

Need another word that means the same as “chunky”? Find 20 synonyms for “chunky” in this overview.

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Chunky as an Adjective

Definitions of "Chunky" as an adjective

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “chunky” as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- *(of food) containing or formed of chunks or thick pieces.*
- *Like or containing small sticky lumps.*
- *Short and thick; as e.g. having short legs and heavy musculature.*
- *Bulky and thick.*
- *(of a person) short and sturdy.*



Synonyms of "Chunky" as an adjective (20 Words)

beefy	Large and impressively powerful. <i>He shrugged his beefy shoulders.</i>
<u>brawny</u>	Physically strong; muscular. <i>A great brawny brute.</i>
bulky	(of a person) heavily built. <i>A bulky overcoat clad figure.</i>
burly	(of a person) large and strong; heavily built. <i>A big burly man.</i>
dumpy	(of a person) short and stout. <i>A dumpy little dumpling of a woman.</i>
heavy	Large and powerful especially designed for heavy loads or rough work. <i>Heavy hydrogen.</i>
<u>hefty</u>	Of considerable weight and size. <i>He aimed a hefty kick at the door.</i>
low-set	Short and thick; as e.g. having short legs and heavy musculature.
lumpy	Like or containing small sticky lumps. <i>There s a lumpy sea running.</i>
meaty	Full of substance or interest. <i>A meaty discussion.</i>

solid	Of good quality and condition solidly built. <i>He thought he could put himself in solid with you by criticizing her.</i>
squat	Having a low center of gravity; built low to the ground. <i>A little church with a squat tower.</i>
squatty	Short and thick; as e.g. having short legs and heavy musculature. <i>A squatty red smokestack.</i>
stocky	Having a short and solid form or stature. <i>Stocky legs.</i>
stumpy	Short and thick; as e.g. having short legs and heavy musculature. <i>A stumpy ungainly figure.</i>
sturdily built	Not making concessions.
sturdy	(of a person or their body) strongly and solidly built. <i>He had a sturdy muscular physique.</i>
thick	Not thin of a specific thickness or of relatively great extent from one surface to the opposite usually in the smallest of the three solid dimensions. <i>The top was thick with dust.</i>
thickset	(of a person or animal) heavily or solidly built; stocky. <i>A thickset boy with dark greasy hair.</i>
well built	In good health especially after having suffered illness or injury.



Usage Examples of "Chunky" as an adjective

- *The dumplings were chunky pieces of uncooked dough.*
- *A chunky bracelet.*
- *Ramen with chunky pieces of beef, chicken, or pork.*
- *A chunky soup.*
- *A squat, chunky man whose face was stitched by tiny red veins.*

- *Some people seem born to be square and chunky.*

