

Need another word that means the same as “underwrite”? Find 25 synonyms and 30 related words for “underwrite” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Underwrite” are: subvent, subvention, cover, insure, sponsor, support, back, indemnify, provide security for, take the risk for, subsidize, contribute to, pay for, provide capital for, finance, fund, write, inscribe, pen, pencil, scribble, scrawl, dash off, put, add

Underwrite as a Verb

Definitions of "Underwrite" as a verb

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

- *Guarantee financial support of.*
- *(of a bank or other financial institution) pledge to buy all the unsold shares in (an issue of new shares).*
- *Sign and accept liability under (an insurance policy), thus guaranteeing payment in case loss or damage occurs.*
- *Undertake to finance or otherwise support or guarantee (something).*
- *Write (something) below something else, especially other written matter.*
- *Accept (a liability or risk) under the terms of an insurance policy.*
- *Protect by insurance.*

Synonyms of "Underwrite" as a verb (25 Words)

add

Make an addition to join or combine or unite with others increase the quality quantity size or scope of.
*The suite will **add** a touch of class to your bedroom.*

back	Cause to move backwards. <i>My garage backs their yard.</i>
contribute to	Contribute to some cause.
cover	Provide with a covering or cause to be covered. <i>The insurance won t cover this.</i>
dash off	Run or move very quickly or hastily.
finance	Obtain or provide money for. <i>Can we finance the addition to our home.</i>
fund	Place or store up in a fund for accumulation. <i>The World Bank refused to fund the project.</i>
indemnify	Secure against future loss, damage, or liability; give security for. <i>Each of the parties shall indemnify me for all reasonable costs of defending such actions and proceedings.</i>
inscribe	Draw within a figure so as to touch in as many places as possible. <i>A regular polygon inscribed in a circle.</i>
insure	Take out insurance for. <i>Businesses can insure against exchange rate fluctuations.</i>
pay for	Make a compensation for.
pen	Write or compose. <i>Olivia penned award winning poetry.</i>
pencil	Write draw or colour with a pencil. <i>He penciled a figure.</i>
provide capital for	Take measures in preparation for.
provide security for	Give something useful or necessary to.
put	Put into a certain place or abstract location. <i>He was put in charge of civil defence.</i>
scrawl	Write (something) in a hurried, careless way. <i>Charlie scrawled his signature.</i>
scribble	Write for a living or as a hobby. <i>Hastily he scribbled in the margin.</i>
sponsor	Assume sponsorship of. <i>The USA sponsored negotiations between the two sides.</i>
subsidize	Secure the assistance of by granting a subsidy, as of nations or military forces. <i>The mining industry continues to be subsidized.</i>

subvent	Support or assist by the payment of a subvention. <i>Most of the projects had been subvented rather than controlled by government.</i>
subvention	Guarantee financial support of.
support	Support materially or financially. <i>He supported me with one hand while I balanced on the beam.</i>
take the risk for	Receive willingly something given or offered.
write	Create code write a computer program. <i>He couldn't read or write.</i>

Usage Examples of "Underwrite" as a verb

- *The individuals whose assets support underwriting at Lloyd's.*
- *The purchase is being paid for by a share issue, which has been underwritten.*
- *The policy, underwritten at Lloyd's, indemnifies trustees against loss arising from wrongful acts.*
- *The insurance companies have underwritten just over half the risk.*
- *Each subscriber should underwrite his reason for the place he allots his candidate.*
- *They were willing to underwrite, in part, the construction of a ship.*

Associations of "Underwrite" (30 Words)

amortize	Transfer (land) to a corporation in mortmain. <i>Eighty per cent of the proceeds has been used to amortize the public debt.</i>
ante	Put up an amount as an ante in poker or brag and similar games. <i>The owners have to ante up if they want to attract the best talent.</i>
appropriation	A sum of money allocated officially for a particular use. <i>Success in obtaining appropriations for projects.</i>
assuring	Giving confidence.
bank	Put into a bank account. <i>A bank of snow.</i>
borrow	Allow (a certain distance) when playing a shot to compensate for sideways motion of the ball due to a slope or other irregularity. <i>The term is borrowed from Greek.</i>
disbursement	The act of spending or disbursing money. <i>They established a committee to supervise the disbursement of aid.</i>

endowment	The act of endowing with a permanent source of income. <i>His generous endowment of the laboratory came just in the nick of time.</i>
ensure	Make certain that (something) will occur or be the case. <i>This nest egg will ensure a nice retirement for us.</i>
expenditure	The act of consuming something. <i>The expenditure of taxpayers money.</i>
finance	Sell or provide on credit. <i>The club s finances are stretched to the limit.</i>
fund	Place or store up in a fund for accumulation. <i>The World Bank refused to fund the project.</i>
funding	The action or practice of providing funding. <i>The public funding of litigation remains a core question.</i>
guarantee	Provide a guarantee for. <i>Preparation will guarantee success.</i>
installment	A payment of part of a debt; usually paid at regular intervals.
insure	Secure or protect someone against (a possible contingency). <i>The table should be insured for 2 500.</i>
investment	An act of devoting time, effort, or energy to a particular undertaking with the expectation of a worthwhile result. <i>Freezers really are a good investment for the elderly.</i>
lend	(of a thing) be suitable for. <i>Her presence lends a certain cachet to the company.</i>
lender	Someone who lends money or gives credit in business matters. <i>A mortgage lender.</i>
loan	An act of lending something to someone. <i>She offered to buy him dinner in return for the loan of the flat.</i>
mortgage	A deed effecting a mortgage. <i>A 60 000 mortgage.</i>
overdue	(of a woman) not having had a menstrual period at the expected time. <i>Reform is now overdue.</i>
policyholder	A person or group in whose name an insurance policy is held.
proceeds	Money obtained from an event or activity. <i>Proceeds from the event will go to aid the work of the charity.</i>
prove	Prove formally demonstrate by a mathematical formal proof. <i>Firearms proved for black powder should not be used with smokeless ammunition.</i>

refinance	Finance (something) again, typically with new loans at a lower rate of interest. <i>Companies must refinance 20 billion of warrants and bonds.</i>
repayment	An amount of money paid back. <i>Minimum monthly repayments.</i>
subsidize	Pay part of the cost of producing (something) to keep the selling price low. <i>The government subsidizes basic goods including sugar petroleum and wheat.</i>
trustee	A person (or institution) to whom legal title to property is entrusted to use for another's benefit. <i>Pension fund trustees.</i>
unpaid	Not paid. <i>Unpaid bills.</i>