

Need another word that means the same as “vocal”? Find 18 synonyms and 30 related words for “vocal” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Vocal” are: outspoken, voiced, spoken, said, uttered, expressed, articulated, oral, vociferous, forthright, blunt, frank, direct, candid, open, uninhibited, song, vocal music

Vocal as a Noun

Definitions of "Vocal" as a noun

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

- *Music intended to be performed by one or more singers, usually with instrumental accompaniment.*
- *A short musical composition with words.*
- *A part of a piece of music that is sung.*
- *A musical performance involving singing.*



Synonyms of "Vocal" as a noun (2 Words)

- song** A musical composition suggestive of a song.
*A bird will not learn its **song** unless it hears it at an early age.*
- vocal music** Music intended to be performed by one or more singers, usually with instrumental accompaniment.



Usage Examples of "Vocal" as a noun

- *A clear guitar backing topped with haunting vocals.*
- *I was singing along with the vocal.*



Vocal as an Adjective

Definitions of "Vocal" as an adjective

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

- *Used in the production of speech sounds.*
- *Full of the sound of voices.*
- *Given to expressing yourself freely or insistently.*
- *Relating to the human voice.*
- *Having or using the power to produce speech or sound.*
- *Relating to or designed for or using the singing voice.*
- *(of music) consisting of or incorporating singing.*
- *Expressing opinions or feelings freely or loudly.*



Synonyms of "Vocal" as an adjective (16 Words)

- articulated** Having two or more sections connected by a flexible joint.
*The trilobite's thorax has a variable number of **articulated** segments.*
- blunt** Used of a knife or other blade; not sharp.
*A **blunt** instrument.*
- candid** Characterized by directness in manner or speech; without subtlety or evasion.
*A **candid** discussion.*
- direct** Direct in spatial dimensions proceeding without deviation or interruption straight and short.
***Direct** vote.*
- expressed** Precisely and clearly expressed or readily observable leaving nothing to implication.

forthright	Proceeding directly forwards. <i>A forthright approach to the problem.</i>
frank	Unmistakable; obvious. <i>Frank ulceration.</i>
open	Open and observable not secret or hidden. <i>His eyes were open but he could see nothing.</i>
oral	Done or taken by the mouth. <i>Oral hygiene.</i>
outspoken	Given to expressing yourself freely or insistently. <i>He has been outspoken in his criticism.</i>
said	Used in legal language or humorously to refer to someone or something already mentioned or named. <i>Acting in pursuance of the said agreement.</i>
spoken	Uttered through the medium of speech or characterized by speech; sometimes used in combination. <i>A spoken message.</i>
uninhibited	Expressing one's feelings or thoughts unselfconsciously and without restraint. <i>Uninhibited exuberance.</i>
uttered	Without qualification; used informally as (often pejorative) intensifiers. <i>Frequently uttered sentiments.</i>
vociferous	Conspicuously and offensively loud; given to vehement outcry. <i>A vociferous mob.</i>
voiced	(of an opinion or attitude) expressed in a particular way. <i>A voiced velar fricative.</i>



Usage Examples of "Vocal" as an adjective

- *A vocal assembly.*
- *The vocal apparatus.*
- *A playground vocal with the shouts and laughter of children.*
- *A four-part vocal composition.*
- *Non-linguistic vocal effects like laughs and sobs.*
- *A vocal bassline.*
- *He was vocal in condemning the action.*



Associations of "Vocal" (30 Words)

aloud	Using the voice; not silently. <i>He wept aloud.</i>
aural	Relating to the ear or the sense of hearing. <i>Information held in written aural or visual form.</i>
<u>communicative</u>	Of or relating to communication. <i>Was a communicative person and quickly told all she knew.</i>
dumb	Make dumb or unheard silence. <i>She stood dumb while he poured out a stream of abuse.</i>
<u>expansive</u>	Tending towards economic or political expansion. <i>Expansive domestic economic policies.</i>
garrulous	Excessively talkative, especially on trivial matters. <i>A garrulous cab driver.</i>
halitosis	Offensive breath.

inarticulate	Unable to express one's ideas or feelings clearly or easily. <i>Inarticulate with rage.</i>
incommunicado	Without the means or right to communicate. <i>Incommunicado political detainees.</i>
lengthiness	The consequence of being lengthened in duration.
literate	A literate person. <i>Computer literate.</i>
loquacious	Tending to talk a great deal; talkative. <i>Never loquacious Sarah was now totally lost for words.</i>
loquacity	The quality of being wordy and talkative. <i>He was renowned for loquacity.</i>
mute	Muffle the sound of a musical instrument especially by the use of a mute. <i>The great church was mute and dark.</i>
oral	Relating to the mouth. <i>A French oral.</i>
oratory	(in the Roman Catholic Church) a society of priests without vows, especially the Oratory of St Philip Neri founded in 1564. <i>He loved the sound of his own oratory.</i>
recitative	A vocal passage of narrative text that a singer delivers with natural rhythms of speech. <i>Singing in recitative.</i>
rhapsodize	Recite a rhapsody. <i>He began to rhapsodize about Gaby's beauty and charm.</i>
sinus	An irregular venous or lymphatic cavity, reservoir, or dilated vessel. <i>Sinus rhythm.</i>
song	A musical composition suggestive of a song. <i>A bird will not learn its song unless it hears it at an early age.</i>
speak	Make a characteristic or natural sound. <i>In his agitation he was unable to speak.</i>
spoken	Uttered through the medium of speech or characterized by speech; sometimes used in combination. <i>The spoken language.</i>
talkative	Fond of or given to talking. <i>The talkative driver hadn't stopped chatting.</i>
timbre	The character or quality of a musical sound or voice as distinct from its pitch and intensity. <i>The timbre of her soprano was rich and lovely.</i>

unwritten	Based on custom rather than documentation. <i>An unwritten law.</i>
verbal	A verbal statement containing a damaging admission alleged to have been made to the police and offered as evidence by the prosecution. <i>The root of the problem is visual rather than verbal.</i>
volubility	The quality of being facile in speech and writing. <i>Her legendary volubility deserted her.</i>
whistle	The act of signalling e.g. summoning by whistling or blowing a whistle. <i>The referee did not whistle for a foul.</i>
wordless	Not speaking or involving speech. <i>A sort of wordless communication had developed.</i>
wordy	Using or expressed in rather too many words. <i>Newspapers of the day printed long wordy editorials.</i>

