

Need another word that means the same as “exposition”? Find 15 synonyms and 30 related words for “exposition” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Exposition” are: exhibition, expo, expounding, explanation, description, elucidation, explication, interpretation, illustration, fair, trade fair, display, show, presentation, demonstration**

## Exposition as a Noun

### Definitions of "Exposition" as a noun

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

- *The action of making something public.*
- *A large public exhibition of art or trade goods.*
- *An account that sets forth the meaning or intent of a writing or discourse.*
- *The section of a movement (especially in sonata form) where the major musical themes first occur.*
- *A collection of things (goods or works of art etc.) for public display.*
- *(music) the section of a movement (especially in sonata form) where the major musical themes first occur.*
- *The part of a movement, especially in sonata form, in which the principal themes are first presented.*
- *A systematic interpretation or explanation (usually written) of a specific topic.*
- *A comprehensive description and explanation of an idea or theory.*



## Synonyms of "Exposition" as a noun (15 Words)

- demonstration** A public display of group feelings (usually of a political nature).  
*There were violent **demonstrations** against the war.*
- description** The act of describing something.  
*People who had seen him were able to give a **description**.*
- display** Exhibiting openly in public view.  
*A **display** of fireworks.*
- elucidation** Explanation that makes something clear; clarification.  
*Work that led to the **elucidation** of the structure of proteins.*
- exhibition** A scholarship awarded to a student at a school or university, usually after a competitive examination.  
*A remarkable **exhibition** of musicianship.*

<b>explanation</b>	A reason or justification given for an action or belief. <i>I heard his <b>explanation</b> of the accident.</i>
<b>explication</b>	The process of analysing and developing an idea or principle in detail. <i>Careful reading and <b>explication</b> of classical texts.</i>
<b>expo</b>	A large international exhibition.
<b>expounding</b>	A systematic interpretation or explanation (usually written) of a specific topic.
<b>fair</b>	A traveling show; having sideshows and rides and games of skill etc. <i>Pursuing his <b>fair</b> in a solitary street.</i>
<b>illustration</b>	An item of information that is typical of a class or group. <i>This accident is a graphic <b>illustration</b> of the disaster that s waiting to happen.</i>
<u><b>interpretation</b></u>	An explanation or way of explaining. <i>His unique <b>interpretation</b> of the Liszt tudes.</i>
<b>presentation</b>	A visual representation of something. <i>After her <b>presentation</b> to Queen Victoria he had escorted his sister to numerous balls.</i>
<b>show</b>	A social event involving a public performance or entertainment. <i>I man a desk in a little office I don t run the <b>show</b>.</i>
<b>trade fair</b>	The commercial exchange (buying and selling on domestic or international markets) of goods and services.



## Usage Examples of "Exposition" as a noun

- *We would have understood the play better if there had been some initial exposition of the background.*
- *A systematic exposition of the idea of biodiversity.*
- *The country squires dreaded the exposition of their rustic conversation.*
- *The exposition will feature exhibits by 165 companies.*





## Associations of "Exposition" (30 Words)

<u>clarification</u>	The act of removing solid particles from a liquid. <i>The professor s <b>clarification</b> helped her to understand the textbook.</i>
<u>clarify</u>	Melt (butter) in order to separate out the water and milk solids. <i><b>Clarify</b> the butter.</i>
<b>define</b>	Give a definition for the meaning of a word. <i>The camera could <b>define</b> the smallest object.</i>
<b>definition</b>	A statement of the exact meaning of a word, especially in a dictionary. <i>Exercise had given his muscles superior <b>definition</b>.</i>
<u>depict</u>	Portray in words; describe. <i>These equations may be <b>depicted</b> on a graph.</i>
<u>depiction</u>	The action of depicting something, especially in a work of art. <i>Michelangelo s <b>depictions</b> of the male nude.</i>
<b>describe</b>	To give an account or representation of in words. <i>A single light is seen to <b>describe</b> a circle.</i>

<u><b>descriptive</b></u>	Describing accents, forms, structures, and usage without making value judgements. <i>The text contains some good <b>descriptive</b> passages.</i>
<b>display</b>	Attract attention by displaying some body part or posing of animals. <i>A <b>display</b> of emotion.</i>
<u><b>elucidate</b></u>	Make (something) clear; explain. <i>In what follows I shall try to <b>elucidate</b> what I believe the problems to be.</i>
<u><b>exhibition</b></u>	A collection of things (goods or works of art etc.) for public display. <i>A remarkable <b>exhibition</b> of musicianship.</i>
<b>expatiate</b>	Speak or write in detail about. <i>She <b>expatiated</b> on working class novelists.</i>
<b>explain</b>	Define. <i>He <b>explained</b> the laws of physics to his students.</i>
<b>explanation</b>	A reason or justification given for an action or belief. <i>I heard his <b>explanation</b> of the accident.</i>
<b>explicate</b>	Elaborate, as of theories and hypotheses. <i>An attempt to <b>explicate</b> the relationship between crime and economic forces.</i>
<u><b>expose</b></u>	Expose or make accessible to some action or influence. <i>The situation <b>exposed</b> a conflict within the government.</i>
<b>expository</b>	Intended to explain or describe something. <i>Clean <b>expository</b> writing.</i>
<b>expound</b>	Explain the meaning of (a literary or doctrinal work). <i>He was <b>expounding</b> a powerful argument.</i>
<b>forum</b>	A public facility to meet for open discussion. <i>We hope these pages act as a <b>forum</b> for debate.</i>
<u><b>gallery</b></u>	A porch along the outside of a building (sometimes partly enclosed). <i>In the minstrels <b>gallery</b> a string orchestra plays themes from film soundtracks.</i>
<b>homily</b>	A religious discourse which is intended primarily for spiritual edification rather than doctrinal instruction. <i>She delivered her <b>homily</b> about the need for patience.</i>
<b>instruction</b>	Directions to a solicitor or counsel, or to a jury. <i>He issued <b>instructions</b> to the sheriff.</i>
<u><b>interpret</b></u>	Give an interpretation or explanation to. <i>Can you <b>interpret</b> the speech of the visiting dignitaries.</i>

<b><u>interpretation</u></b>	An explanation or way of explaining. <i>The report included his <b>interpretation</b> of the forensic evidence.</i>
<b>portray</b>	Portray in words. <i>The father is <b>portrayed</b> as a good looking man in this painting.</i>
<b><u>preach</u></b>	Deliver a sermon. <i>He <b>preached</b> the word of God.</i>
<b>rationale</b>	An explanation of the fundamental reasons (especially an explanation of the working of some device in terms of laws of nature). <i>The <b>rationale</b> for capital punishment.</i>
<b><u>sermon</u></b>	A talk on a religious or moral subject, especially one given during a church service and based on a passage from the Bible. <i>I preached my first <b>sermon</b> on original sin.</i>
<b>showcase</b>	A glass container used to store and display items in a shop or museum or home. <i>The gallery will provide a <b>showcase</b> for Scotland s young photographers.</i>
<b>signification</b>	The message that is intended or expressed or signified. <i>Film comes closer than other forms of <b>signification</b> to resemblance of reality.</i>

