

Need another word that means the same as “brightness”? Find 7 synonyms and 30 related words for “brightness” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Brightness” are: brightness level, light, luminance, luminosity, luminousness, cleverness, smartness

Brightness as a Noun

Definitions of "Brightness" as a noun

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

- *The quality of being vividly and boldly coloured.*
- *The quality of being intelligent and quick-witted.*
- *Sunny, cloudless weather.*
- *Intelligence as manifested in being quick and witty.*
- *The quality or state of being well lit.*
- *The quality or state of giving out or reflecting light.*
- *The quality of being luminous; emitting or reflecting light.*
- *The location of a visual perception along a continuum from black to white.*
- *Success and happiness.*
- *The quality in sound of being clear, vibrant, and typically high-pitched.*
- *The quality of being cheerful or lively.*



Synonyms of "Brightness" as a noun (7 Words)

brightness level	The location of a visual perception along a continuum from black to white.
cleverness	The quality of being clever; intelligence or shrewdness. <i>The cleverness of her strategy.</i>
light	A traffic light. <i>A light came on in his room.</i>
luminance	The quality of being luminous; emitting or reflecting light.
luminosity	The rate of emission of radiation, visible or otherwise. <i>Altair has ten times the luminosity of the sun.</i>
luminousness	The quality of being luminous; emitting or reflecting light.
<u>smartness</u>	Elegance by virtue of being fashionable. <i>The smartness of the pace soon exhausted him.</i>



Usage Examples of "Brightness" as a noun

- *His mother called to him from the brightness of the kitchen.*
- *The comet's brightness had dimmed.*
- *The brightness of a winter's day.*
- *We can change the brightness of the bulb.*
- *There's so much light and brightness in their faces.*
- *There had been some brightness in her life.*
- *Tone alters the brightness of the sound.*
- *He adds brightness to the dishes by tossing in fresh herbs.*
- *He reminded me of my first son with his brightness and inquisitiveness.*
- *The brightness will linger through Wednesday.*



Associations of "Brightness" (30 Words)

bright

Made smooth and bright by or as if by rubbing reflecting a sheen or glow.

*The **bright** green leaves.*

brighten

Become clear.

*Most of the country should **brighten** up later.*

brightly

In a way that is characterized by having vivid colours.

*A very **brightly** patterned floral jumper.*

brilliance

Exceptional talent or intelligence.

*He s played the stock market with great **brilliance**.*

brilliantly

In an extremely intelligent way.

*The stars shone **brilliantly**.*

burnish

The shine on a highly polished surface.

*To **burnish** copper I would probably use a drill with a pad attached to the end.*

dazzling

Extremely impressive, beautiful, or skilful.

*The sunlight was **dazzling**.*

effulgence	The quality of being bright and sending out rays of light.
enamel	A work of art executed in enamel. <i>A dagger inlaid with bone and enamels.</i>
furbish	Give a fresh look to (something old or shabby); renovate. <i>Old arms duly furbished.</i>
glimmer	A faint or wavering light. <i>There is one glimmer of hope for Becky.</i>
gloss	Apply a glossy substance to. <i>The pebble dash of the walls was glossed white.</i>
glossy	Having a surface made smooth and glossy especially by pressing between rollers. <i>The horse s glossy coat.</i>
lacquer	The sap of the lacquer tree used as a varnish. <i>Rows of peroxide curls rigid with lacquer.</i>
light	Mental understanding as an enlightening experience. <i>A light comedy.</i>
<u>lightness</u>	The trait of being lighthearted and frivolous. <i>The lightness of my skin.</i>
luminescence	Light from nonthermal sources. <i>Honey fungus produces a ghostly greenish luminescence.</i>
luminosity	The quality of being luminous; emitting or reflecting light. <i>Altair has ten times the luminosity of the sun.</i>
luster	A quality that outshines the usual.
opalescence	The visual property of something having a milky brightness and a play of colors from the surface.
phosphorescent	Emitting light without appreciable heat as by slow oxidation of phosphorous. <i>The phosphorescent glow of decaying wood.</i>
polish	A preparation used in polishing. <i>After you and your editor have polished the manuscript the copyeditors read it.</i>
radiance	An attractive combination of good health and happiness. <i>The radiance of the sunset dwindled and died.</i>
radiant	Of an appliance designed to emit radiant energy especially for cooking or heating. <i>He praised her radiant self confidence.</i>

sheen	A soft lustre on a surface. <i>Her black hair sheened in the sun.</i>
shine	Make a surface shine. <i>His shoes were shined to perfection.</i>
shining	Giving out or reflecting bright light. <i>He has set a shining example with his model behaviour.</i>
<u>shiny</u>	Having a shiny surface or coating. <i>Shiny black patents.</i>
<u>twinkle</u>	Gleam or glow intermittently. <i>There s a perpetual twinkle in his eyes.</i>
varnish	Apply varnish to. <i>They varnished over their vices and exaggerated their merit.</i>

