

Need another word that means the same as “hear”? Find 28 synonyms and 30 related words for “hear” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Hear” are: discover, find out, get a line, get wind, get word, learn, pick up, see, listen, take heed, try, perceive, catch, get, make out, take in, apprehend, discern, judge, sit in judgement on, be informed, be told, gather, glean, ascertain, be made aware, be given to understand, hear tell**

## Hear as a Verb

### Definitions of "Hear" as a verb

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

- *Be told or informed of.*
- *Perceive (sound) via the auditory sense.*
- *Receive a communication from someone.*
- *Examine or hear (evidence or a case) by judicial process.*
- *Listen or pay attention to.*
- *Perceive with the ear the sound made by (someone or something).*
- *Listen to and grant (a prayer).*
- *Listen to and judge (a case or plaintiff).*
- *Get to know or become aware of, usually accidentally.*
- *Listen and pay attention.*



## Synonyms of "Hear" as a verb (28 Words)

**apprehend**

Arrest (someone) for a crime.

*We enter a field of vision we could not otherwise **apprehend**.*

**ascertain**

Find out, learn, or determine with certainty, usually by making an inquiry or other effort.

*An attempt to **ascertain** the cause of the accident.*

**be given to  
understand**

Have an existence, be extant.

**be informed**

Spend or use time.

**be made aware**

Be identical or equivalent to.

**be told**

Represent, as of a character on stage.

**catch**

Be the catcher.

*She was hurrying downstairs to **catch** the news.*

**discern**

Recognize or find out.

*She could faintly **discern** the shape of a skull.*

**discover**

Make a discovery make a new finding.

*A teenager who has recently **discovered** fashion.*

<b>find out</b>	Decide on and make a declaration about.
<b>gather</b>	Collect or gather. <i>She <b>gathered</b> the child in her arms.</i>
<b>get</b>	Take vengeance on or get even. <i>The operator couldn't <b>get</b> Kobe because of the earthquake.</i>
<b>get a line</b>	Reach a destination; arrive by movement or progress.
<b>get wind</b>	Receive as a retribution or punishment.
<b>get word</b>	Receive as a retribution or punishment.
<b>glean</b>	Obtain (information) from various sources, often with difficulty. <i>The conditions of farm workers in the 1890s made <b>gleaning</b> essential.</i>
<b>hear tell</b>	Get to know or become aware of, usually accidentally.
<b>judge</b>	Judge tentatively or form an estimate of quantities or time. <i>Other cases were <b>judged</b> by tribunal.</i>
<b>learn</b>	Commit to memory learn by heart. <i>That'll <b>learn</b> you he chuckled.</i>
<b>listen</b>	Listen and pay attention. <i>If I've had a stressful day I love to chill out and <b>listen</b> to music.</i>
<b>make out</b>	Achieve a point or goal.
<b>perceive</b>	To become aware of through the senses. <i>His mouth fell open as he <b>perceived</b> the truth.</i>
<b>pick up</b>	Pull lightly but sharply with a plucking motion.
<b>see</b>	See and understand have a good eye. <i>In the distance she could <b>see</b> the blue sea.</i>
<b>sit in judgement on</b>	Serve in a specific professional capacity.
<b>take heed</b>	Accept or undergo, often unwillingly.
<b>take in</b>	Take into one's possession.
<b>try</b>	Put to the test, as for its quality, or give experimental use to. <i>They decided to <b>try</b> for another baby.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Hear" as a verb

- *She had never been heard to complain.*
- *They heard that I had moved.*
- *He did not hear very well.*
- *No doubt you heard about the raid.*
- *The jury had heard all the evidence.*
- *Our Heavenly Father has heard our prayers.*
- *Behind her she could hear men's voices.*
- *We heard nothing from our son for five years.*
- *An all-woman jury heard the case.*
- *She just doesn't hear what I'm telling her.*
- *Have you heard the news?*
- *We must hear the expert before we make a decision.*





## Associations of "Hear" (30 Words)

- aloud** Audibly; not silently or in a whisper.  
*Cried **aloud** for help.*
- audible** A change of playing tactics called by the quarterback at the line of scrimmage.  
*He spoke in an **audible** whisper.*
- audio** An audible acoustic wave frequency.  
*They always raise the **audio** for commercials.*
- bell** Nautical each of the eight half hour units of nautical time signaled by strokes of a ship s bell eight bells signals 4 00 8 00 or 12 00 o clock either a m or p m.  
*No problem I ll **bell** her tomorrow.*
- cackle** A loud laugh suggestive of a hen s cackle.  
*Corporate luminaries **cackle** on about the importance of quality.*

<b>clang</b>	Make or cause to make a clang. <i>The belfry still <b>clangs</b> its bell at 9 p m.</i>
<b>click</b>	Produce a click. <i>The key <b>clicked</b> in the lock and the door opened.</i>
<b>ding</b>	Go ding dong like a bell. <i>Cash registers were <b>dinging</b> softly.</i>
<b>doorbell</b>	A push button at an outer door that gives a ringing or buzzing signal when pushed. <i>Charlotte rang the <b>doorbell</b>.</i>
<b>echo</b>	Ring or echo with sound. <i>His contention contains more than an <b>echo</b> of Rousseau.</i>
<b>gramophone</b>	An antique record player; the sound of the vibrating needle is amplified acoustically.
<b>hearing</b>	The act of hearing attentively. <i>The investigative committee will hold <b>hearings</b> in Chicago.</i>
<b>jingle</b>	(of writing) be full of alliteration or rhymes. <i>He <b>jingled</b> the coins in his purse.</i>
<b>listen</b>	Listen and pay attention. <i>If I ve had a stressful day I love to chill out and <b>listen</b> to music.</i>
<b>loudly</b>	Used as a direction in music to be played relatively loudly. <i>The crowd <b>loudly</b> booed the decision.</i>
<b>noise</b>	Make a lot of noise. <i>Whatever it was he didn t like it and he was going to let them know by making as loud a <b>noise</b> as he could.</i>
<b>phonic</b>	Relating to phonics. <i>The devices of poetry foreground <b>phonic</b> elements that are usually ignored in practical speech.</i>
<b>resound</b>	(of a place) be filled or echo with a sound or sounds. <i>The office <b>resounds</b> with the metronomic clicking of keyboards.</i>
<b>reverberate</b>	Return or re-echo (a sound). <i>The hall <b>reverberated</b> with laughter.</i>
<b>ring</b>	Make bells ring often for the purposes of musical edification. <i>A gas <b>ring</b>.</i>
<b>ringing</b>	The sound of a bell ringing E A Poe. <i>The tintinnabulation that so voluminously swells from the <b>ringing</b> and the dinging of the bells.</i>

- sonic** Relating to audible sound.  
*A **sonic** boom.*
- sound** Music speech and sound effects when recorded and used to accompany a film video or broadcast.  
*A **sound** thrashing.*
- telephone** Contact someone using the telephone.  
*He **telephoned** his wife at 9 30.*
- telephony** Transmitting speech at a distance.  
*Mobile **telephony**.*
- timbre** The distinctive quality or character of someone or something.  
*Trumpet mutes with different **timbres**.*
- tocsin** A bell used to sound an alarm.  
*He used his resignation as a **tocsin** to warn of the danger of dictatorship.*
- tonic** Music the first note of a diatonic scale.  
***Tonic** muscle contraction.*

