>	Required by rule. <i>The corset the garment that ensured the <b>required</b> female shape.</i>
<b>sacerdotal</b>	Of or relating to a belief in sacerdotalism. <i>Priestly or <b>sacerdotal</b> vestments.</i>
<b>sizing</b>	Any glutinous material used to fill pores in surfaces or to stiffen fabrics.

