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**The synonyms of “Ought” are: should, meant**

## Ought as a Verb

### Definitions of "Ought" as a verb

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

- *Used to give or ask for advice.*
- *Used to indicate something that is probable.*
- *Used to indicate duty or correctness, typically when criticizing someone's actions.*
- *Used to indicate a desirable or expected state.*

### Synonyms of "Ought" as a verb (2 Words)

**meant** Have as a logical consequence.

**should** Used to give advice.  
*348 m **should** be enough to buy him out.*

### Usage Examples of "Ought" as a verb

- *What ought I to do?*
- *They ought to respect the law.*
- *You ought to go.*
- *He ought to be able to take the initiative.*
- *Five minutes ought to be enough time.*
- *Thanks for your letter which I ought to have answered sooner.*