

Need another word that means the same as "greet"? Find 14 synonyms and 30 related words for "greet" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Greet" are: recognise, recognize, say hello to, address, salute, hail, halloo, welcome, meet, receive, acknowledge, respond to, react to, take

Greet as a Verb

Definitions of "Greet" as a verb

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "greet" as a verb can have the following definitions:

- React to in a certain way.
- (especially of a sight or sound) become apparent to (a person arriving somewhere.
- Express greetings upon meeting someone.
- Give a polite word of recognition or sign of welcome when meeting (someone.
- Send greetings to.
- Be perceived by.
- Receive or acknowledge (something) in a specified way.





Synonyms of "Greet" as a verb (14 Words)

acknowledge Accept (someone) to be what is claimed or accept his power and authority. The plight of the refugees was **acknowledge**d by the authorities.

Address or apply oneself to something direct one s efforts towards

address something such as a question.

Address your complaints to the Trading Standards Board.

hail Hail falls.

Hail a cab.

Cry or shout halloo to attract attention or to give encouragement to dogs in

halloo hunting.

He **halloo**ed a number of men in sweatshirts.

meet Meet by design be present at the arrival of.

Does this paper **meet** the requirements for the degree.

react to Act against or in opposition to.

receive Receive as a retribution or punishment.

The impression she **receive**d was one of unhurried leisure.



recognise Accept (someone) to be what is claimed or accept his power and authority.

Express greetings upon meeting someone.

recognizeThese qualifications are **recognize**d by the Department of Education.

respond to React verbally.

Make a formal salute to.

He **salute**d her with a smile.

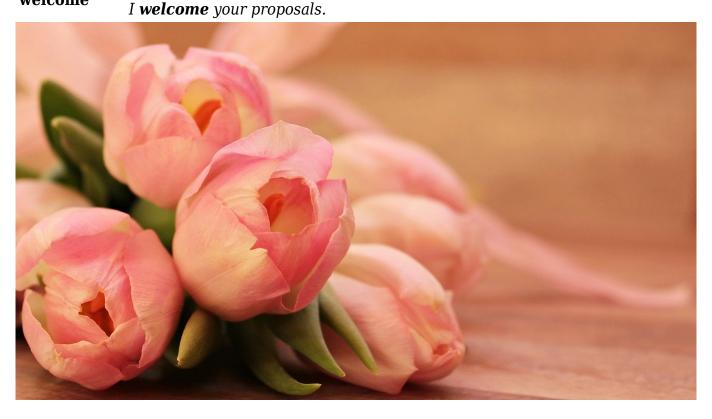
say hello to Communicate or express nonverbally.

take Take into one s possession.

Can you take this bag please.

welcome

Bid welcome to greet upon arrival.



Usage Examples of "Greet" as a verb

- Some of the customers greeted the barman in Gaelic.
- Sam threw open the door and was greeted by a cacophony of noise.
- The President was greeted with catcalls.
- Everyone greeted this idea warmly.





Associations of "Greet" (30 Words)

An utterance of aloha. aloha

From the first **aloha** everyone is friendly and attentive.

A demonstration of approval by clapping the hands together. applause

They gave him a round of applause.

One or more holes remaining unplayed after a match has been decided. bye

He has a **bye** into the second round.

In a cheerful manner. cheerfully

He **cheerfully** admits to being the wrong side of fifty.

In a hearty manner. cordially

He was **cordially** detested for his brutality and injustice.

courteously In a polite manner.

Perform a curtsy. curtsy

She bobbed a curtsy to him.



With pleasure or gratitude; happily.

She offered me a lift and I **gladly** accepted.

goodbye An instance of saying goodbye a parting.

We said our **goodbye**s and set off.

greeting A polite word or sign of welcome or recognition.

She raised her hand in **greeting**.

handshake An act of shaking a person's hand with one's own as a greeting.

happily In a happy way.

Eleanor giggled **happily**.

heartily To a great degree; very (especially with reference to personal feelings.

They were **heartily** sick of the whole subject.

hello Say or shout hello.

I pressed the phone button and **hello**ed.

hi A state in the United States in the central Pacific on the Hawaiian Islands.

hospitable (of an environment) pleasant and favourable for living in.

Hospitable invitations.

Relating to or denoting the business of entertaining clients, conference

hospitality delegates, or other official visitors.

The BBC s **hospitality** suite.

kissing Affectionate play (or foreplay without contact with the genital organs.

luckily By good fortune.

Luckily they didn t recognize me.

married Married people.

We invited several young marrieds.

politely

In a respectful and considerate manner.

He waited politely for me to ask questions.

He waited **politely** for me to ask questions.

Able to absorb liquid (not repellent.

The institution was **receptive** to new ideas.

. Acknowledge the existence, validity, or legality of.

recognize

Countries which recognized East Germany.

salutation An act of honor or courteous recognition.

We greeted them but no one returned our **salutation**s.

Make a formal salute to.

A terrible stench **salute**d our nostrils.

smile Express with a smile.

He **smile**d at Shelley.



thankfully Used to express pleasure or relief at a fortunate outcome.

He accepted **thankfully** my apologies.

welcome The state of being welcome.

The news will be most **welcome** to those whose jobs will now be safeguarded.

Behaving in a polite or friendly way to a guest or new arrival.

welcoming A welcoming smile.

willingly Readily; of one's own free will.

