

Need another word that means the same as “tidy”? Find 60 synonyms and 30 related words for “tidy” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Tidy” are: kempt, goodish, goodly, healthy, hefty, respectable, sizable, sizeable, neat, neat and tidy, orderly, well ordered, in order, in good order, well kept, shipshape, shipshape and bristol fashion, in apple-pie order, immaculate, uncluttered, organized, well organized, well arranged, straight, trim, spruce, smart, dapper, well groomed, well turned out, large, considerable, substantial, significant, appreciable, handsome, generous, ample, largish, biggish, fair, decent, clean up, neaten, square away, straighten, straighten out, tidy up, put in order, clear up, sort out, put to rights, make shipshape, clean, spruce up, groom oneself, spruce oneself up, freshen oneself up, preen oneself, beautify oneself**

## Tidy as a Verb

### Definitions of "Tidy" as a verb

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

- *Put (things or places) in order.*
- *Bring order to (something); arrange neatly.*



## Synonyms of "Tidy" as a verb (18 Words)

<b>beautify oneself</b>	Be beautiful to look at.
<b>clean</b>	Make clean remove dirt marks or stains from. <i><b>Clean</b> your teeth properly after meals.</i>
<b>clean up</b>	Make clean by removing dirt, filth, or unwanted substances from.
<b>clear up</b>	Rid of instructions or data.
<b>freshen oneself up</b>	Become or make oneself fresh again.
<b>groom oneself</b>	Educate for a future role or function.
<b>make shipshape</b>	Engage in.
<b>neaten</b>	Put (things or places) in order. <i>She made an attempt to <b>neaten</b> her hair.</i>
<b>preen oneself</b>	Dress or groom with elaborate care.

<b>put in order</b>	Formulate in a particular style or language.
<b>put to rights</b>	Attribute or give.
<b>sort out</b>	Arrange or order by classes or categories.
<b>spruce oneself up</b>	Make neat, smart, or trim.
<b>spruce up</b>	Make neat, smart, or trim.
<b>square away</b>	Turn the paddle; in canoeing.
<b>straighten</b>	Straighten by unrolling. <i>The students <b>straightened</b> when the teacher entered.</i>
<b>straighten out</b>	Make straight.
<b>tidy up</b>	Put (things or places) in order.



## Usage Examples of "Tidy" as a verb

- *She cleaned and polished and tidied and shopped.*
- *She paused briefly to tidy her hair.*
- *The boys have finally tidied their bedroom.*



## Tidy as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Tidy" as an adjective

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

- *Marked by order and cleanliness in appearance or habits.*
- *Used as a general term of approval.*
- *Neat and controlled.*

- *Arranged neatly and in order.*
- *Neat and tidy.*
- *(of an amount, especially of money) considerable.*
- *(of hair) neat and tidy.*
- *Inclined to keep things or one's appearance neat and in order.*
- *Large in amount or extent or degree.*



## Synonyms of "Tidy" as an adjective (42 Words)

- ample** Large and accommodating.  
*There is **ample** time for discussion.*
- appreciable** Enough to be estimated or measured.  
***Appreciable** amounts of noxious wastes are dumped into the harbor.*
- biggish** Somewhat large.

<b>considerable</b>	Notably large in size, amount, or extent. <i>Snow was a limited but still <b>considerable</b> novelist.</i>
<b>dapper</b>	Marked by up-to-dateness in dress and manners. <i>A <b>dapper</b> young man.</i>
<b>decent</b>	Decently clothed. <i>A <b>decent</b> high necked dress.</i>
<b>fair</b>	Lacking exceptional quality or ability. <i>The <b>fairest</b> of her daughters.</i>
<b>generous</b>	Showing kindness towards others. <i>Unusually <b>generous</b> in his judgment of people.</i>
<b>goodish</b>	Fairly good. <i>A <b>goodish</b> portion.</i>
<b>goodly</b>	Attractive, excellent, or admirable. <i>A <b>goodly</b> amount.</i>
<b>handsome</b>	(of a woman) striking and imposing rather than conventionally pretty. <i>He was elected by a <b>handsome</b> majority.</i>
<b>healthy</b>	Large in amount or extent or degree. <i><b>Healthy</b> and normal outlets for youthful energy.</i>
<b>hefty</b>	Possessing physical strength and weight; rugged and powerful. <i>They could face <b>hefty</b> fines.</i>
<b>immaculate</b>	Uniformly coloured without spots or other marks. <i>An <b>immaculate</b> white suit.</i>
<b>in apple-pie order</b>	Directed or bound inward.
<b>in good order</b>	Directed or bound inward.
<b>in order</b>	Currently fashionable.
<b>kempt</b>	Neat and tidy. <i>She was looking as thoroughly <b>kempt</b> as ever.</i>
<b>large</b>	Fairly large or important in effect influential. <i>A <b>large</b> effect.</i>
<b>largish</b>	Fairly large. <i>Her <b>largish</b> fan base.</i>
<b>neat</b>	Clean or organized. <i>It was a <b>neat</b> plan but bound to fail.</i>
<b>neat and tidy</b>	Without water.
<b>orderly</b>	Clean or organized. <i>An <b>orderly</b> arrangement of objects.</i>

<b>organized</b>	Methodical and efficient in arrangement or function. <i>Without rules an <b>organized</b> society cannot hold together.</i>
<b><u>respectable</u></b>	Deserving of esteem and respect. <i>All <b>respectable</b> companies give guarantees.</i>
<b>shipshape</b>	In good order; trim and neat. <i>He checked that everything was <b>shipshape</b>.</i>
<b>shipshape and bristol fashion</b>	Of places; characterized by order and neatness; free from disorder.
<b>significant</b>	Too closely correlated to be attributed to chance and therefore indicating a systematic relation. <i>A <b>significant</b> increase in sales.</i>
<b><u>sizable</u></b>	Fairly large in size. <i>A <b>sizable</b> fortune.</i>
<b>sizeable</b>	Fairly large in size. <i>A <b>sizeable</b> apartment.</i>
<b>smart</b>	Showing impertinence by making clever or sarcastic remarks. <i>I gave him a <b>smart</b> salute.</i>
<b>spruce</b>	Marked by up-to-dateness in dress and manners.
<b><u>straight</u></b>	Simple straightforward. <i><b>Straight</b> reasoning.</i>
<b><u>substantial</u></b>	Of considerable importance, size, or worth. <i>Ate a <b>substantial</b> breakfast.</i>
<b>trim</b>	Severely simple in line or design. <i>A <b>trim</b> little villa.</i>
<b>uncluttered</b>	Having nothing extraneous. <i>The rooms were plain and <b>uncluttered</b>.</i>
<b>well arranged</b>	Resulting favorably.
<b>well groomed</b>	Wise or advantageous and hence advisable.
<b>well kept</b>	In good health especially after having suffered illness or injury.
<b>well ordered</b>	In good health especially after having suffered illness or injury.
<b>well organized</b>	Resulting favorably.
<b>well turned out</b>	Wise or advantageous and hence advisable.





## Usage Examples of "Tidy" as an adjective

- *His scrupulously tidy apartment.*
- *A tidy house.*
- *A tidy mind.*
- *The lives they lead don't fit into tidy patterns.*
- *A tidy sum of money.*
- *She was a tidy little girl.*
- *The book will bring in a tidy sum.*
- *He wrote down her replies in a small, tidy hand.*
- *City have the backbone of a tidy side.*
- *A tidy person.*



## Associations of "Tidy" (30 Words)

<b>ablution</b>	An act of washing oneself. <i>The women performed their <b>ablutions</b>.</i>
<b>arranged</b>	Deliberately arranged for effect. <i>The carefully <b>arranged</b> chessmen.</i>
<b>clean</b>	Be cleanable. <i>He took a <b>clean</b> catch.</i>
<b><u>cleanup</u></b>	(baseball) the fourth position in the batting order (usually filled by the best batter on the team).
<b><u>dainty</u></b>	Affectedly dainty or refined. <i>A <b>dainty</b> teacup.</i>
<b>dandy</b>	Relating to or characteristic of a dandy. <i>Things are all fine and <b>dandy</b>.</i>
<b>detergent</b>	Relating to detergents or their action. <i>Staining that resists <b>detergent</b> action.</i>
<b>disinfect</b>	Destroy microorganisms or pathogens by cleansing. <i>He <b>disinfected</b> and dressed the cut on his forehead.</i>

<b>disinfection</b>	The process of cleaning something, especially with a chemical, in order to destroy bacteria. <i>Instruments must undergo high level <b>disinfection</b> before reuse.</i>
<b>erasable</b>	Capable of being effaced. <i>A signal too loud to be <b>erasable</b> in a single pass through the erase head.</i>
<b>handkerchief</b>	A square of cotton or other finely woven material intended for wiping one's nose.
<b>holistic</b>	Characterized by the belief that the parts of something are intimately interconnected and explicable only by reference to the whole.
<b>hygienic</b>	Conducive to maintaining health and preventing disease, especially by being clean; sanitary. <i><b>Hygienic</b> surroundings with plenty of fresh air.</i>
<b>laundry</b>	The action or process of washing clothes and linen. <i>She went outside to hang some <b>laundry</b> on the line.</i>
<b><u>methodical</u></b>	Done according to a systematic or established procedure. <i>A <b>methodical</b> man he assembled all the papers into a huge pile.</i>
<b>neat</b>	Having a pleasing appearance; well formed. <i>It was really <b>neat</b> seeing the city.</i>
<b>nifty</b>	Particularly good, skilful, or effective. <i><b>Nifty</b> footwork.</i>
<b>orderly</b>	Neatly and methodically arranged. <i>An <b>orderly</b> arrangement of objects.</i>
<b><u>pristine</u></b>	Clean and fresh as if new; spotless. <i>A <b>pristine</b> white shirt.</i>
<b><u>refined</u></b>	Developed or improved so as to be precise or subtle. <i>Due to the limitations of the available tools a more <b>refined</b> analysis of the data may be necessary.</i>
<b>regular</b>	A regular member of the armed forces. <i>Her breathing became more <b>regular</b>.</i>
<b>shipshape</b>	In good order; trim and neat. <i>He checked that everything was <b>shipshape</b>.</i>
<b>sizing</b>	Any glutinous material used to fill pores in surfaces or to stiffen fabrics.
<b>smashing</b>	The act of breaking something into small pieces. <i>You look simply <b>smashing</b>.</i>
<b><u>systematic</u></b>	Done or acting according to a fixed plan or system; methodical. <i>A <b>systematic</b> administrator.</i>

- thorough** Performed or written with great care and completeness.  
*Officers have made a **thorough** examination of the wreckage.*
- trim** Adjust the balance of a ship or aircraft by rearranging its cargo or by means of its trim tabs.  
***Trim** the photograph.*
- unspoiled** Not spoiled, in particular (of a place) not marred by development.  
*One of the best stretches of **unspoiled** coastline in the UK.*
- washing** The action of washing oneself or laundering clothes bed linen etc.  
*Avoid over enthusiastic **washing**.*
- wipe** Pass a swipe card over an electronic reader.  
*Paul **wiped** his face with a handkerchief.*

