

Need another word that means the same as “ingest”? Find 37 synonyms and 30 related words for “ingest” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Ingest” are: consume, have, take, take in, absorb, assimilate, eat, munch, munch on, partake of, taste, swallow, devour, feast on, gulp, gulp down, gobble, gobble down, wolf, wolf down, scoff, scoff down, tuck in, tuck into, breakfast, breakfast on, lunch, lunch on, dine, dine on, digest, be absorbed in, be immersed in, be rapt in, be lost in, be fascinated by, pay close attention to**

## Ingest as a Verb

### Definitions of "Ingest" as a verb

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

- *Serve oneself to, or consume regularly.*
- *Take up mentally.*
- *Absorb (information).*
- *Take (food, drink, or another substance) into the body by swallowing or absorbing it.*



## Synonyms of "Ingest" as a verb (37 Words)

### **absorb**

Take in or soak up (energy or a liquid or other substance) by chemical or physical action.

*She sat in an armchair **absorbed** in a book.*

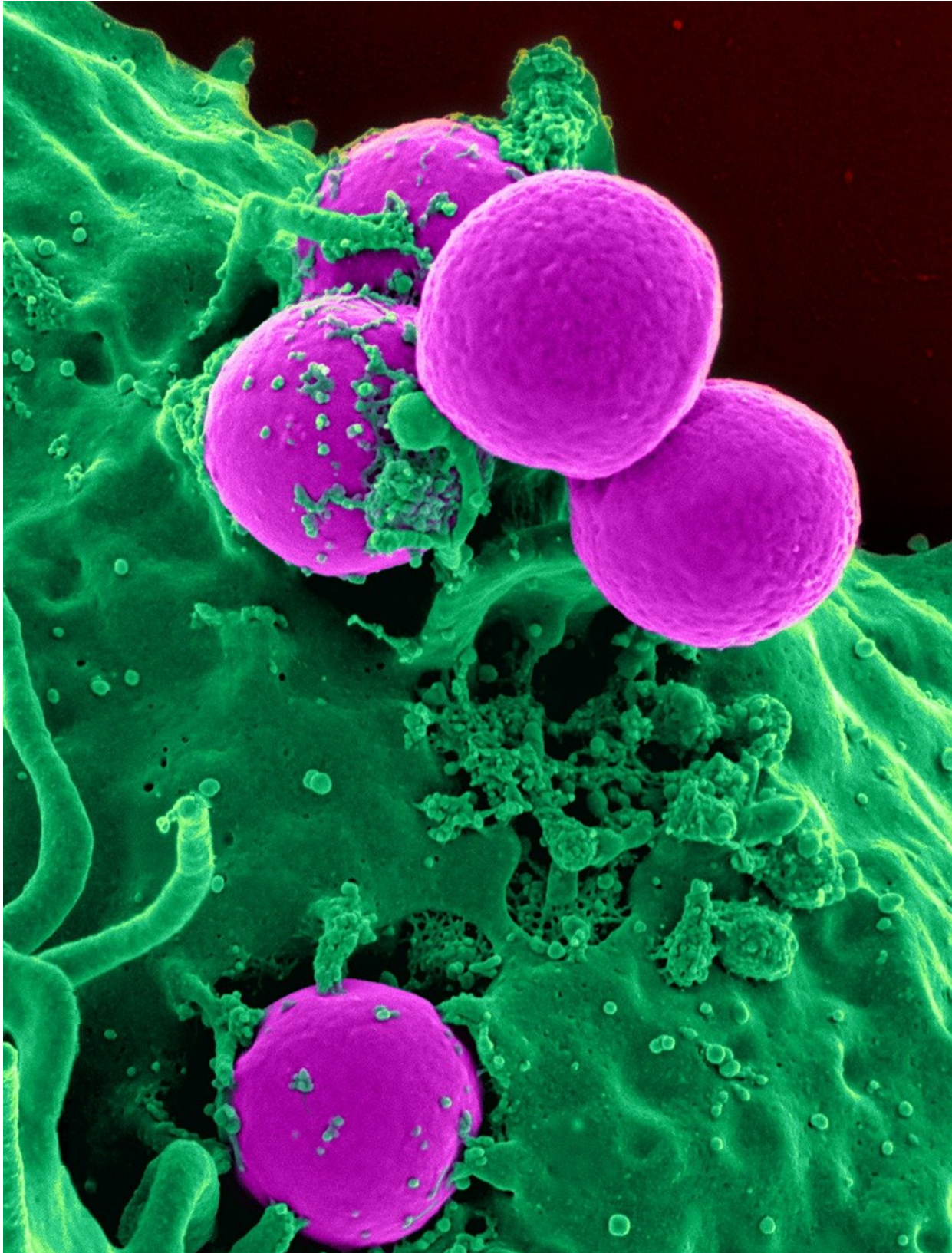
<b>assimilate</b>	Make similar. <i>The v in fivepence may be <b>assimilated</b> to a voiceless f because of the p.</i>
<b>be absorbed in</b>	Happen, occur, take place.
<b>be fascinated by</b>	Be priced at.
<b>be immersed in</b>	Represent, as of a character on stage.
<b>be lost in</b>	Have life, be alive.
<b>be rapt in</b>	Be priced at.
<b>breakfast</b>	Provide breakfast for. <i>We <b>breakfast</b> at seven.</i>
<b>breakfast on</b>	Eat an early morning meal.
<b>consume</b>	Serve oneself to or consume regularly. <i>People <b>consume</b> a good deal of sugar in drinks.</i>
<b>devour</b>	Be totally absorbed by a powerful feeling. <i>She spent her evenings <b>devouring</b> the classics.</i>
<b>digest</b>	Make more concise. <i>The computer <b>digested</b> your labours into a form understandable by a program.</i>
<b>dine</b>	Eat dinner. <i>We often <b>dine</b> with friends in this restaurant.</i>
<b>dine on</b>	Give dinner to; host for dinner.
<b>eat</b>	Eat a meal take a meal. <i>If we had to we could probably <b>eat</b> the cost.</i>
<b>feast on</b>	Partake in a feast or banquet.
<b>gobble</b>	(of a large organization) incorporate or take over (a smaller one). <i>He <b>gobbled</b> up the rest of his sandwich.</i>
<b>gobble down</b>	Make a gurgling sound, characteristic of turkeys.
<b>gulp</b>	Breathe or swallow with difficulty, typically in response to strong emotion. <i>She <b>gulped</b> back the tears.</i>
<b>gulp down</b>	Utter or make a noise, as when swallowing too quickly.
<b>have</b>	Have put someone at a disadvantage in an argument. <i><b>Have</b> you got a job yet.</i>
<b>lunch</b>	Take someone out for lunch. <i>He told his wife he was <b>lunching</b> with a client.</i>
<b>lunch on</b>	Take the midday meal.

<b>munch</b>	Chew noisily. <i>Russell <b>munched</b> his breakfast toast.</i>
<b>munch on</b>	Chew noisily.
<b>partake of</b>	Have some of the qualities or attributes of something.
<b>pay close attention to</b>	Discharge or settle.
<b><u>scoff</u></b>	Treat with contemptuous disregard. <i>You a scientist he <b>scoffed</b>.</i>
<b>scoff down</b>	Treat with contemptuous disregard.
<b>swallow</b>	Enclose or envelop completely as if by swallowing. <i>The dark mist <b>swallowed</b> her up.</i>
<b>take</b>	Take as an undesirable consequence of some event or state of affairs. <i>Let s <b>take</b> Napoleon for instance.</i>
<b>take in</b>	Take into consideration for exemplifying purposes.
<b>taste</b>	Have a distinctive or characteristic taste. <i>The spinach <b>tastes</b> delicious.</i>
<b>tuck in</b>	Fit snugly into.
<b>tuck into</b>	Make a tuck or several folds in.
<b>wolf</b>	Eat hastily. <i>The teenager <b>wolfed</b> down the pizza.</i>
<b>wolf down</b>	Eat hastily.



### **Usage Examples of "Ingest" as a verb**

- *They ingest oxygen from the air.*
- *He spent his days ingesting the contents of the library.*
- *Lead will poison anyone if enough is ingested.*



## Associations of "Ingest" (30 Words)

<b>absorb</b>	Devote (oneself) fully to. <i>The immigrants were quickly <b>absorbed</b> into society.</i>
<b>bite</b>	(of an acid) corrode a surface. <i>Percy's dog had given her a nasty <b>bite</b>.</i>
<b>champ</b>	Chew noisily. <i>He was already on the plane <b>champing</b> to get off to Lagos.</i>
<b>chew</b>	Something that is meant for chewing. <i>He <b>chewed</b> for a moment then swallowed.</i>
<b>chomp</b>	The act of gripping or chewing off with the teeth and jaws. <i>The boy <b>chomped</b> his sandwich.</i>
<b>consume</b>	Serve oneself to or consume regularly. <i>Accounting provides measures of the economic goods and services <b>consumed</b>.</i>
<b>dietary</b>	Relating to or provided by diet. <i><b>Dietary</b> restrictions.</i>
<b>digest</b>	A substance or mixture obtained by digestion. <i>A <b>digest</b> of cloned DNA.</i>
<b>dinner</b>	A party of people assembled to have dinner together. <i>On Sundays they had a large <b>dinner</b> when they returned from church.</i>
<b>eat</b>	Eat a meal take a meal. <i>What did you <b>eat</b> for dinner last night.</i>
<b>excrete</b>	(of a living organism or cell) separate and expel as waste (a substance, especially a product of metabolism). <i>Excess bicarbonate is <b>excreted</b> by the kidney.</i>
<b>feed</b>	Feed into supply. <i>The baby's morning <b>feed</b>.</i>
<b>flavor</b>	Lend flavor to.
<b>flavour</b>	A substance used to alter or enhance the taste of food or drink a flavouring. <i>The yoghurt comes in eight fruit <b>flavours</b>.</i>
<b>gastronome</b>	A gourmet. <i><b>Gastronomes</b> will be fascinated by this guide to French cooking.</i>
<b>glutton</b>	A person who is excessively fond of something. <i>He's a <b>glutton</b> for adventure.</i>
<b>gourmand</b>	A person who is devoted to eating and drinking to excess.

<b>hungry</b>	Extremely desirous. <i><b>Hungry</b> for recognition.</i>
<b>ingestion</b>	The process of absorbing information. <i>The quiet <b>ingestion</b> of information.</i>
<b>inhalation</b>	The action of inhaling or breathing in. <i>The <b>inhalation</b> of airborne particles.</i>
<b><u>intake</u></b>	The process of taking food into the body through the mouth (as by eating). <i>She heard his sharp <b>intake</b> of breath.</i>
<b>masticate</b>	Grind and knead. <i>Try to <b>masticate</b> slowly.</i>
<b><u>meal</u></b>	The food eaten during a meal. <i>A bar serving light <b>meals</b>.</i>
<b>mouthful</b>	A long or complicated word or phrase that is difficult to say. <i>Poliomyelitis is a bit of a <b>mouthful</b>.</i>
<b>nip</b>	Sever or remove by pinching or snipping. <i>A keen <b>nip</b> in the air.</i>
<b>phagocytosis</b>	The ingestion of bacteria or other material by phagocytes and amoeboid protozoans.
<b>provender</b>	A stock or supply of foods. <i>There s no one to carry your <b>provender</b> in brown paper bags to the boot of your car.</i>
<b><u>quench</u></b>	An act of quenching a very hot substance. <i>Firemen hauled on hoses in a desperate bid to <b>quench</b> the flames.</i>
<b>swallow</b>	The act of swallowing. <i>The dark mist <b>swallowed</b> her up.</i>
<b>thirst</b>	A feeling of needing or wanting to drink something. <i>He is oblivious to all the <b>thirst</b> around him.</i>



