

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

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The synonyms of “Donation” are: contribution, gift, subscription, present, handout, grant, offering, gratuity, endowment

Donation as a Noun

Definitions of "Donation" as a noun

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

- *Something that is given to a charity, especially a sum of money.*
- *The action of donating something.*
- *Act of giving in common with others for a common purpose especially to a charity.*
- *A voluntary gift (as of money or service or ideas) made to some worthwhile cause.*



Synonyms of "Donation" as a noun (9 Words)

contribution A voluntary gift (as of money or service or ideas) made to some worthwhile cause.

*I am proud of my **contribution** in advancing the project.*

endowment The action of endowing something or someone.
*His generous **endowment** of the laboratory came just in the nick of time.*

gift An act of giving something as a present.
*That goal was an absolute **gift**.*

grant A right or privilege that has been granted.
*A **grant** of probate.*

gratuity A sum of money paid to an employee at the end of a period of employment.
*An end of contract **gratuity** of 20 of the total pay received.*

handout	Giving money or food or clothing to a needy person. <i>Dependence on central government handouts.</i>
offering	The verbal act of offering. <i>Offerings during Lent will always be gratefully received.</i>
present	A present tense. <i>He lives in the present with no thought of tomorrow.</i>
subscription	An arrangement to receive something, typically a publication, regularly by paying in advance. <i>Make sure you get a copy every month by taking out a subscription.</i>



Usage Examples of "Donation" as a noun

- *Please send your donation of £20 to the Disaster Appeal.*
- *The donation of carpets, chairs, and cutlery.*



Associations of "Donation" (30 Words)

[afford](#)

Afford access to.

They were **afforded** the luxury of bed and breakfast.

aid	Financial or material help given to a country or area in need. <i>Research was conducted to aid in making decisions.</i>
assistance	A resource. <i>His job was to give technical assistance over the phone.</i>
benefaction	An act intending or showing kindness and good will. <i>Take official receipt of such benefaction.</i>
benefactor	A person who helps people or institutions (especially with financial help). <i>A low interest loan from a benefactor allowed them to build a floor for the exhibition hall.</i>
beneficence	The quality of being kind or helpful or generous.
<u>beneficiary</u>	Having or arising from a benefice.
bestow	Bestow a quality on. <i>Bestow an honor on someone.</i>
charitable	Showing or motivated by sympathy and understanding and generosity. <i>Was charitable in his opinions of others.</i>
charity	The body of organizations viewed collectively as the object of fundraising or of donations. <i>Faith hope and charity.</i>
contribute	Contribute to some cause. <i>Taxpayers had contributed 141 8 million towards the cost of local services.</i>
contribution	A piece of writing submitted for publication in a journal, book, etc. <i>I am proud of my contribution in advancing the project.</i>
disinherit	Prevent deliberately (as by making a will) from inheriting. <i>The Duke is seeking to disinherit his eldest son.</i>
donate	Provide or contribute (electrons or protons). <i>All donated blood is tested for antibodies.</i>
donee	The recipient of funds or other benefits.
donor	An atom or molecule that provides a pair of electrons in forming a coordinate bond. <i>An anonymous donor has given 25.</i>
endowment	A form of life insurance involving payment of a fixed sum to the insured person on a specified date, or to their estate should they die before this date. <i>University endowments.</i>

fiduciary	(of a paper currency) depending for its value on securities (as opposed to gold) or the reputation of the issuer. <i>The company has a fiduciary duty to shareholders.</i>
fund	Accumulate a fund for the discharge of a recurrent liability. <i>The World Bank refused to fund the project.</i>
fundraiser	A social function that is held for the purpose of raising money. <i>A fundraiser for the Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Society.</i>
gift	Give something as a gift especially formally or as a donation or bequest. <i>He has a gift for comedy.</i>
give	Give food to. <i>Don't give the child this tough meat.</i>
giver	Person who makes a gift of property. <i>There are no greater givers than those who give themselves.</i>
grantor	A person who makes a grant in legal form. <i>Conveyed from grantor to grantee.</i>
gratuity	An award (as for meritorious service) given without claim or obligation. <i>An end of contract gratuity of 20 of the total pay received.</i>
humanitarian	Of or relating to or characteristic of humanitarianism. <i>Groups sending humanitarian aid.</i>
lend	Allow (a person or organization) the use of (a sum of money) under an agreement to pay it back later, typically with interest. <i>I will lend you my car.</i>
philanthropist	A person who seeks to promote the welfare of others, especially by the generous donation of money to good causes. <i>The trust was founded by an American philanthropist.</i>
recipient	Receiving or capable of receiving something. <i>The recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize.</i>
sponsorship	Financial support received from a sponsor. <i>The company's sponsorship of the tournament.</i>

