

Different Ways to Answer Thank You

Casual Way:

- **You're welcome** – simple, ordinary and most common reply
Thank you for helping me to fix my car. – Oh, you're welcome.
- **You're very welcome-** taking in the thank you sincerely and with consideration.
Thank you for doing the grocery for me. – You're very welcome.
- **No problem** – very American way, but older people doesn't approve to use this answer.
Thank you for dropping by my letters. - No problem, it's also along my way home.
- **That's alright** – very casual response to someone who asked you to do something that you really don't want to do, but you really need to do it. This will depend on your tone: happy or a little irritated.

Thank you for picking me up at the station. – That's alright (high pitch with a happy face) or low tone (with no face expression at all) and this means that you are just being obligated.

- **No worries** – very casual way to answer.
Thank you for telling me about my car alarm. – No worries, I believe I really should tell you.



- **Anytime!** – a simple and generous reply.
Thank you for stopping by to see my stage play. – Oh, anytime!
(with a high and happy tone)
- **Sure!** – very American way response and goes perfectly with No Problem.
Thank you for seeing me today. – Sure! No problem. (with a happy tone)
- **It was nothing** – if the action was no extra effort
Thank you for bringing me home today. – It was nothing, we live in the same neighborhood.
- **Thank YOU** – answer to a person who deserves to be Thanked more than to say you're very much welcome, emphasizing YOU with a high tone.
Thank you for accepting my offer to work in my company. – Oh no, thank YOU for trusting me and I'm honored to work here.

Formal Way:

- **The pleasure is mine** – British way to answer
Thank you for bringing in the packages. – The pleasure is mine or my pleasure or simply pleasure.
- **I know you would do the same for me** – a very friendly response for people you know very close to you.
I would like to thank you for looking after my garden while I was away. – Oh, I know you would do the same for me. So I look after your garden.



- **Don't mention it-** very British way.
Thank you for bringing desserts for this party. – Don't mention it. I just want everyone to taste my new recipe.
- **It was the least I could do** – another British way response, meaningful and heartfelt way.
Thank you visiting me today in the hospital. This means so much to me. – Oh, it's the least I could do since I wasn't able to bring you here myself.

Business Dealings:

- **I'm very much obliged or much obliged** – very British way response
Thank you so much for this gift. – I'm very much obliged to you.
- **You're most welcome** – very formal and needed for business meetings.
Thank you for sending the memos ahead of time. – You're most welcome.
- **We appreciate your business/customs** – for business transactions
Thank you for sending the sample items – We appreciate your customs. (answer to customer)
Thank you for patronizing my bookstore. – We appreciate your business (answer to business owner)
- **I'm happy to help-** very business-like but casual
Thank you for helping me with the filing of the company's registration. – I'm happy to help

