

Need another word that means the same as “enlist”? Find 13 synonyms and 30 related words for “enlist” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Enlist” are: draft, muster in, engage, join up, recruit, call up, enrol, sign up, obtain, win, get, procure, secure**

## Enlist as a Verb

### Definitions of "Enlist" as a verb

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

- *Engage somebody to enter the army.*
- *Hire for work or assistance.*
- *Enrol or be enrolled in the armed services.*
- *Join the military.*
- *Engage (a person or their help or support.*

### Synonyms of "Enlist" as a verb (13 Words)

<b>call up</b>	Send a message or attempt to reach someone by radio, phone, etc.; make a signal to in order to transmit a message.
<b>draft</b>	Select a player for a sports team through the draft. <b>Draft</b> a speech.
<b>engage</b>	Keep engaged. He was <b>engaged</b> as a trainee copywriter.
<b>enrol</b>	Register formally as a participant or member. A campaign to <b>enrol</b> more foster carers.

<b>get</b>	Take vengeance on or get even. <i>I just don't <b>get</b> him.</i>
<b>join up</b>	Become part of; become a member of a group or organization.
<b>muster in</b>	Gather or bring together.
<b>obtain</b>	Get, acquire, or secure (something). <i>Adequate insurance cover is difficult to <b>obtain</b>.</i>
<b>procure</b>	Obtain (something), especially with care or effort. <i>He <b>procured</b> his wife to sign the mandate for the joint account.</i>
<b>recruit</b>	Form (an army or other force) by enlisting new people. <i>She <b>recruited</b> her children to help run the racket.</i>
<b>secure</b>	Cause to be firmly attached. <i>Doors are likely to be well <b>secured</b> at night.</i>
<b>sign up</b>	Communicate silently and non-verbally by signals or signs.
<b>win</b>	Win something through one's efforts. <i>You will find it difficult to <b>win</b> back their attention.</i>

## Usage Examples of "Enlist" as a verb

- *Hundreds of thousands of recruits had been enlisted.*
- *The company enlisted the help of independent consultants.*
- *He enlisted in the Royal Naval Air Service.*

## Associations of "Enlist" (30 Words)

<b>armed</b>	Furnished with bristles and thorns. <i>A lion rampant argent <b>armed</b> and langued azure.</i>
<b>armored</b>	Used of animals; provided with protective covering.
<b>army</b>	The army of the United States of America the agency that organizes and trains soldiers for land warfare. <i>He joined the <b>army</b> at 16.</i>
<b>artillery</b>	Large but transportable armament. <i>Each corps included two regiments of field <b>artillery</b>.</i>
<b>battalion</b>	A large body of troops ready for battle, especially an infantry unit forming part of a brigade. <i>A <b>battalion</b> of ants.</i>

<b>brigade</b>	Form or unite into a brigade. <i>The militia which was <b>brigaded</b> with regular formations to improve its training.</i>
<b>brigadier</b>	A general officer ranking below a major general.
<b>byzantine</b>	Of or relating to the Eastern Orthodox Church or the rites performed in it.
<b>cantonment</b>	Temporary living quarters specially built by the army for soldiers.
<b>colonel</b>	A commissioned military officer in the United States Army or Air Force or Marines who ranks above a lieutenant colonel and below a brigadier general.
<b>combatant</b>	A person engaged in conflict or competition with another. <i>All the <b>combatant</b> armies went to war with machine guns.</i>
<b>conscription</b>	Compulsory military service. <i><b>Conscription</b> was extended to married men.</i>
<b>corps</b>	A main subdivision of an army in the field, consisting of two or more divisions. <i>At 9 30 a m the press <b>corps</b> was handed what looked to be a routine list of orders.</i>
<b>demobilize</b>	Release from military service or remove from the active list of military service. <i>Germany demanded that they <b>demobilize</b> within twelve hours.</i>
<b>disarm</b>	Make less hostile; win over. <i>His tact and political skills will <b>disarm</b> critics.</i>
<b>disarmament</b>	The reduction or withdrawal of military forces and weapons. <i><b>Disarmament</b> treaties between America and the former Soviet Union.</i>
<b>enrol</b>	Recruit (someone) to perform a service. <i>The endowment of religious houses cannot be measured simply by the licences <b>enrolled</b> in chancery.</i>
<b>enroll</b>	Register formally as a participant or member.
<b>inroad</b>	An instance of something being encroached on or reduced by something else. <i>They made <b>inroads</b> in the United States market.</i>
<b>legionary</b>	Of an ancient Roman legion. <i>The <b>legionary</b> fortress of Isca.</i>
<b>martial</b>	Suggesting war or military life. <i><b>Martial</b> law.</i>
<b>mercenary</b>	Serving for wages in a foreign army. <i>She s nothing but a <b>mercenary</b> little gold digger.</i>

<b>militia</b>	A military force that engages in rebel or terrorist activities in opposition to a regular army. <i>Creating a <b>militia</b> was no answer to the army's manpower problem.</i>
<b>muster</b>	(of troops) gather for inspection or in preparation for battle. <i>He attended the <b>musters</b> which were called to train all able bodied men.</i>
<b>navy</b>	The ships of a navy. <i>We built their <b>navy</b>.</i>
<b>recruit</b>	A new member of an organization or supporter of a cause. <i>There are plans to <b>recruit</b> more staff later this year.</i>
<b>regiment</b>	Assign to a regiment. <i><b>Regiment</b> soldiers.</i>
<b>sergeant</b>	A lawman with the rank of sergeant.
<u><b>soldier</b></u>	Serve as a soldier in the military. <i>I <b>soldiered</b> with your father on his last four campaigns.</i>
<u><b>vanguard</b></u>	The leading units moving at the head of an army. <i>The prototype was in the <b>vanguard</b> of technical development.</i>