

Need another word that means the same as “indebted”? Find 10 synonyms and 30 related words for “indebted” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Indebted” are: beholden, under an obligation, obliged, obligated, bound, duty-bound, grateful, thankful, filled with gratitude, appreciative

Indebted as an Adjective

Definitions of "Indebted" as an adjective

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “indebted” as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- *Under a legal obligation to someone.*
- *Owing gratitude or recognition to another for help or favors etc.*
- *Owing gratitude for a service or favour.*
- *Owing money.*



Synonyms of "Indebted" as an adjective (10 Words)

appreciative

Feeling or showing gratitude or pleasure.

***Appreciative** of a beautiful landscape.*

beholden

Owing thanks or having a duty to someone in return for help or a service.

*I don't like to be **beholden** to anybody.*

bound

Headed or intending to head in a certain direction often used as a combining form as in college bound students.

*Leather **bound** volumes.*

duty-bound

Under a moral obligation to do something.

filled with gratitude

Taken up.

grateful	Affording comfort or pleasure. <i>A grateful heart.</i>
obligated	Caused by law or conscience to follow a certain course. <i>Was obligated to pay off the student loan.</i>
obliged	Under a moral obligation to do something.
thankful	Pleased and relieved. <i>They were thankful that the war was finally over.</i>
under an obligation	Located below or beneath something else.

Usage Examples of "Indebted" as an adjective

- *I am indebted to her for her help in indexing my book.*
- *Heavily indebted countries.*

Associations of "Indebted" (30 Words)

admiration	Respect and warm approval. <i>They were lost in admiration of the scenery.</i>
appreciate	Rise in value or price. <i>She feels that he does not appreciate her.</i>
appreciated	Fully understood or grasped. <i>Dangers not yet appreciated.</i>
appreciation	Recognition and enjoyment of the good qualities of someone or something. <i>The appreciation of the dollar against the pound.</i>
appreciative	Feeling or expressive of gratitude. <i>Was appreciative of his efforts.</i>
assess	Evaluate or estimate the nature, ability, or quality of. <i>Our house hasn't been assessed in years.</i>
beholden	Owing thanks or having a duty to someone in return for help or a service. <i>I don't like to be beholden to anybody.</i>
borrow	Take (a word or idea) from another language, person, or source and use it in one's own language or work. <i>You could easily have borrowed a book from your local library.</i>
debtor	A person who owes a creditor; someone who has the obligation of paying a debt. <i>Generally debtors must negotiate with each creditor separately.</i>

delighted	Greatly pleased. <i>We were delighted to see her.</i>
discriminating	Showing or indicating careful judgment and discernment especially in matters of taste. <i>The discriminating eye of the connoisseur.</i>
duty	A payment levied on the transfer of property, for licences, and for the legal recognition of documents. <i>A 6 per cent duty on imports.</i>
enjoy	Derive or receive pleasure from get enjoyment from take pleasure in. <i>The security forces enjoy legal immunity from prosecution.</i>
esteem	An attitude of admiration or esteem. <i>He was held in high esteem by colleagues.</i>
generosity	The quality or fact of being plentiful or large. <i>I was overwhelmed by the generosity of friends and neighbours.</i>
gift	Present someone with a gift or gifts. <i>Man is gifted with a moral sense.</i>
grateful	Feeling or showing gratitude. <i>The grateful shade.</i>
gratitude	A feeling of thankfulness and appreciation. <i>She expressed her gratitude to the committee for their support.</i>
obligated	Caused by law or conscience to follow a certain course. <i>Was obligated to pay off the student loan.</i>
pleased	Proud of one's achievements, especially excessively so; self-satisfied. <i>We will be pleased to provide an independent appraisal.</i>
relieved	(of pain or sorrow) made easier to bear. <i>Relieved parents who had waited anxiously for news.</i>
relish	Make pleasant to the taste add relish to. <i>I was appointed to a post for which I had little relish.</i>
respect	Show respect towards. <i>It differs in that respect.</i>
revere	Regard with feelings of respect and reverence consider hallowed or exalted or be in awe of. <i>C zanne s still lifes were revered by his contemporaries.</i>
tasteful	Having or showing or conforming to good taste. <i>A tasteful lounge bar.</i>
thank	Express gratitude or show appreciation to. <i>Mac thanked her for the meal and left.</i>

thankful

Pleased and relieved.

*They were **thankful** that the war was finally over.*

thanks

With the help of or owing to.

*A letter of **thanks**.*

treasure

Accumulated wealth in the form of money or jewels etc.

*The children returned from the seashore with their shells and other **treasures**.*

worth

Often used ironically worthy of being treated in a particular way.

*The companies have debts greater than two years **worth** of their sales.*