

Need another word that means the same as "stare"? Find 10 synonyms and 30 related words for "stare" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Stare" are: gaze, gape, goggle, gawk, glare, ogle, leer, peer, look fixedly, look vacantly

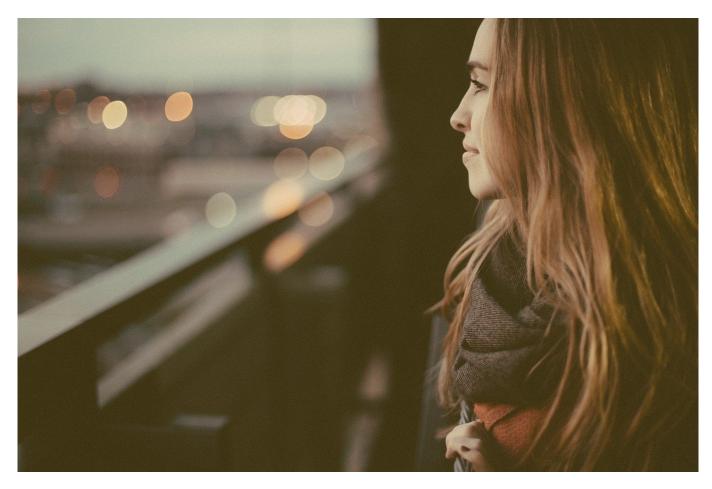
Stare as a Verb

Definitions of "Stare" as a verb

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "stare" as a verb can have the following definitions:

- Look at with fixed eyes.
- Look fixedly or vacantly at someone or something with one's eyes wide open.
- Be unpleasantly prominent or striking.
- (of a person's eyes) be wide open, with a fixed or vacant expression.
- Fixate one's eyes.





Synonyms of "Stare" as a verb (10 Words)

gape	Look with amazement; look stupidly. <i>He gaped at Sharp in silence.</i>
<u>gawk</u>	Stare openly and stupidly. They were gawk ing at some pin up.
<u>gaze</u>	Look steadily and intently, especially in admiration, surprise, or thought. <i>He could only</i> gaze <i>at her in astonishment.</i>
<u>glare</u>	Express (a feeling) by staring fiercely. The girl glare d at the man who tried to make a pass at her.
goggle	Look with amazement; look stupidly. I goggle d at them in total disbelief.
leer	Look or gaze in a lascivious or unpleasant way. The men leer ed at the young women on the beach.
look fixedly	Take charge of or deal with.



look vacantly Have faith or confidence in.

- Stare at in a lecherous manner.
- ogle He was ogling her breasts.
 - Look with difficulty or concentration at someone or something.
- **peer** The towers **peer** over the roofs.



Usage Examples of "Stare" as a verb

- The students stared at the teacher with amazement.
- *He looked away, pretending to stare out of the window.*
- Robin sat staring into space, her mind numb.
- She tried hard not to stare.
- He stared at her in amazement.
- *Her grey eyes stared back at him.*
- The obituaries stared out at us.





Associations of "Stare" (30 Words)

<u>askance</u>	With a side or oblique glance. Her eyes with their misted askance look.
<u>dazzle</u>	Amaze or overwhelm (someone) with a particular impressive quality. I was dazzle d by the beauty and breadth of the exhibition.
eye	A thing resembling an eye in appearance shape or relative position. <i>He has an artist s eye</i> .
gape	A disease of birds with gaping of the mouth as a symptom caused by infestation with gapeworm. Juvenile birds with yellow gapes .
<u>gawk</u>	Look with amazement; look stupidly. They were gawk ing at some pin up.



<u>gaze</u>	A steady intent look. He could only gaze at her in astonishment.
glance	Throw a glance at take a brief look at. Simpson glance d Statham s fourth ball.
<u>glare</u>	Dazzling or showy appearance. The moon glare d back at itself from the lake s surface.
<u>glimpse</u>	Catch a glimpse of or see briefly. During the interview he offered a behind the scenes glimpse of television.
goggle	Look with amazement; look stupidly. I goggle d at them in total disbelief.
<u>intently</u>	With strained or eager attention. <i>He gazed at her intently</i> .
leer	A facial expression of contempt or scorn; the upper lip curls. The men leer ed at the young women on the beach.
look	Of a building or room have an outlook in a specified direction. <i>You don t look your age.</i>
observant	A member of a branch of the Franciscan order that followed a strict rule. An observant Jew.
observing	Quick to notice; showing quick and keen perception.
onlooker	Someone who looks on. A crowd of fascinated onlooker s.
<u>peek</u>	Look quickly or furtively. His socks were so full of holes his toes peek ed through.
peep	The short weak cry of a young bird. Black curls and a peep of gold earring.
<u>rummage</u>	Find (something) by rummaging. Open up the box and have a rummage around.
searching	Exploring thoroughly. <i>Searching</i> insights.
show	Show in or as in a picture. It was Frank s turn to show his frustration.
sidelong	Inclining or directed to one side. Moved downward in a sidelong way.
sideways	Directed or moving to, towards, or from the side. The car slipped sideways into the ditch.
<u>smug</u>	Marked by excessive complacency or self-satisfaction. <i>He was feeling smug after his win.</i>



squint	The act of squinting looking with the eyes partly closed. The driver squint ed as the sun hit his windshield.
<u>staring</u>	Without qualification; used informally as (often pejorative) intensifiers. <i>Staring</i> eyes.
vigilant	Carefully observant or attentive; on the lookout for possible danger. <i>The vigilant eye of the town watch.</i>
<u>watch</u>	A watchman or group of watchmen who patrolled and guarded the streets of a town before the introduction of the police force. <i>The world is watching Sarajevo.</i>
watchful	Experiencing or accompanied by sleeplessness. Twenty watchful weary tedious nights.
yawn	Utter a yawn as from lack of oxygen or when one is tired. The yawn ing in the audience told him it was time to stop.

