

Need another word that means the same as “qualified”? Find 19 synonyms and 30 related words for “qualified” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Qualified” are: certified, dependant, dependent, restricted, certificated, chartered, licensed, professional, limited, conditional, bounded, contingent, circumscribed, reserved, guarded, cautious, hesitant, tentative, equivocal**

## Qualified as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Qualified" as an adjective

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

- *Holding appropriate documentation and officially on record as qualified to perform a specified function or practice a specified skill.*
- *Limited or restricted; not absolute.*
- *Contingent on something else.*
- *Competent or knowledgeable to do something; capable.*
- *Not complete or absolute; limited.*
- *Restricted in meaning; (as e.g. `man' in `a tall man.*
- *Meeting the proper standards and requirements and training for an office or position or task.*
- *Officially recognized as being trained to perform a particular job; certified.*



## Synonyms of "Qualified" as an adjective (19 Words)

<b>bounded</b>	Held with another element, substance or material in chemical or physical union.
<b>cautious</b>	Avoiding excess. <i>A <b>cautious</b> driver.</i>
<b>certificated</b>	Furnished with or authorized by a certificate. <i><b>Certificated</b> teachers.</i>
<b>certified</b>	Fit to be certified as insane and treated accordingly. <i>A <b>certified</b> public accountant.</i>
<b>chartered</b>	(of an accountant, engineer, librarian, etc.) qualified as a member of a professional body that has a royal charter. <i>The <b>chartered</b> buses arrived on time.</i>
<b>circumscribed</b>	Subject to limits or subjected to limits.
<b>conditional</b>	Qualified by reservations. <i>Lent <b>conditional</b> support.</i>
<b>contingent</b>	(of losses, liabilities, etc.) that can be anticipated to arise if a particular event occurs. <i>His fees were <b>contingent</b> on the success of his search.</i>
<b>dependant</b>	Held from above.
<b>dependent</b>	Requiring someone or something for financial or other support. <i><b>Dependent</b> on moisture.</i>

<b>equivocal</b>	Open to question. <i>The polling had a complex and <b>equivocal</b> or ambiguous message for potential female candidates.</i>
<b>guarded</b>	Cautious and having possible reservations. <i><b>Guarded</b> optimism.</i>
<b>hesitant</b>	Lacking decisiveness of character; unable to act or decide quickly or firmly. <i>Clients are <b>hesitant</b> about buying.</i>
<b>licensed</b>	(of premises) having a licence for the sale of alcohol. <i><b>Licensed</b> pharmacist.</i>
<b>limited</b>	Denoting a limited company used after a company name. <i>A <b>limited</b> list of choices.</i>
<b>professional</b>	Worthy of or appropriate to a professional person competent skilful or assured. <i>A <b>professional</b> boxer.</i>
<b>reserved</b>	Slow to reveal emotion or opinions. <i>Was habitually <b>reserved</b> in speech withholding her opinion.</i>
<b>restricted</b>	Restricted in meaning as e.g. man in a tall man. <i>The mechanism of <b>restricted</b> virus replication.</i>
<b>tentative</b>	Under terms not final or fully worked out or agreed upon. <i>He eventually tried a few <b>tentative</b> steps round his hospital room.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Qualified" as an adjective

- *Gave only qualified approval.*
- *I was less well qualified than almost anyone present to recollect the olden days.*
- *Many qualified applicants for the job.*
- *I could only judge this CD a qualified success.*
- *Newly qualified nurses.*



## Associations of "Qualified" (30 Words)

<b>acceptable</b>	Able to be tolerated or allowed. <i>An <b>acceptable</b> substitute for champagne.</i>
<b>airmail</b>	Send or transport by airmail. <i>An <b>airmail</b> letter.</i>
<b>allowable</b>	That may be permitted especially as according to rule. <i>The loan deal has been extended to the maximum <b>allowable</b> three months.</i>
<b>ambitious</b>	Having a strong desire for success or achievement. <i>A ruthlessly <b>ambitious</b> workaholic.</i>
<b>authorized</b>	Sanctioned by established authority. <i>An <b>authorized</b> dealer.</i>
<u><b>career</b></u>	The time spent by a person in a career. <i>The cars <b>careered</b> down the road.</i>
<b>certified</b>	Fit to be certified as insane and treated accordingly. <i>A <b>certified</b> public accountant.</i>
<b>chartered</b>	(of a city, company, university, or other body) founded or having its rights and privileges established by means of a charter. <i>Eighty journalists were flown in by <b>chartered</b> plane.</i>
<u><b>documented</b></u>	Furnished with or supported by documents. <i>The first <b>documented</b> case of shark attack in those waters.</i>
<u><b>driven</b></u>	Urged or forced to action through moral pressure. <i>Wind <b>driven</b> sand.</i>
<b>duly</b>	In accordance with what is appropriate or suitable for the circumstances. <i>I met the junior senator from Illinois and I was <b>duly</b> impressed.</i>
<b>eligible</b>	Having the right to do or obtain something; satisfying the appropriate conditions. <i><b>Eligible</b> to run for office.</i>
<b>employed</b>	(of a person) having a paid job. <i>Most of our graduates are <b>employed</b>.</i>
<u><b>engaged</b></u>	Having ones attention or mind or energy engaged. <i>She was <b>engaged</b> to a lecturer.</i>
<b>examiner</b>	Someone who administers a test to determine your qualifications. <i>The <b>examiner</b> searched for clues.</i>

<b>hired</b>	Hired for the exclusive temporary use of a group of travelers. <i>A <b>hired</b> assassin.</i>
<b>indefeasible</b>	Not subject to being lost, annulled, or overturned. <i>An <b>indefeasible</b> right to freedom.</i>
<b>license</b>	Authorize the use, performance, or release of (something). <i>He was <b>licensed</b> to do no more than send a message.</i>
<b>medically</b>	In a way that relates to the science or practice of medicine. <i><b>Medically</b> trained staff.</i>
<b>modified</b>	Changed in form or character. <i>The performance of the <b>modified</b> aircraft was much improved.</i>
<b>motivated</b>	Provided with a motive or given incentive for action. <i>A highly <b>motivated</b> child can learn almost anything.</i>
<b>nurse</b>	Serve as a nurse care for sick or handicapped people. <i>You cannot <b>nurse</b> your baby in public in some places.</i>
<b>permissible</b>	That may be permitted especially as according to rule. <i>It is <b>permissible</b> to edit and rephrase the statement.</i>
<b>practitioner</b>	A person actively engaged in an art, discipline, or profession, especially medicine. <i>Patients are treated by skilled <b>practitioners</b>.</i>
<b>professionally</b>	As a person's paid occupation rather than on an amateur basis. <i>She has sung <b>professionally</b> with opera companies around the world.</i>
<b>registered</b>	Of a letter or parcel sent by registered post. <i><b>Registered</b> bonds.</i>
<b>reliable</b>	A reliable person or thing. <i>The supporting cast includes old <b>reliables</b> like Mitchell.</i>
<b>trained</b>	(of a mental or physical faculty) having been developed and improved through instruction or practice. <i>The riding school was founded in the 16th century to provide <b>trained</b> horses for the Imperial Army.</i>
<b>unexceptionable</b>	Not open to objection, but not particularly new or exciting. <i>A judge's ethics should be <b>unexceptionable</b>.</i>
<b>unobjectionable</b>	(of behavior or especially language) free from objectionable elements; fit for all observers. <i>The ends are <b>unobjectionable</b> it s the means that one can t accept.</i>

