

Need another word that means the same as “needed”? Find 3 synonyms and 30 related words for “needed” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Needed” are: needful, required, requisite**

## **Needed as an Adjective**

### **Definitions of "Needed" as an adjective**

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

- *Necessary for relief or supply.*



## Synonyms of "Needed" as an adjective (3 Words)

- needful**    *Needy.*  
*She gave her money away to **needful** people.*
- required**    *Required by rule.*  
*The corset the garment that ensured the **required** female shape.*
- requisite**    *Necessary for relief or supply.*  
*The application will not be processed until the **requisite** fee is paid.*





## Associations of "Needed" (30 Words)

<b>covet</b>	Wish, long, or crave for (something, especially the property of another person. <i>I <b>covet</b> one of their smart bags.</i>
<b>crave</b>	Ask for. <i>If only she had shown her daughter the love she <b>craved</b>.</i>
<b>dearth</b>	An acute insufficiency. <i>There is a <b>dearth</b> of evidence.</i>
<b>demand</b>	The act of demanding. <i>A <b>demand</b> for specialists.</i>
<b>essential</b>	A thing that is absolutely necessary. <i>He was quick to grasp the <b>essentials</b> of an opponent's argument.</i>

<b>famine</b>	A shortage. <i>The <b>famine</b> of 1921 2.</i>
<b>indigence</b>	A state of extreme poverty or destitution. <i>Their <b>indigence</b> appalled him.</i>
<b>indispensability</b>	The quality possessed by something that you cannot possibly do without.
<b>indispensable</b>	Unavoidable. <i>An <b>indispensable</b> worker.</i>
<b>insufficiency</b>	The condition of being insufficient. <i><b>Insufficiency</b> of adequate housing.</i>
<b>integral</b>	The result of a mathematical integration $F x$ is the integral of $f x$ if $dF dx$ $f x$ . <i>The first <b>integral</b> recording of the ten Mahler symphonies.</i>
<b>lack</b>	Be without or deficient in. <i>Sam did not <b>lack</b> for friends.</i>
<b>must</b>	Something that should not be overlooked or missed. <i>You <b>must</b> be tired.</i>
<b>necessary</b>	The basic requirements of life, such as food and warmth. <i>See when they need a tactful word of advice and do the <b>necessary</b>.</i>
<b>necessitate</b>	Cause to be a concomitant. <i>A cut which <b>necessitated</b> eighteen stitches.</i>
<b>necessity</b>	Anything indispensable. <i>Political <b>necessity</b> induced him to consider it.</i>
<b>needs</b>	In such a manner as could not be otherwise. <i>We must <b>needs</b> by objective.</i>
<b>oblige</b>	Commit in order to fulfill an obligation. <i>The lynx is an <b>oblige</b> carnivore.</i>
<b>oblige</b>	Bind (someone) by an oath, promise, or contract. <i><b>Oblige</b> me by not being sorry for yourself.</i>
<b>perforce</b>	By necessity; by force of circumstance. <i>Amateurs <b>perforce</b> have to settle for less expensive solutions.</i>
<b>prerequisite</b>	Something that is required in advance. <i>Sponsorship is not a <b>prerequisite</b> for any of our courses.</i>
<b>request</b>	A tune or song played on a radio programme typically accompanied by a personal message in response to a listener's request. <i>The letter <b>requested</b> him to report to London.</i>
<b>require</b>	Require as useful just or proper. <i>You will be <b>required</b> to attend for cross examination.</i>

<b>required</b>	Required by rule. <i><b>Required</b> reading.</i>
<b>requisite</b>	A thing that is necessary for the achievement of a specified end. <i>She believed privacy to be a <b>requisite</b> for a peaceful life.</i>
<b>scarcity</b>	A small and inadequate amount. <i>A time of <b>scarcity</b>.</i>
<b><u>shortage</u></b>	A state or situation in which something needed cannot be obtained in sufficient amounts. <i>A <b>shortage</b> of hard cash.</i>
<b>shortfall</b>	The property of being an amount by which something is less than expected or required. <i>They are facing an expected 10 billion <b>shortfall</b> in revenue.</i>
<b><u>vital</u></b>	The body's important internal organs. <i>The loss of <b>vital</b> heat in shock.</i>
<b>want</b>	Feel or have a desire for want strongly. <i>You don't <b>want</b> to believe everything you hear.</i>



