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authenticate verb

au·then·ti·cate ə-ˈthen-ti-, kāt ô-**authenticated; authenticating**[Synonyms of *authenticate* >](#)*transitive verb*

: to prove or serve to prove to be real, true, or genuine

| *authenticate* a document**authenticator** ə-ˈthen-ti-, kâ-tər ô- **noun**

Synonyms

[attest](#)[avouch](#)[certify](#)[testify \(to\)](#)[vouch \(for\)](#)[witness](#)[See all Synonyms & Antonyms in Thesaurus >](#)

Choose the Right Synonym for *authenticate*

CONFIRM, CORROBORATE, SUBSTANTIATE, VERIFY, AUTHENTICATE, VALIDATE

mean to attest to the truth or validity of something.

CONFIRM implies the removing of doubts by an authoritative statement or