

Need another word that means the same as “elect”? Find 19 synonyms and 30 related words for “elect” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Elect” are: vote, vote for, vote in, choose, choose by ballot, cast one's vote for, elite, future, designate, chosen, elected, coming, next, appointed, presumptive, the chosen, the elite, the favoured**

## Elect as a Noun

### Definitions of "Elect" as a noun

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

- *The people chosen by God for salvation.*
- *People who are chosen or singled out.*
- *An exclusive group of people.*



## Synonyms of "Elect" as a noun (4 Words)

### chosen

One who is the object of choice; who is given preference.  
*She was Mama's **chosen**.*

**the chosen** The name for Korea as a Japanese province (1910-1945).

**the elite** A group or class of persons enjoying superior intellectual or social or economic status.

**the favoured** An inclination to approve.



### Usage Examples of "Elect" as a noun

- *One of the elect who have power inside the government.*
- *One of the century's elect.*
- *Success was a sign that they were one of the elect.*





## Elect as a Verb

### Definitions of "Elect" as a verb

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

- *Select by a vote for an office or membership.*
- *Choose.*
- *(of God) choose (someone) in preference to others for salvation.*
- *Choose (someone) to hold public office or some other position by voting.*
- *Opt for or choose to do something.*

### Synonyms of "Elect" as a verb (6 Words)

**cast one's vote for** Throw forcefully.

**choose** Pick out select or choose from a number of alternatives.  
*I always **choose** the fish over the meat courses in this restaurant.*

**choose by ballot** See fit or proper to act in a certain way; decide to act in a certain way.

### vote

Express one's choice or preference by vote.

*None of the Democrats **voted** last night.*

### **vote for**

Bring into existence or make available by vote.

### **vote in**

Bring into existence or make available by vote.

## Usage Examples of "Elect" as a verb

- *We elected him chairman of the board.*
- *More people elected to work at home.*
- *I elected to have my funds deposited automatically.*
- *He was elected as councillor.*
- *They elected him leader.*
- *The members who were elected to the committee.*

## Elect as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Elect" as an adjective

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

- *Chosen for a position but not yet in office.*
- *Selected as the best.*
- *Chosen by God for salvation.*
- *Elected but not yet installed in office.*
- *(of a person) chosen or singled out.*

### Synonyms of "Elect" as an adjective (9 Words)

#### **appointed**

Fixed or established especially by order or command.

*She arrived at the **appointed** time.*

#### chosen

Having been selected as the best or most appropriate.

*He is by no means a forerunner in his **chosen** field.*

#### **coming**

Likely to be important or successful in the future.

*Work is due to start in the **coming** year.*

#### designate

Appointed but not yet installed in office.

*The Director **designate**.*

#### **elected**

Subject to popular election.

<b>elite</b>	Selected as the best. <i><b>Elite</b> colleges.</i>
<b>future</b>	Effective in or looking toward the future. <i>Some <b>future</b> historian will evaluate him.</i>
<b>next</b>	Elected but not yet serving. <i><b>Next</b> in line.</i>
<b>presumptive</b>	Of the nature of a presumption; presumed in the absence of further information. <i>A strong <b>presumptive</b> case is made out.</i>

## Usage Examples of "Elect" as an adjective

- *The elect group of saints which was predestined for heaven.*
- *The president elect.*
- *An elect circle of artists.*

## Associations of "Elect" (30 Words)

<b><u>abstain</u></b>	Formally decline to vote either for or against a proposal or motion. <i>Forty one voted with the Opposition and some sixty more <b>abstained</b>.</i>
<b><u>abstention</u></b>	The trait of abstaining (especially from alcohol). <i>A resolution passed by 126 votes to none with six <b>abstentions</b>.</i>
<b>ballot</b>	The total number of votes cast in a ballot. <i>A strike <b>ballot</b>.</i>
<b>candidate</b>	A person who applies for a job or is nominated for election. <i>The Green Party <b>candidate</b>.</i>
<b>choose</b>	Pick out select or choose from a number of alternatives. <i>I ll stay as long as I <b>choose</b>.</i>
<b><u>chosen</u></b>	The name for Korea as a Japanese province (1910-1945). <i>She was Mama s <b>chosen</b>.</i>
<b>cloture</b>	A rule for limiting or ending debate in a deliberative body. <i>Over 70 of the senators voted for <b>cloture</b>.</i>
<b><u>constituency</u></b>	A group of voters in a specified area who elect a representative to a legislative body. <i>A parliamentary candidate in the Hampstead and Highgate <b>constituency</b>.</i>
<b>democracy</b>	A state governed under a system of democracy. <i>Demands for greater <b>democracy</b>.</i>

<b>democratic</b>	Representing or appealing to or adapted for the benefit of the people at large. <b>Democratic</b> government.
<b>election</b>	The action of electing or the fact of being elected. <i>She agreed to stand for <b>election</b>.</i>
<b>elective</b>	A course that the student can select from among alternatives. <b>Elective</b> official.
<b>elector</b>	In the US a member of the electoral college. <i>Close to 60 per cent of the 60 000 registered <b>electors</b> voted.</i>
<b>electorate</b>	All the people in a country or area who are entitled to vote in an election. <i>75 per cent of the <b>electorate</b> voted for a Scottish parliament in some form.</i>
<b>enfranchise</b>	Grant voting rights. <i>A proposal that foreigners should be <b>enfranchised</b> for local elections.</i>
<b>hustings</b>	The activities involved in political campaigning (especially speech making). <i>I was out on the <b>hustings</b> talking to people.</i>
<b>incoming</b>	(of a communication) being received rather than sent. <b>Incoming</b> class.
<b>parliament</b>	A legislative assembly in certain countries. <i>The Russian <b>parliament</b>.</i>
<b>pick</b>	Hit lightly with a picking motion. <i>Maybe I <b>picked</b> the wrong career after all.</i>
<b>plebiscite</b>	A law enacted by the plebeians' assembly. <i>The administration will hold a <b>plebiscite</b> for the approval of constitutional reforms.</i>
<b>poll</b>	Convert into a pollard. <i>The network manager can also use the software to <b>poll</b> each Mac on the net.</i>
<b>president</b>	The celebrant at a Eucharist. <i>The <b>president</b> of the European Union.</i>
<b>presidential</b>	Relating to a president or presidency. <i>The French <b>presidential</b> election.</i>
<b>reelect</b>	Elect again.
<b>referendum</b>	A legislative act is referred for final approval to a popular vote by the electorate.
<b>select</b>	Selected or chosen for special qualifications. <i>You can <b>select</b> from a range of quality products.</i>
<b>selected</b>	Chosen in preference to another.

**suffrage**

A legal right guaranteed by the 15th amendment to the US Constitution; guaranteed to women by the 19th amendment.

*The **suffrages** of the community.*

**vote**

Express one's preference for a candidate or for a measure or resolution cast a vote.

*She **voted** for going to the Chinese restaurant.*

**voter**

A citizen who has a legal right to vote.