

# Positive verbs that start with J

8 verbs with meanings and examples. Updated 10 October 2026. Free to print and share in a classroom.

## **Jazz** v.

To make something livelier, brighter, or more interesting.  
*Fresh herbs can jazz up a simple bowl of rice.*

## **Join** v.

To connect, participate, or become part of a group.  
*New residents are welcome to join the Saturday cleanup.*

## **Jollify** v.

To make cheerful or to celebrate in a merry way.  
*Fresh flowers will jollify the community room before lunch.*

## **Jovialize** v.

To make cheerful, convivial, or full of good humor.  
*The musicians jovialized the gathering with familiar folk songs.*

## **Jubilate** v.

To express great joy or celebrate with gladness.  
*Supporters jubilated when the final scholarship was fully funded.*

## **Jubilize** v.

To rejoice openly or celebrate in a joyful way.  
*Families jubilized together after the safe rescue was announced.*

## **Juggle** v.

To manage several demands skillfully at the same time.  
*She can juggle teaching and research without neglecting her students.*

## **Jump-start** v.

To give something the energy or help needed to begin quickly.  
*The small grant will jump-start repairs at the community hall.*