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The synonyms of "Avuncular" are: paternal, fatherlike

# Avuncular as an Adjective

#### Definitions of "Avuncular" as an adjective

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "avuncular" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- Resembling a uncle in kindness or indulgence.
- Kind and friendly towards a younger or less experienced person.
- Being or relating to an uncle.
- Relating to the relationship between men and the children of their siblings.

### Synonyms of "Avuncular" as an adjective (2 Words)

fatherlike Like or befitting a father or fatherhood; kind and protective.

paternal Related through the father.

His father and **paternal** grandfather were porcelain painters.

## Usage Examples of "Avuncular" as an adjective

• He was avuncular, reassuring, and trustworthy.



## Associations of "Avuncular" (30 Words)

**amorous** Showing, feeling, or relating to sexual desire.

Feeling **amorous**.

The sister of your father or mother; the wife of your uncle.

She was brought up by her aunt and uncle.

**brother** A male with the same parents as someone else.

*The time is coming* **brother***s for us to act.* 

Relating to physical, especially sexual, needs and activities.

Carnal knowledge.

**copulation** Sexual intercourse.

Males may seek **copulation** with the breeding female.

A person in one's wider extended family, to whom one is not closely related.

Our American cousins.

dad One's father.

His dad was with him.

family

A group of one or more parents and their children living together as a unit.

The **family** refused to accept his will.

Treat with the protective care associated with a father.

Keep the faith of our fore**father**s.

Of or relating to the external sex organs.

genital

The aenital area.

grandparent A parent of one's father or mother; a grandmother or grandfather.

It must be a great blessing to have Chloe's **grandparent**s living nearby.

A heterosexual person someone having a sexual orientation to persons of the

**heterosexual** opposite sex.

**Heterosexual** relationships.

Someone who practices homosexuality having a sexual attraction to persons

**homosexual** of the same sex.

Homosexual desire.

impotence An inability (usually of the male animal) to copulate.

People speak constantly of their social and political **impotence**.

lad A boy or man.

Tony was a bit of a **lad** always had an eye for the women.

male A male person a man or boy.

**Male** unemployment.



**man** All of the living human inhabitants of the earth.

Students were **man**ning the booths.

marital Of or relating to the state of marriage.

**Marital** status.

masculine A masculine word or form.

The **masculine** rhyme of annoy enjoy.

maternal Characteristic of a mother- Dorothy Sayers.

My **maternal** grandfather.

Care for like a mother.

**mother** They are often referred to as the founding **mother**s of the Museum of

Modern Art.

**nephew** A son of your brother or sister.

**niece** A daughter of your brother or sister.

**Paternal** Related through the father.

My elders in the newsroom kept a **paternal** eye on me.

A form of social organization in which a male is the family head and title is

**patriarchy** traced through the male line.

The dominant ideology of **patriarchy**.

A relation between people relationship is often used where relation would

serve as in the relationship between inflation and unemployment but the

**relationship** preferred usage of relationship is for human relations or states of

relatednes.

The landlord tenant **relationship**.

In Christian belief the second person of the Trinity Christ.

The **son**s of Adam.

**testosterone** A potent androgenic hormone produced chiefly by the testes; responsible for

the development of male secondary sex characteristics.

The brother of your father or mother; the husband of your aunt.

He played **uncle** to lonely students.