

Need another word that means the same as “scowl”? Find 12 synonyms and 30 related words for “scowl” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Scowl” are: frown, glower, glare, grimace, black look, lour, look daggers at, look angrily at, give someone a black look**

## Scowl as a Noun

### Definitions of "Scowl" as a noun

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

- *A facial expression of dislike or displeasure.*
- *An angry or bad-tempered expression.*



## Synonyms of "Scowl" as a noun (5 Words)

**black look** The quality or state of the achromatic color of least lightness (bearing the least resemblance to white).

**frown** A facial expression indicating disapproval, displeasure, or concentration, characterized by a frowning of one's brows.  
*A **frown** of disapproval.*

**glare** Strong and dazzling light.  
*He carried on his life in the full **glare** of publicity.*

**glower** An angry stare.  
*The angry **glower** on the face of the policeman.*

**grimace** An ugly, twisted expression on a person's face, typically expressing disgust, pain, or wry amusement.  
*She gave a **grimace** of pain.*



## Usage Examples of "Scowl" as a noun

- *She stamped into the room with a scowl on her face.*



## Scowl as a Verb

### Definitions of "Scowl" as a verb

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

- *Frown with displeasure.*
- *Frown in an angry or bad-tempered way.*





## Synonyms of "Scowl" as a verb (7 Words)

### frown

Furrow one's brows in an expression indicating disapproval, displeasure, or concentration.

*He **frowned** as he reread the letter.*

### **give someone a black look**

Guide or direct, as by behavior of persuasion.

### glare

Express (a feeling) by staring fiercely.

*She **glared** at him her cheeks flushing.*

### **glower**

Have an angry or sullen look on one's face; scowl.

*She **glowered** at him suspiciously.*

### **look angrily at**

Look forward to the probable occurrence of.

### **look daggers at**

Have a certain outward or facial expression.

**lour**

Look angry or sullen, wrinkle one's forehead, as if to signal disapproval.



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

- *She scowled at him defiantly.*





## Associations of "Scowl" (30 Words)

- angry** Feeling or showing strong annoyance, displeasure, or hostility; full of anger.  
*Sending **angry** letters to the papers.*
- depress** Make (someone) feel utterly dispirited or dejected.  
*Fear of inflation in America **depressed** bond markets.*
- discourage** Deprive of courage or hope take away hope from cause to feel discouraged.  
*Tedious regulations could **discourage** investors.*
- enraged** Marked by extreme anger.  
*The **enraged** bull attacked.*
- face** An expression shown on the face.  
*Dew dripped from the **face** of the leaf.*
- frown** A facial expression of dislike or displeasure.  
*Promiscuity was **frowned** upon.*
- frustrated** Prevented from progressing, succeeding, or being fulfilled.  
*A **frustrated** actor.*
- furious** As if showing violent anger.  
*A **furious** scowl.*

<b>furiously</b>	In an impassioned or very angry manner. <i>He <b>furiously</b> denies the claims.</i>
<b>fury</b>	The property of being wild or turbulent. <i>Rachel shouted beside herself with <b>fury</b>.</i>
<b>glare</b>	Strong and dazzling light. <i>The sun <b>glared</b> out of a clear blue sky.</i>
<b>glower</b>	Look at with a fixed gaze. <i>She <b>glowered</b> at him suspiciously.</i>
<b>huff</b>	Blow out air loudly on account of exertion. <i>He <b>huffed</b> and puffed as he made his way up the mountain.</i>
<b>indignant</b>	Feeling or showing anger or annoyance at what is perceived as unfair treatment. <i>He was <b>indignant</b> at being the object of suspicion.</i>
<b>infuriated</b>	Marked by extreme anger. <i><b>Infuriated</b> onlookers charged the police who were beating the boy.</i>
<b>irascible</b>	Quickly aroused to anger. <i>An <b>irascible</b> response.</i>
<b>irate</b>	Feeling or showing extreme anger. <i><b>Irate</b> protesters.</i>
<b>limelight</b>	A focus of public attention. <i>The shock win has thrust him into the <b>limelight</b>.</i>
<b>miff</b>	A state of irritation or annoyance. <i>His behavior really <b>miffed</b> me.</i>
<b>nod</b>	Sway gently back and forth as in a nodding motion. <i>He <b>noded</b> his approval.</i>
<b>outraged</b>	Angered at something unjust or wrong. <i>A look of <b>outraged</b> disbelief.</i>
<b>rancor</b>	A feeling of deep and bitter anger and ill-will.
<b>resentful</b>	Full of or marked by resentment or indignant ill will. <i><b>Resentful</b> at the way he was treated.</i>
<b>revengeful</b>	Eager for revenge. <i>The average Briton is not naturally vindictive and <b>revengeful</b>.</i>
<b>sad</b>	Of things that make you feel sad. <i>Feeling <b>sad</b> because his dog had died.</i>
<b>shoulder</b>	Push with the shoulders. <i>We <b>shouldered</b> our crippling backpacks and set off slowly up the hill.</i>



**shrug** An act or instance of shrugging one's shoulders.  
*Jimmy looked enquiringly at Pete who **shrugged** his shoulders.*

**snarl** Make a snarling noise or move with a snarling noise.  
*I used to **snarl** at anyone I disliked.*

**sulk** A period of sulking.  
*She was in a fit of the **sulks**.*

**wrath** Intense anger (usually on an epic scale).  
*He hid his pipe for fear of incurring his father's **wrath**.*

