

Need another word that means the same as “wages”? Find 2 synonyms and 30 related words for “wages” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Wages” are: payoff, reward

Wages as a Noun

Definitions of "Wages" as a noun

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

- *A recompense for worthy acts or retribution for wrongdoing.*



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

payoff Payment made to a person in a position of trust to corrupt his judgment.

reward A thing given in recognition of service, effort, or achievement.
*The holiday was a **reward** for 40 years service with the company.*



Usage Examples of "Wages" as a noun

- *The wages of sin is death.*



Associations of "Wages" (30 Words)

accrue

Grow by addition.

*All customs duties **accrued** to the federal government.*

cash

Exchange for cash.

*The staff were paid in **cash**.*

compensation

The action or process of awarding compensation.

*A **compensation** claim.*

creditor

A person to whom money is owed by a debtor; someone to whom an obligation exists.

*He sold his Ferraris to pay off his **creditors**.*

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| debt | The state of owing something (especially money). <i>The firm is heavily in debt.</i> |
| earnings | Income derived from an investment or product. <i>They saved a quarter of all their earnings.</i> |
| gratis | Costing nothing. <i>Gratis books.</i> |
| installment | A payment of part of a debt; usually paid at regular intervals. |
| liquidate | Convert (assets) into cash. <i>If the company was liquidated there would be enough funds released to honour the debts.</i> |
| lucrative | Producing a sizeable profit. <i>A lucrative career as a stand up comedian.</i> |
| overdue | Past due; not paid at the scheduled time. <i>An overdue installment.</i> |
| owe | Owe something especially money to. <i>This new theory owes much to Einstein s Relativity Theory.</i> |
| owing | Owed as a debt. <i>No rent was owing.</i> |
| paid | Involving gainful employment in something often done as a hobby. <i>Five weeks paid holiday a year.</i> |
| paying | For which money is paid. <i>A paying job.</i> |
| payment | An act of requiting; returning in kind. <i>A suit with a velvet collar that I got as payment for being in the show.</i> |
| payoff | Payment made to a person in a position of trust to corrupt his judgment. |
| premium | Payment for insurance. <i>They encouraged customers with a premium for loyal patronage.</i> |
| recompense | Compensation or reward given for loss or harm suffered or effort made. <i>Substantial damages were paid in recompense.</i> |
| refund | Money returned to a payer. <i>If you re not delighted with your purchase we guarantee to refund your money in full.</i> |
| reimbursement | A sum paid to cover money that has been spent or lost. <i>The family received insurance reimbursements.</i> |
| remunerate | Pay (someone) for services rendered or work done. <i>My efforts were not remunerated.</i> |

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| remuneration | Something that remunerates. <i>Adequate remuneration for his work.</i> |
| remunerative | Producing a sizeable profit. <i>Remunerative work.</i> |
| repay | Make repayment for or return something. <i>Most of his fortune had been spent repaying creditors.</i> |
| repayment | An amount of money paid back. <i>Minimum monthly repayments.</i> |
| requite | Make appropriate return for (a favour, service, or wrongdoing). <i>She did not requite his love.</i> |
| restitution | Getting something back again. <i>Restitution of the damaged mucosa.</i> |
| reward | Bestow honor or rewards upon. <i>A slap on the face was his reward for his cheek.</i> |
| unpaid | Not paid. <i>An unpaid bill.</i> |

