

Need another word that means the same as "low"? Find 150 synonyms and 30 related words for "low" in this overview.

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### Low as a Noun

## Definitions of "Low" as a noun

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "low" as a noun can have the following definitions:

- A low level or position or degree.
- A low point, level, or figure.
- British political cartoonist (born in New Zealand) who created the character Colonel Blimp (1891-1963.
- An air mass of lower pressure; often brings precipitation.
- An area of low barometric pressure; a depression.
- A state of depression.
- The lowest forward gear ratio in the gear box of a motor vehicle; used to start a car moving.
- A difficult time in a person's life.





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

**all-time low** An air mass of lower pressure; often brings precipitation.

**bottom**The lower side of anything.

The shed at the **bottom** of the garden.

david low

The lowest forward gear ratio in the gear box of a motor vehicle;

used to start a car moving.

A state of depression and anhedonia so severe as to require

**depression** clinical intervention.

*Self doubt creeps in and that swiftly turns to depression.* 

The first or highest in an ordering or series.

first

He wanted to be the **first**.

first gear

The lowest forward gear ratio in the gear box of a motor vehicle;

used to start a car moving.

**low gear** A low level or position or degree.



cecil low

**low point** An air mass of lower pressure; often brings precipitation.

**low-water mark** A visible indication made on a surface.

**lowest level** An air mass of lower pressure; often brings precipitation.

**lowest point** A low level or position or degree.

nadir

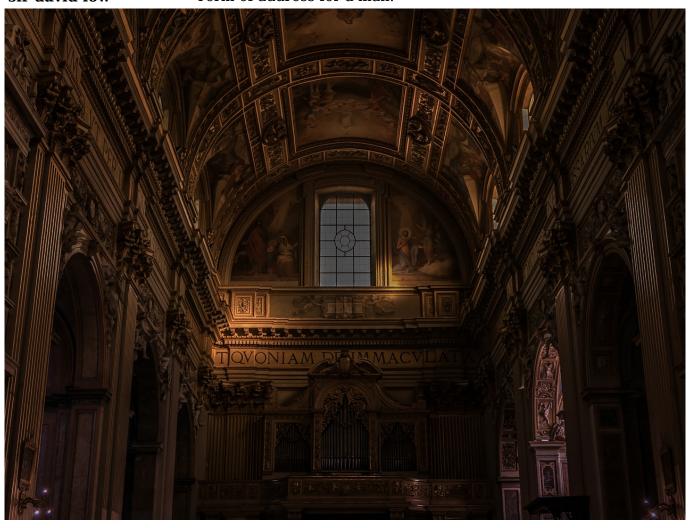
The point on the celestial sphere directly below an observer.

Asking that question was the **nadir** of my career.

**rock bottom** A lump or mass of hard consolidated mineral matter.

sir david alexander
Term of address for a man.

**sir david low** Term of address for a man.





## Usage Examples of "Low" as a noun

- The highs and lows of an actor's life.
- The stock market fell to a new low.
- The weatherman talked about highs and lows.
- She doesn't have big highs or big lows.
- A low moved in over night bringing sleet and snow.
- His popularity ratings are at an all-time low.



## Low as a Verb

#### Definitions of "Low" as a verb

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "low" as a verb can have the following definitions:



• Make a low noise, characteristic of bovines.



Synonyms of "Low" as a verb (1 Word)

 $\mathbf{moo} \ \, \mathbf{Make the \ characteristic \ deep \ resonant \ vocal \ sound \ of \ cattle.} } \\ \mathbf{moo} \ \, \mathbf{moo} \mathbf{ed \ from \ the \ barn.} \\$ 





## Low as an Adjective

## Definitions of "Low" as an adjective

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "low" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- Subdued or brought low in condition or status.
- Low or inferior in station or quality.
- Very low in volume.
- (of a sound or voice) not loud or high.
- Ranking below other people or things in importance or class.
- Below average in amount, extent, or intensity.
- Unscrupulous or dishonest.
- Literal meanings; being at or having a relatively small elevation or upward extension.
- (of latitude) near the equator.



- Depressed or lacking in energy.
- Less than normal in degree or intensity or amount.
- Of the most contemptible kind.
- (of a supply) small or reduced in quantity.
- Of less than average height from top to bottom or to the top from the ground.
- (of a river or lake) below the usual water level.
- (of art or culture) considered to be inferior in quality and refinement.
- (of women's clothing) cut so as to reveal the neck and the upper part of the breasts.
- (of an opinion) unfavourable.
- (of a vowel) pronounced with the tongue held low in the mouth; open.
- No longer sufficient.
- Less good than is expected or desired; inferior.
- Having a small or reduced quantity of a supply.
- Situated not far above the ground, the horizon, or sea level.
- Used of sounds and voices; low in pitch or frequency.
- Filled with melancholy and despondency.
- (of a substance or food) containing smaller quantities than usual of a specified ingredient.
- Unrefined in character.
- Located at or near the bottom of something.





## Synonyms of "Low" as an adjective (134 Words)

Most unfortunate or miserable. <u>abject</u>

Abject surrender.

In an opposing direction. adverse

Taxes are having an adverse effect on production.

Feeling physical discomfort or pain tough is occasionally used

colloquially for bad. bad

A **bad** recital.

Debased not genuine. **base** 

bass

Base coins of aluminum.

Having or denoting a low vocal or instrumental range.

A **bass** voice is lower than a baritone voice.



**blue** Of a bird or other animal having blue markings.

Deep **blue** eyes.

booming Used of the voice.

The **booming** economy of the 1920s.

Out of working order busted is an informal substitute for broken.

A **broken** white line across the road.

**cheap** Charging low prices.

Her moment of **cheap** triumph.

**coarse** Relating to the sport of angling for coarse fish.

A man of **coarse** speech.

**contemptible** Deserving contempt; despicable.

A display of **contemptible** cowardice.

Belonging to an early stage of technical development characterized

**<u>crude</u>** by simplicity and often crudeness.

Managed to make a **crude** splint.

**crushed** Feeling overwhelmingly disappointed or embarrassed.

**Crushed** trousers and a crumpled jacket.

**cut-price** Costing less than standard price.

**deep** Relatively deep or strong affecting one deeply.

In **deep** trouble.

(of a word) not having all the inflections normal for the part of

**defective** speech.

Dystrophin is commonly **defective** in muscle tissue.

deficient Insufficient or inadequate.

This diet is **deficient** in vitamin B.

**dejected**Affected or marked by low spirits.

Is **dejected** but trying to look cheerful.

depleted No longer sufficient.

Our funds are **depleted**.

(of an object or part of an object) in a lower position, having been

**depressed** pushed down.

She felt lonely and depressed.

**despicable**Deserving hatred and contempt.

A **despicable** crime.

**despondent** In low spirits from loss of hope or courage.

She grew more and more despondent.



**disgusting**Arousing revulsion or strong indignation.

I think the decision is **disgusting**.

dishonourable Lacking honor or integrity; deserving dishonor.

His crimes are petty and dishonourable.

dismal (of a person or their mood) gloomy.

The first **dismal** dispiriting days of November.

**dispirited** Filled with melancholy and despondency.

A **dispirited** and divided Party.

Denoting a flavour variety of stable quark having relatively low mass

and an electric charge of 1 3 In the Standard Model protons and

neutrons are composed of up and down quarks.

The **down** trend in the real estate market.

down in the mouth Understood perfectly.

downcast Filled with melancholy and despondency.

You mustn t be **downcast**.

downhearted Discouraged; in low spirits.

Feeling discouraged and downhearted.

dulcet Extremely pleasant in a gentle way.

The **dulcet** tones of the cello.

economical Using the minimum of time or resources necessary for effectiveness.

An **economical** shopper.

Deficient in magnitude; barely perceptible; lacking clarity or

**faint** brightness or loudness etc.

Damning with **faint** praise.

A quantifier that can be used with count nouns and is often preceded

**few** by `a'; a small but indefinite number.

**Few** roses were still blooming.

flat Of a key having a flat or flats in the signature.

A **flat** shade of grey.

forlorn Marked by or showing hopelessness.

A **forlorn** attempt to escape.

Easily handled or managed.

**gentle Gentle** rain.

gloomy

Causing dejection.

**Gloomy** predictions.

Showing a brooding ill humor.

The princess looked **glum** but later cheered up.



Harshly uninviting or formidable in manner or appearance.

**Grim** laughter.

hostile Characterized by enmity or ill will.

A **hostile** audience.

(of an action or thought) offered with or affected by a modest

**humble** estimate of one's importance.

I felt very **humble** when meeting her.

humbled Marked by meekness or modesty; not arrogant or prideful-

B.K.Malinowski.

humiliated Subdued or brought low in condition or status.

**Humiliated** that his wife had to go out to work.

hushed In a softened tone.

He addressed the **hushed** courtroom.

**ignoble** Of humble origin or social status.

Of **ignoble** or ungentle birth.

improper Not appropriate for a purpose or occasion.

*Improper* attire for the golf course.

inadequate Not sufficient to meet a need.

These labels prove to be wholly **inadequate**.

inaudible Unable to be heard.

**Inaudible** pulses of high frequency sound.

Not conforming with generally accepted standards of behaviour,

**indecent** especially in relation to sexual matters.

They leaped on the suggestion with **indecent** haste.

In violation of good taste even verging on the indecent.

**indelicate** Forgive me asking an **indelicate** question but how are you off for

money.

indistinct Not clearly defined or easy to perceive or understand.

Only **indistinct** notions of what to do.

Relatively low in price or charging low prices.

**Inexpensive** family restaurants.

Of low or inferior quality.

inferior Inferior goods.

lamentable (of circumstances or conditions) very bad; deplorable.

A lamentable decision.



Used in names of animals and plants that are smaller than related

**little** kinds e g little grebe.

*I m tired of your petty little schemes.* 

**low-cost** That you have the financial means for.

**low-cut** Having a low cut back.

**low-down** Of the most contemptible kind.

**low-grade** Of inferior quality.

**low-lying** Lying below the normal level.

**low-pitched** Used of sounds and voices; low in pitch or frequency.

low-priced That you have the financial means for.low-spirited Filled with melancholy and despondency.

**low-toned** Very low in volume.

lowly

Inferior in rank or status.

Of humble or lowly birth.

meagre (of something provided or available) lacking in quantity or quality.

A **meagre** diet of bread and beans.

mean Characterized by malice.

Something essentially vulgar and **mean**spirited in politics.

measly Contemptibly small in amount.

Three **measly** votes.

melancholy

Having a feeling of melancholy sad and pensive.

Growing more **melancholy** every hour.

miserable Pitiably small or inadequate.

Horribly wet and **miserable** conditions.

moderate Marked by avoidance of extravagance or extremes.

Moderate success.

modest (of clothing) not revealing or emphasizing a person's body.

Drink **modest** amounts of alcohol.

Showing a brooding ill humor- Bruce Bli.

His **moody** adolescent brother.

morose Showing a brooding ill humor.

A **morose** and unsociable manner.

mournful Expressing sorrow.

Stared with mournful eyes.



(of a sound) not loud because of being obstructed in some way;

**muffled** muted.

The **muffled** noises of the street.

muted Not expressed strongly or openly.

**Muted** anger.

negative Having a negative charge.

A colorless **negative** personality.

**off colour** In an unpalatable state.

paltry Contemptibly small in amount.

A **paltry** wage.

Of or belonging to the commoners of ancient Rome.

Two dancers one royal and one **plebeian**.

**poor** Deficient or lacking in.

The country had a **poor** economy.

**Proletarian**Relating to the proletariat.

A proletarian ideology.

A protecurium taeology.

**quiet** Free from disturbance by heavy waves.

I was as **quiet** as I could be but he knew I was there.

reasonable Marked by sound judgment.

A restaurant serving excellent food at **reasonable** prices.

reprehensible Deserving censure or condemnation.

Adultery is as **reprehensible** for a husband as for a wife.

(of a room, musical instrument, or hollow body) tending to reinforce

**resonant** or prolong sounds, especially by synchronous vibration.

The sound is produced by striking **resonant** little metal bars.

Unmistakable; emphatic.

**resounding**The evening was a **resounding** success.

Making interesting or significant information known, especially of a

**revealing** personal nature.

A **revealing** radio interview.

ribald Humorously vulgar.

**Ribald** language.

rich Marked by richness and fullness of flavor.

Not all footballers enjoy **rich** rewards from the game.

**rock-bottom** Well below normal (especially in price.

Not perfected.

They had to carry the victim across the **rough** stony ground.



rude

Belonging to an early stage of technical development characterized

by simplicity and often crudeness.

The war came as a very **rude** awakening.

Making or constituting a deep resonant sound. rumbling

The **rumbling** rolling sound of thunder.

Of things that make you feel sad Christina Rossetti.

The show is tongue in cheek anyone who takes it seriously is a bit sad

sad.

Less than the correct or legal or full amount often deliberately so. scant

Companies with **scant** regard for the safety of future generations.

Lacking in amplitude or quantity.

scanty A **scanty** harvest.

(especially of food, money, or some other resource) insufficient for

the demand. scarce

As raw materials became **scarce** synthetics were developed.

Covered with scum.

scummy A **scummy** rabble.

Of the most contemptible kind. scurvy

A **scurvy** trick.

sea-level Lying below the normal level. second-rate Moderate to inferior in quality.

Dressed in old or worn clothes. **shabby** 

A **shabby** fellow in slippers and an undershirt.

(used of conduct or character) deserving or bringing disgrace or

shameful shame.

short

A **shameful** display of cowardice.

Marked by rude or peremptory shortness.

A **short** memory.

Containing little excess. skimpy

A **skimpy** dress.

Have fine or very small constituent particles. small

A **small** car.

Used chiefly as a direction or description in music soft in a quiet

soft subdued tone.

**Soft** data.

Capable of producing a deep or ringing sound. sonorous

He read aloud with a **sonorous** and musical voice.



sordid Dirty or squalid.

The **sordid** details of his orgies stank under his very nostrils.

Experiencing or marked by or expressing sorrow especially that

**sorrowful** associated with irreparable loss- Proverbs 14:13.

She looked at him with **sorrowful** eyes.

Not dense.

Areas of **sparse** population.

stifled Held in check with difficulty.

A **stifled** yawn.

**subdued** (of colour or lighting) soft and restrained.

**Subdued** lights and soft music.

**substandard**Below the usual or required standard.

Substandard spellings.

Tending to suggest something improper or indecent.

Artifacts **suggestive** of an ancient society.

trifling Unimportant or trivial.

A **trifling** matter.

unacceptable Not conforming to standard usage.

A word **unacceptable** in polite society.

(of a plan or piece of work) not involving anything new, exciting, or

**unambitious** demanding.

unhappy

The new design is **unambitious**.

uncharitable Lacking love and generosity.

All pious words and **uncharitable** deeds.

**unfavourable** Expressing or showing a lack of approval or support.

Single mothers are often the target of **unfavourable** press attention.

Generalized feeling of distress.

Many were **unhappy** about the scale of the cuts.

**unprincipled**Lacking principles or moral scruples- A.E.Stevenson.

Freedom from coarse unprincipled calumny.

unrefined Not refined; uncouth.

How can a refined girl be drawn to such an **unrefined** man.

**unsatisfactory**Not satisfactory; not good enough.

Our discussion was very **unsatisfactory**.

Having little merit.

Many pieces are **unworthy** and ungrammatical.



**whispered**Spoken in soft hushed tones without vibrations of the vocal cords.

A long **whispered** conversation.

woebegone Affected by or full of grief or woe.

A woebegone old shack.

wretched

Deserving or inciting pity- Galsworthy.

She disliked the wretched man intensely.

## Usage Examples of "Low" as an adjective

- He had a low opinion of himself.
- Food and ammunition were running low.
- A low murmur.
- A low-down sneak.
- Cook over low heat.
- Brought low.
- Low back pain.
- *A low stunt to pull.*



- The sun is low.
- The school is a long, low building.
- Low clouds.
- His low, husky voice.
- Low hills.
- Low-fat spreads.
- The sun was low in the sky.
- I was feeling low.
- A low table.
- The warming effect will be greatest at low latitudes.
- Low ceilings.
- A low bow.
- Bringing up children on a low income.
- The dual traditions of high and low art.
- Borrowing fell to a low level.
- A low-cut black dress.
- · Low comedy.
- A lowly parish priest.
- The standard of living is low.
- Vegetables are low in calories.
- Training will be given low priority.
- Keep the volume very low.
- He smashed a pane low down in the window.
- Low furniture.
- They were low on fuel.
- Practise a little low cunning.
- The low neckline of her blouse.
- The low-toned murmur of the surf.
- The reservoir is low.
- · Low prices.
- Supplies are low.
- The river was low.
- Jobs with low status.





# Associations of "Low" (30 Words)

**alto** A singer whose voice lies in the alto clef.

**Alto** flute.

**baritone** A part written for a baritone voice.

A **baritone** voice.

A kick that sends the ball over a behind line or a touch that sends it between

**behind** the inner posts scoring one point.

Ben led the way with Joe a short distance **behind**.

**below** On a floor below.

See **below**.

ln or to a place that is lower.

Upper layers can be removed to reveal internal parts beneath.

**contralto** A woman singer having a contralto voice.

She sang in a high **contralto**.



**decrease**The amount by which something decreases.

The rate of **decrease** became greater.

**depressed** Filled with melancholy and despondency.

**Depressed** inner city areas.

descant Sing in descant.

His **descant** of deprivation.

**descend** (of a feeling) develop suddenly and affect a place or person.

His lands **descend**ed to his eldest son.

**descending** Moving or sloping downwards.

The categories are listed in **descending** order of usefulness.

descent A downward slope or bend.

The plane had gone into a steep **descent**.

Denoting a flavour variety of stable quark having relatively low mass and an

electric charge of 1 3 In the Standard Model protons and neutrons are

down composed of up and down quarks.

**Down**cast after his defeat.

downcast (of a person) feeling despondent.

**Downcast** after his defeat.

**downdraft** A strong downward air current.

**downswing** A worsening of business or economic activity.

Your body must not sway to the left during the **downswing**.

**downward** On or toward a surface regarded as a base.

The **downward** course of the stream.

**droop**An act or instance of drooping a limp or weary attitude.

James hid his face in his hands and **droop**ed his head.

**drop**An act of dropping supplies or troops by parachute.

She **drop**ped into army jargon.

Moving from a higher to a lower level, typically rapidly and without control.

**Falling** standards.

Classing or feeling depression or despondency.

**Gloomy** at the thought of what he had to face.

improbably Not easy to believe.

Everyone in the film is **improbably** gorgeous.

incredibly To a great degree; extremely.

**Incredibly** she survived the crash.



The delay before a transfer of data begins following an instruction for its

latency transfer.

Poor performance due to network **latency**.

Lower. nether

Gnawed his **nether** lip.

unbelievably To a great degree; extremely.

I feel **unbelievably** tired.

Under water. under

See **under** for further discussion.

On the lower or downward side; on the underside of. underneath

He was wearing a brown jacket with a white T shirt **underneath**.

In a vertical direction. vertically

**Vertically** stacked books.

Any of a number of fungal or bacterial diseases of plants characterized by

wilt wilting of the foliage.

My opponent was wilting.

