


Exercise/List of Synonyms:

Choose a word which is a **SYNONYM** for the given words:

1. Antithesis
 - a. Fixed dislike
 - b. musical response
 - c. lack of feeling
 - d. **Direct opposite**
2. Transitory
 - a. **Short-lived**
 - b. idle
 - c. unexpected
 - d. clear
3. Entrenched
 - a. **Fortified**
 - b. filled up
 - c. followed by
 - d. **kept down**
4. Amenable
 - a. Religious
 - b. masculine
 - c. proud
 - d. **agreeable**
5. Disparage
 - a. Separate
 - b. compare
 - c. **belittles**
 - d. refuse
6. Ludicrous
 - a. Profitable
 - b. **ridiculous**
 - c. disordered
 - d. excessive
7. Intrepid
 - a. Middle
 - b. tolerant
 - c. **fearless**
 - d. rude
8. Admonish
 - a. **Warn**
 - b. escape
 - c. worship
 - d. distributes
9. Beset
 - a. Plead
 - b. assail
 - c. **pertain to**
 - d. deny
10. Glib
 - a. Dull
 - b. **thin**
 - c. fluent
 - d. weak
11. Grandiose
 - a. **Imposing**
 - b. unpretentious
 - c. boring
 - d. lanky
12. Parley
 - a. Fraud
 - b. paraphrase
 - c. **conclave**
 - d. spectacle
13. Ruse
 - a. Break
 - b. **stratagem**
 - c. maudlin
 - d. guru
14. Aphorism
 - a. Prune
 - b. wither
 - c. aphis
 - d. **proverb**
15. Scuttle

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| | a. Rumour | b. priority | c. run hurriedly | d. solemn |
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16. Utopia
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| | a. Holiday home | b. music | c. vacant | d. perfect state |
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17. Spry
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| | a. Doubtful | b. nimble | c. chic | d. leave |
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18. Simpleton
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| | a. Dunce | b. tattler | c. genius | d.  |
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19. Vituperation
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| | a. Moisture | b. parallel | c. malediction | d. recover |
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20. Qualm
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| | a. Concavity | b. amplitude | c. misgiving | d. repute |
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21. Elation
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| | a. Happiness | b. naturalizes | c. poverty | d. parsimony |
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22. Vaunt
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| | a. Lack | b. sufferance | c. resign | d. boast |
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23. Fetid
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| | a. Comical | b. ornament | c. stinking | d. regular |
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24. Pandemonium
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| | a. Lock | b. instrumental | c. garment | d. uproar |
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25. Manoeuvre
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| | a. Upset | b. inflicts | c. scheme | d. slow |
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26. Relinquish
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| | a. Abandon | b. relish | c. proceeds | d. defeat |
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27. Tumid
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| | a. Humid | b. revolting | c. mean | d. inflated |
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28. Veritable
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| | a. Obedient | b. approval | c. genuine | d. false |
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29. Canard
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| | a. A bird | b. spare | c. offensive | d. hoax |
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30. Idolatry
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| | a. admiration | b. sadness | c. corruption | d. faithless |
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31. Gratuitous
a. Correct b. unkind c. absurd d. given freely
32. Lethal
a. Conventional b. deadly c. averse demonstrative
33. Feint
a. Religious b. digresses c. pretence d. swoon
34. Perambulate
a. Withdraw b. obstructs c. retail d. walk
35. Jettison
a. Throw b. travel c. collects d. sympathizes
36. Expurgate
a. Enjoy b. clear c. display d. harbour
37. Surmount
a. Climb b. dwindles c. conquers d. repair
38. Nettle
a. Knit b. vessel c. irritates d. restores
39. Intercept
a. Display b. arrest c. allots d. amaze
40. Desultory
a. Changeable b. result c. hazardous d. rivalry
41. Salient
a. Skilful b. seasonal c. prominent d. solitary
42. Fester
a. Irritate b. illuminate c. challenge d. choice
43. Turbulent
a. Unbiased b. agitated c. orderly d. shiny
44. Putrid
a. Pure b. decayed c. shallow d. sweet
45. Cadence
a. Rhythm b. retreat c. fix d. final
46. Fumigate

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| a. Upset | b. submits | c. disinfects | d. rankles |
| 47. Bedraggle | | | |
| a. Reduce | b. soiled | c. hypnotizes | d. sell |
| 48. Penchant | | | |
| a. Liking | b. hatred | c. naughty | d. good |
| 49. Scathing | | | |
| a. Tossing | b. damaging | c. hating | d. fat |
| 50. Absolve | | | |
| a. Accuse | b. acquits | c. bind | d. colour |
| 51. Coalesce | | | |
| a. Fuel | b. fiery | c. amalgamates | d. relates |
| 52. Sycophantic | | | |
| a. Circular | b. symmetrical | c. servile | d. fertile |

Choose a word which is NOT A SYNONYM for the given words:

1. Stingy
 - a. Amicable
 - b. penurious
 - c. parsimonious
 - d. frugal
2. Persistence
 - a. Perilous
 - b. sedulity
 - c. pertinacity
 - d. plodding
3. Relax
 - a. Rest
 - b. unwinds
 - c. ease
 - d. relegates
4. Accumulation
 - a. Collection
 - b. conglomeration. assemblage
 - d. collagen
5. Incline
 - a. Trenchant
 - b. slope
 - c. acclivity
 - d. gradient
6. Loafer
 - a. Vagrant
 - b. lounge
 - c. bantam
 - d. idler
7. Emigrate
 - a. Depart
 - b. eludes
 - c. relocates
 - d. resettles
8. Eloquent
 - a. Elusive
 - b. articulate
 - c. fluent
 - d. expressive
9. Abase
 - a. Adjourn
 - b. degrades
 - c. humiliates
 - d. mortifies
10. Aplomb
 - a. Ease
 - b. ribald
 - c. repose
 - d. serenity
11. Eccentric
 - a. Aberrant
 - b. atypical
 - c. facile
 - d. bizarre
12. Quagmire
 - a. Fen
 - b. morass
 - c. swamp
 - d. palisade
13. Bestial
 - a. Feral
 - b. feminine
 - c. fiendish
 - d. savage

14. Revelry

- a. Jollity b. slough c. conviviality d. feasting

15. Fester

- a. Putrefy b. ulcerates c. rot d. retrieve

16. Paddock

- a. Filament b. glebe c. pasture d. mead

17. Heresy

- a. Parole b. blasphemy c. dissent d. non conformity

18. Anchorite

- a. Eremite b. recluse c. infirm d. hermit

19. Itinerant

- a. Peripatetic b. nomadic c. wayfaring d. sprightly

20. Nimble

- a. Adroit b. patrician c. nippy d. dexterous

21. clamorous

- a. raucous b. blaring c. dissonant d. stately

22. Oracular

- a. Clairvoyant b. soothsayer c. lineage d. sibyl

23. Tawdry

- a. Gimmick b. gimcrack c. shoddy d. worthless

24. Escort

- a. Convoy b. chattel c. entourage d. retinue

25. Entrails

- a. Viscera b. Eocene c. guts d. Bowels

26. Quay

- a. Jetty b. lurch c. wharf d. breakwater

27. Morose

- a. Churlish b. sullen c. humble d. taciturn

28. Temporal

- a. Transient b. ephemeral c. mortal d. melancholy

29. Satanic

- a. Diabolical b. Mephistophelean c. burlesque d. demonic
30. Enchant
- a. Raze b. bewitches c. ravishes d. entrance
31. Titular
- a. Nominal b. official c. putative d. causative
32. Vicarious
- a. Surrogate b. second-hand c. atrocious d. indirect
33. Flail
- a. Whip b. lash c. flogs d. trellis
34. Lament
- a. Dirge b. elegy c. lackey d. monody
35. Freight
- a. Cargo b. consignment c. chafing d. shipment
36. Asperse
- a. Calumniate b. traduce c. slander d. disconcerts
37. Diligent
- a. Assiduous b. appendage c. industrious d. persevering
38. Asylum
- a. Shelter b. refuge c. sanctuary d. presage
39. Aureate
- a. Brilliant b. gilded c. resplendent d. archaic
40. Bamboozle
- a. Hoax b. mystifies c. cheat d. gabble
41. Bastille
- a. Fortress b. prison c. jail d. fop
42. Cabal
- a. Plot b. machination c. portends d. conspiracy
43. Gallant
- a. Quixotic b. chivalrous c. prudent d. honourable

Exercises/List of Antonyms:

1. Amusing
 - a. Silent
 - b. later
 - c. **boring**
 - d. nice
2. Egoism
 - a. Familial
 - b. **altruism**
 - c. Fabianism
 - d. Marxism
3. Ambiguity
 - a. **Lucidity**
 - b. basal
 - c. lovable
 - d. necessity
4. Omega
 - a. Beta
 - b. gamma
 - c. delta
 - d. **alpha**
4. Amass
 - a. Demote
 - b. remote
 - c. **scatter**
 - d. better
5. Amplification
 - a. **Abbreviation**
 - b. operation
 - c. observation
 - d. application
6. Hostile
 - a. Alluvial
 - b. able
 - c. **amicable**
 - d. alterable
7. Ameliorate
 - a. **Mar**
 - b. west
 - c. stuff
 - d. fade
8. Amnesty
 - a. Loyalty
 - b. **punishment**
 - c. depth
 - d. dearth
9. Scanty
 - a. **Ample**
 - b. sample
 - c. adores
 - d. afore
10. Anabolism
 - a. **Metabolism**
 - b. catabolism
 - c. quantity
 - d. autism
11. Angelical
 - a. Magnanimous
 - b. **diabolical**
 - c. benevolent
 - d. critical
12. Ecstasy
 - a. **Anguish**
 - b. appeal
 - c. amenable
 - d. lucidity
13. Antidote
 - a. Medicine
 - b. **poison**
 - c. anodyne
 - d. amity
14. Apex
 - a. **Base**
 - b. zenith
 - c. meridian
 - d. median

15. Haughtiness

- a. Unskilled b. affability c. adduces d. abject

16. Apocryphal

- a. Apocalypse b. authentic c. amusing d. disgusting

17. Appeaseable

- a. Antecedent b. incident c. unrelenting d. unloved

18. Disarray

- a. Disorder b. order c. bore d. store

19. Badger

- a. Bad b. sober c. pacifies d. assures

20. Audacious

- a. Silent b. Polite c. astute d. avarice

21. Befoul

- a. Flounder b. cleanses c. buoyant d. flambés

22. Benign

- a. Benevolent b. malevolent c. blessing d. curse

23. Bellow

- a. Whisper b. tout c. stupor d. above

24. Blasphemous

- a. Irreligious b. inferior c. reverent d. blarney

25. Abhorrent

- a. Obnoxious b. attractive c. abeyance d. ablution

26. Abstruse

- a. Esoteric b. obvious c. complex d. enigmatic

27. Proletariat

- a. Rationalist b. evangelist b. bourgeoisie d. Marxist

28. Braggart

- a. Modest b. harangue c. adept d. competent

29. Callow

- a. Mature b. opposes c. bustle d. burly

30. Euphony

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| | a. Concord | b. symphony | c. cacophony | d. sync |
| 31. Calumniate | a. Eulogise | b. callous | c. enervate | d. temperate |
| 32. Candour | a. Frankness | b. cunning | c. ingenious | d. sincere |
| 33. Manikin | a. Dwarf | b. giant | c. figure | d. statue |
| 34. Diffidence | a. Ascent | b. confidence | c. penchant | d. prescription |
| 35. Profane | a. Sacred | b. denounces | c. announces | d. penance |
| 36. Sprightly | a. Bright | b. dull | c. effulgent | d. indulgent |
| 37. Repudiate | a. Discharge | b. disagrees | c. admits | d. reject |
| 38. Expedite | a. Extract | b. distracts | c. admits | d. defends |
| 39. Lament | a. Languish | b. anguish | c. rejoices | d. languor |
| 40. Augment | a. Increase | b. argument | c. diminishes | d. delay |
| 41. Agnostic | a. Euphoric | b. putrid | c. evangelical | d. abhors |
| 42. Tremulous | a. Fearful | b. intrepid | c. supplants | d. whimsical |
| 43. Prevaricate | a. Truth | b. abates | c. restrained | d. tactful |
| 44. Multifarious | a. Nonentity | b. singular | c. gallant | d. invidious |
| 45. Consanguinity | a. Affinity | b. corpulent | c. estrangement | d. anarchy |

46. Vapid

- a. Insipid b. prosaic c. pithy d. relieves

47. Contemptible

- a. Venerable b. barbarous c. jocose d. sickening

48. Inclination

- a. Propensity b. aversion c. liking d. attenuated

49. Atrocious

- a. Grievous b. serious c. trivial d. tirade

50. Garrulous

- a. Loquacious b. talkative c. quiet d. weary

51. Gluttonous

- a. Estrange b. abstemious c. sanctimonious d. contingency

52. Impetuous

- a. Rash b. harsh c. cautious d. flighty

53. Lampoon

- a. Mock b. satirizes c. exalts d. energizes

54. Sanguine

- a. Pessimistic b. mitigates c. exhibitionist d. modest

55. Guileless

- a. Hermit b. deceitful c. nebulous d. amorphous

56. Pernicious

- a. Drone b. travesty c. benign d. false

57. Sardonic

- a. Cheeky b. pleasing c. impetuous d. ironic

58. Quell

- a. Subdue b. allays c. inflames d. deflates

59. Listless

- a. Phlegmatic b. discredit c. spirited d. inanimate

60. Garrote

- a. Strangle b. emancipates c. industrious d. impudent

61. Jaded

a. Excited

b. deployed

c. employed

d. exploit