

Need another word that means the same as “enlarge”? Find 18 synonyms and 30 related words for “enlarge” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Enlarge” are: dilate, elaborate, expand, expatiate, exposit, expound, flesh out, lucubrate, blow up, magnify, become bigger, make bigger, become larger, make larger, become greater, make greater, increase in size, grow

Enlarge as a Verb

Definitions of "Enlarge" as a verb

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

- *Make larger.*
- *Become larger or bigger.*
- *Add details, as to an account or idea; clarify the meaning of and discourse in a learned way, usually in writing.*
- *Make or become larger or more extensive.*
- *Develop a larger print of (a photograph).*
- *Make large.*



Synonyms of "Enlarge" as a verb (18 Words)

- become bigger** Come into existence.
- become greater** Undergo a change or development.
- become larger** Enhance the appearance of.
- blow up** Free of obstruction by blowing air through.
- dilate** Become wider.
*His pupils were **dilated**.*
- elaborate** Develop or present (a theory, policy, or system) in further detail.
*He would not **elaborate** on his news.*
- expand** Expand the influence of.
*The dough **expands**.*
- expatiate** Add details, as to an account or idea; clarify the meaning of and discourse in a learned way, usually in writing.
*She **expatiated** on working class novelists.*

exposit	Add details, as to an account or idea; clarify the meaning of and discourse in a learned way, usually in writing.
expound	State. <i>He was expounding a powerful argument.</i>
flesh out	Remove adhering flesh from (hides) when preparing leather manufacture.
grow	Allow or cause a part of the body to grow or develop. <i>More land was needed to grow crops for export.</i>
increase in size	Make bigger or more.
lucubrate	Write or study, especially by night. <i>I have often lucubrated for your Magazine.</i>
<u>magnify</u>	To enlarge beyond bounds or the truth. <i>Praise the Lord and magnify Him.</i>
make bigger	Create by artistic means.
make greater	Cause to be enjoyable or pleasurable.
make larger	Charge with a function; charge to be.



Usage Examples of "Enlarge" as a verb

- *Very often a favourite photograph is enlarged and framed.*
- *They have renovated and enlarged the four-storey building.*
- *She enlarged the flower beds.*



Associations of "Enlarge" (30 Words)

add	Constitute an addition. <i>Chlorine is added to the water to kill bacteria.</i>
<u>aggrandize</u>	Increase the power, status, or wealth of. <i>He hoped to aggrandize himself by dying a hero's death.</i>
amplification	The action of making multiple copies of a gene or DNA sequence. <i>A few remarks added in amplification and defense.</i>
<u>amplify</u>	To enlarge beyond bounds or the truth. <i>The manufacturers have developed a system of amplifying the radio signal.</i>
augment	A vowel prefixed to past tenses of verbs in Greek and certain other Indo-European languages. <i>The recent speech of the president augmented tensions in the Near East.</i>
augmentation	The lengthening of the time values of notes in a melodic part. <i>The augmentation of the curriculum with new subjects.</i>
<u>bloat</u>	Become bloated or swollen or puff up. <i>Hunger bloated the child's belly.</i>
<u>broaden</u>	Expand to encompass more people or things. <i>Her interests broadened as she grew up.</i>
dilate	Add details, as to an account or idea; clarify the meaning of and discourse in a learned way, usually in writing. <i>Her eyes dilated with horror.</i>
distend	Become wider. <i>The gas distended the animal's body.</i>
diversify	Make (more) diverse. <i>Diversify a course of study.</i>
elongate	Long in relation to width elongated. <i>The old man's gaunt and elongated frame.</i>
escalation	An increase in the intensity or seriousness of something; an intensification. <i>An escalation of violence.</i>
expand	Expand the influence of. <i>The work began as a short story and was later expanded into a novel.</i>
expanded	Denoting sheet metal slit and stretched into a mesh, used to reinforce concrete and other brittle materials. <i>Expanded polystyrene.</i>

expansion	A function expressed as a sum or product of terms. <i>A small expansion of industry.</i>
exponentially	In an exponential manner. <i>The coefficients show an exponentially decaying trend.</i>
extend	Thrust or extend out. <i>They asked the government to extend its period of deliberation.</i>
extension	The most direct or specific meaning of a word or expression; the class of objects that an expression refers to. <i>A postgraduate extension course.</i>
growing	Biology the process of an individual organism growing organically a purely biological unfolding of events involved in an organism changing gradually from a simple to a more complex level. <i>The needs of the growing child.</i>
increase	The amount by which something increases. <i>The boss finally increased her salary.</i>
magnification	The degree to which something is or can be magnified. <i>At this magnification the pixels making up the image become visible.</i>
magnify	Make large. <i>Praise the Lord and magnify Him.</i>
maximize	Make as large or great as possible. <i>He maximized his role.</i>
pavilion	A building at a cricket ground or other sports ground, used for changing and taking refreshments. <i>They designed the British pavilion at Shanghai World Expo 2010.</i>
prolongation	Extension of the duration of something. <i>An agreement on further prolongation of the boundary proved difficult.</i>
stretch	The fact or condition of a muscle being stretched. <i>The park stretched beneath the train line.</i>
stretching	Exercise designed to extend the limbs and muscles to their full extent.
swell	A crescendo followed by a decrescendo. <i>She felt herself swell with pride.</i>
widen	Extend in scope or range or area. <i>The road widened.</i>

