

Need another word that means the same as “scholar”? Find 21 synonyms and 30 related words for “scholar” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Scholar” are: assimilator, learner, bookman, student, academic, intellectual, professor, man of letters, woman of letters, mind, intellect, savant, polymath, highbrow, bluestocking, thinker, sage, pupil, schoolchild, schoolboy, schoolgirl**

## Scholar as a Noun

### Definitions of "Scholar" as a noun

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

- *Someone (especially a child) who learns (as from a teacher) or takes up knowledge or beliefs.*
- *A student or pupil.*
- *A learned person (especially in the humanities); someone who by long study has gained mastery in one or more disciplines.*
- *A university student holding a scholarship.*
- *A student who holds a scholarship.*
- *A person who is highly educated or has an aptitude for study.*
- *A specialist in a particular branch of study, especially the humanities.*



## Synonyms of "Scholar" as a noun (21 Words)

<b>academic</b>	An educator who works at a college or university. <i>The EU offers grants to <b>academics</b> for research on approved projects.</i>
<b>assimilator</b>	Someone (especially a child) who learns (as from a teacher) or takes up knowledge or beliefs. <i>Even for dedicated <b>assimilators</b> like my parents a Christmas tree would have been a bridge too far.</i>
<b>bluestocking</b>	A woman having literary or intellectual interests. <i><b>Bluestocking</b> women.</i>
<b>bookman</b>	A literary man.
<b>highbrow</b>	A highbrow person. <i>She considered all those without television as <b>highbrows</b> intellectual snobs or paupers.</i>
<a href="#"><u>intellect</u></a>	Knowledge and intellectual ability. <i>He has a keen <b>intellect</b>.</i>
<a href="#"><u>intellectual</u></a>	A person possessing a highly developed intellect. <i>A prominent political thinker and <b>intellectual</b>.</i>
<a href="#"><u>learner</u></a>	A person who is learning a subject or skill. <i>A fast <b>learner</b>.</i>
<b>man of letters</b>	An adult person who is male (as opposed to a woman).
<b>mind</b>	Knowledge and intellectual ability. <i>Anyone can slim if they set their <b>mind</b> to it.</i>
<b>polymath</b>	A person of great and varied learning. <i>A Renaissance <b>polymath</b>.</i>
<a href="#"><u>professor</u></a>	An associate professor or an assistant professor. <i>The <b>professors</b> of true religion.</i>
<b>pupil</b>	A learner who is enrolled in an educational institution. <i>Will you take me on as your <b>pupil</b>.</i>
<b>sage</b>	Used in names of aromatic plants of the mint family that resemble sage e.g. wood sage.
<a href="#"><u>savant</u></a>	A learned person, especially a distinguished scientist.
<b>schoolboy</b>	Characteristic of or associated with schoolboys. <i><b>Schoolboy</b> cricketers.</i>
<b>schoolchild</b>	A young person attending school (up through senior high school).
<b>schoolgirl</b>	Characteristic of or associated with schoolgirls. <i><b>Schoolgirl</b> French.</i>



<b>student</b>	A learner who is enrolled in an educational institution. <i>A maths <b>student</b>.</i>
<b>thinker</b>	An important intellectual. <i>A leading scientific <b>thinker</b>.</i>
<b>woman of letters</b>	A human female employed to do housework.



### Usage Examples of "Scholar" as a noun

- *A Hebrew scholar.*
- *Mr Bell declares himself no scholar.*
- *A phrase borrowed from the Indian scholar Ananda Coomaraswamy.*
- *A Rhodes scholar.*



## Associations of "Scholar" (30 Words)

<b>academician</b>	Someone elected to honorary membership in an academy.
<b>admired</b>	Regarded with admiration.
<b>analytic</b>	True by virtue of the meaning of the words or concepts used to express it, so that its denial would be a self-contradiction. <i>An <b>analytic</b> approach.</i>
<b>annalist</b>	A historian who writes annals.
<b>archaeology</b>	The branch of anthropology that studies prehistoric people and their cultures.
<b>dialectician</b>	A logician skilled in dialectic.
<u><b>disciple</b></u>	A follower or pupil of a teacher, leader, or philosopher. <i>A <b>disciple</b> of Rousseau.</i>
<b>economist</b>	An expert in the science of economics.
<b>geometer</b>	A geometrid moth or its caterpillar.
<u><b>historian</b></u>	A person who is an authority on history and who studies it and writes about it. <i>A military <b>historian</b>.</i>
<b>logician</b>	An expert in or student of logic. <i>A leading mathematical <b>logician</b>.</i>
<b>mathematician</b>	An expert in or student of mathematics. <i>One of the world's foremost theoretical <b>mathematicians</b>.</i>
<b>metallurgical</b>	Of or relating to metallurgy. <i><b>Metallurgical</b> engineer.</i>
<u><b>philosopher</b></u>	A specialist in philosophy.
<b>philosophy</b>	Any personal belief about how to live or how to deal with a situation. <i>My father's <b>philosophy</b> of child rearing was to let mother do it.</i>
<b>physicist</b>	An expert in or student of physics.
<u><b>professor</b></u>	An associate professor or an assistant professor. <i>A <b>professor</b> of Art History.</i>
<b>researcher</b>	A person whose job involves discovering or verifying information for use in a book, programme, etc. <i>Radio and TV <b>researchers</b>.</i>
<u><b>scientist</b></u>	A person with advanced knowledge of one or more sciences. <i>A research <b>scientist</b>.</i>
<b>sinologist</b>	A student of Chinese history and language and culture.

<b>sociologist</b>	A social scientist who studies the institutions and development of human society. <i>Historians and <b>sociologists</b> are still split on the matter.</i>
<b>sophism</b>	A clever but false argument, especially one used deliberately to deceive.
<b>sophist</b>	Any of a group of Greek philosophers and teachers in the 5th century BC who speculated on a wide range of subjects.
<b>sophistry</b>	A deliberately invalid argument displaying ingenuity in reasoning in the hope of deceiving someone. <i>Trying to argue that I had benefited in any way from the disaster was pure <b>sophistry</b>.</i>
<b>specialist</b>	A person highly trained in a particular branch of medicine. <i>He is a <b>specialist</b> in psychometric testing.</i>
<b>statistician</b>	A mathematician who specializes in statistics.
<b>study</b>	A room used for reading and writing and studying. <i>He is a quick <b>study</b>.</i>
<b>syllogistic</b>	Of or relating to or consisting of syllogism.
<b>taxonomist</b>	A biologist who specializes in the classification of organisms into groups on the basis of their structure and origin and behavior.
<b>taxonomy</b>	Practice of classifying plants and animals according to their presumed natural relationships. <i>The <b>taxonomy</b> of these fossils.</i>



