

Need another word that means the same as “avarice”? Find 9 synonyms and 30 related words for “avarice” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Avarice” are: avariciousness, covetousness, cupidity, avaritia, greed, rapacity, acquisitiveness, rapaciousness, materialism

Avarice as a Noun

Definitions of "Avarice" as a noun

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

- *Extreme greed for material wealth.*
- *Reprehensible acquisitiveness; insatiable desire for wealth (personified as one of the deadly sins).*
- *Extreme greed for wealth or material gain.*



Synonyms of "Avarice" as a noun (9 Words)

- acquisitiveness** Excessive interest in acquiring money or material things.
*A culture of **acquisitiveness** permeated his administration.*
- avariciousness** Extreme greed for material wealth.
- avaritia** Reprehensible acquisitiveness; insatiable desire for wealth (personified as one of the deadly sins).
- covetousness** An envious eagerness to possess something.
- cupidity** Greed for money or possessions.
*New wealth however tainted by **cupidity** and egoism tends to be favourable for the arts.*
- greed** Reprehensible acquisitiveness; insatiable desire for wealth (personified as one of the deadly sins).
***Greed** has taken over football.*

- materialism** The theory or belief that consciousness and will are wholly due to material agency.
*They hated the sinful **materialism** of the wicked city.*
- rapaciousness** Extreme gluttony.
- rapacity** Aggressive greed.
*The **rapacity** of landowners seeking greater profit from their property.*



Usage Examples of "Avarice" as a noun

- *He was rich beyond the dreams of avarice.*

Associations of "Avarice" (30 Words)

- acquisitive** Eager to acquire and possess things especially material possessions or ideas.
*An **acquisitive** society in which the craving for material things seems never satisfied.*

avaricious	Immoderately desirous of acquiring e.g. wealth. <i>They are avaricious and will do anything for money.</i>
covetous	Having or showing a great desire to possess something belonging to someone else. <i>Jealous of his success and covetous of his possessions.</i>
covetousness	An envious eagerness to possess something. Greed for money or possessions.
cupidity	<i>New wealth however tainted by cupidity and egoism tends to be favourable for the arts.</i>
desirous	Having or characterized by desire. <i>Desirous of finding a quick solution to the problem.</i>
egocentric	An egocentric person. <i>Egocentric loners with an overinflated sense of self worth.</i>
egotism	The fact of being excessively conceited or absorbed in oneself. <i>In his arrogance and egotism he underestimated Gill.</i>
envy	A person or thing that inspires envy. <i>A lifestyle which most of us would envy.</i>
grasping	Immoderately desirous of acquiring e.g. wealth. <i>Grasping commercialism.</i>
greed	Intense and selfish desire for something, especially wealth, power, or food. <i>Greed has taken over football.</i>
greedy	Immoderately desirous of acquiring e.g. wealth. <i>Greedy for money and power.</i>
jealousy	Zealous vigilance. <i>Cherish their official political freedom with fierce jealousy.</i>
lecherous	Given to excessive indulgence in sexual activity. <i>A lecherous gleam in his eye.</i>
lend	(of a thing) be suitable for. <i>I will lend you my car.</i>
miser	A stingy hoarder of money and possessions often living miserably. <i>A typical miser he hid his money in the house in various places.</i>
miserly	Of or characteristic of a miser. <i>The prize for the winner will be a miserly 3 500.</i>
moneylender	A person whose business is lending money to others who pay interest.
possessive	A possessive word or form. <i>Has he become jealous or possessive.</i>

prehensile	Having a keen intellect- A.T.Quiller-Couch. <i>Poets those gifted strangely prehensile men.</i>
rapacious	Devouring or craving food in great quantities. <i>The rapacious wolf.</i>
ravening	Living by preying on other animals especially by catching living prey. <i>Ravening creditors.</i>
rich	Marked by richness and fullness of flavor. <i>Rich soil.</i>
selfish	(of a person, action, or motive) lacking consideration for other people; concerned chiefly with one's own personal profit or pleasure. <i>I joined them for selfish reasons.</i>
sordid	Morally degraded- Seattle Weekly. <i>A sordid political campaign.</i>
stingy	Deficient in amount or quality or extent. <i>She practices economy without being stingy.</i>
swine	A pig. <i>She had a herd of swine.</i>
unscrupulous	Having or showing no moral principles; not honest or fair. <i>Unscrupulous landlords might be tempted to harass existing tenants.</i>
usury	The action or practice of lending money at unreasonably high rates of interest. <i>The medieval prohibition on usury.</i>
voracious	Engaging in an activity with great eagerness or enthusiasm. <i>A voracious appetite.</i>