

Need another word that means the same as “epithet”? Find 7 synonyms and 30 related words for “epithet” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Epithet” are: name, sobriquet, nickname, byname, title, label, tag**

## Epithet as a Noun

### Definitions of "Epithet" as a noun

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

- *A defamatory or abusive word or phrase.*
- *An epithet used as a term of abuse.*
- *An adjective or phrase expressing a quality or attribute regarded as characteristic of the person or thing mentioned.*
- *Descriptive word or phrase.*



## Synonyms of "Epithet" as a noun (7 Words)

- byname** A familiar name for a person (often a shortened version of a person's given name).  
*Surnames started off as **byname**s to distinguish two persons in the same locality.*
- label** A narrow horizontal strip, typically with three downward projections, that is superimposed on a coat of arms by an eldest son during the life of his father.  
*The **label** salsa seems especially meaningless when applied to musicians like Tito Puente.*
- name** A word or set of words by which a person or thing is known, addressed, or referred to.  
*Halt in the **name** of the law.*

<b>nickname</b>	A descriptive name for a place or thing. <i>Joe's mother would not use his <b>nickname</b> and always called him Joseph.</i>
<b>sobriquet</b>	A person's nickname. <i>She was a vast and haughty person who answered to the <b>sobriquet</b> Duchesse.</i>
<b>tag</b>	A label written or printed on paper, cardboard, or plastic that is attached to something to indicate its owner, nature, price, etc. <i>Semantic <b>tags</b> were attached in order to identify different meanings of the word.</i>
<b>title</b>	Written material introduced into a movie or TV show to give credits or represent dialogue or explain an action. <i>A grocery family had <b>title</b> to the property.</i>

## Usage Examples of "Epithet" as a noun

- *People jeered and hurled racial epithets.*
- *Old men are often unfairly awarded the epithet 'dirty.'*

## Associations of "Epithet" (30 Words)

<b>adopt</b>	Take up the cause, ideology, practice, method, of someone and use it as one's own. <i><b>Adopt</b> a book for a screenplay.</i>
<b>affectionate</b>	Expressing fondness. <i>His <b>affectionate</b> nature.</i>
<b>alias</b>	As known or named at another time or place. <i>Fringes at higher spatial frequency are <b>aliased</b> by the sensor.</i>
<b>alphabetically</b>	In alphabetical order. <i>Books are now arranged <b>alphabetically</b> by author.</i>
<b>ashen</b>	Made of wood of the ash tree. <i>The <b>ashen</b> morning sky.</i>
<b>black</b>	Black clothing worn as a sign of mourning. <i>A <b>black</b> moonless night.</i>
<b>blond</b>	A light grayish yellow to near white. <i><b>Blond</b> Scandinavians.</i>
<b>cognomen</b>	The name used to identify the members of a family (as distinguished from each member's given name).

<a href="#">daughter</a>	A thing personified as a daughter in relation to its origin or source. <i>We are the sons and <b>daughters</b> of Adam.</i>
<b>descendants</b>	All of the offspring of a given progenitor.
<b>dub</b>	The new sounds added by dubbing. <i>Prewaxed thread has dramatically eased the process of <b>dubbing</b>.</i>
<b>enslavement</b>	The state of being a slave. <i>The <b>enslavement</b> of millions of Africans.</i>
<b>father</b>	Appear as or admit that one is the father or originator of. <i>He s held to be the <b>father</b> of abstract art.</i>
<b>given</b>	Acknowledged as a supposition. <i>They gathered at a <b>given</b> time.</i>
<b>gray</b>	Horse of a light gray or whitish color. <i><b>Gray</b> flannel suit.</i>
<b>grey</b>	Especially of hair become grey with age. <i>The <b>grey</b> economy.</i>
<b>incognito</b>	An assumed or false identity. <i>In order to observe you have to be <b>incognito</b>.</i>
<b>magenta</b>	A primary subtractive color for light a dark purple red color the dye for magenta was discovered in 1859 the year of the battle of Magenta. <i>A short <b>magenta</b> dress.</i>
<b>maroon</b>	Leave stranded or isolated with little hope of rescue. <i>Ornate <b>maroon</b> and gold wallpaper.</i>
<a href="#">moniker</a>	A familiar name for a person (often a shortened version of a person's given name). <i>His real <b>moniker</b> is Dave Kennedy.</i>
<a href="#">name</a>	Identify correctly by name. <i>They studied all the great <b>names</b> in the history of France.</i>
<a href="#">nickname</a>	Give a nickname to. <i>Joe s mother would not use his <b>nickname</b> and always called him Joseph.</i>
<b>patronymic</b>	A family name derived from name of your father or a paternal ancestor (especially with an affix (such as -son in English or O'- in Irish) added to the name of your father or a paternal ancestor). <i>A <b>patronymic</b> derived from the name of their original lordship.</i>
<a href="#">silhouette</a>	Project on a background such as a screen like a silhouette. <i>We can always use a <b>silhouette</b> of Father Christmas.</i>
<a href="#">sir</a>	Term of address for a man. <i>Excuse me <b>sir</b>.</i>

<b>sobriquet</b>	A familiar name for a person (often a shortened version of a person's given name. <i>She was a vast and haughty person who answered to the <b>sobriquet</b> Duchesse.</i>
<b>stygian</b>	Dark and dismal as of the rivers Acheron and Styx in Hades.
<b>surname</b>	Give a surname to. <i>He changed his <b>surname</b> from Kaye to Kasmin.</i>