

Need another word that means the same as “decisive”? Find 11 synonyms and 30 related words for “decisive” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Decisive” are: critical, deciding, conclusive, determining, final, key, resolute, firm, strong-minded, strong-willed, determined**

## Decisive as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Decisive" as an adjective

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

- *Forming or having the nature of a turning point or crisis.*
- *Having or showing the ability to make decisions quickly and effectively.*
- *Settling an issue; producing a definite result.*
- *Unmistakable.*
- *Determining or having the power to determine an outcome.*
- *Characterized by decision and firmness.*



## Synonyms of "Decisive" as an adjective (11 Words)

<b>conclusive</b>	(of evidence or argument) having or likely to have the effect of proving a case; decisive. <i><b>Conclusive</b> proof.</i>
<b>critical</b>	Having a decisive or crucial importance in the success, failure, or existence of something. <i>An illness at the <b>critical</b> stage.</i>
<b>deciding</b>	Having the power or quality of deciding. <i>Cast the <b>deciding</b> vote.</i>
<b>determined</b>	Determined or decided upon as by an authority. <i>A <b>determined</b> effort to reduce inflation.</i>
<b>determining</b>	Causing something to occur or be done in a particular way; serving to decide something. <i>Money may have been the <b>determining</b> factor in his decision.</i>



**final**

Reached or designed to be reached as the outcome of a process or a series of actions and events.

*The **final** chapter.*

**firm**

Marked by firm determination or resolution not shakable.

*A **firm** offer.*

**key**

Of crucial importance.

*She became a **key** figure in the suffragette movement.*

**resolute**

Admirably purposeful, determined, and unwavering.

*He was **resolute** in his fight to uphold liberal values.*

**strong-minded** Having a determined will.

**strong-willed** Having a determined will.

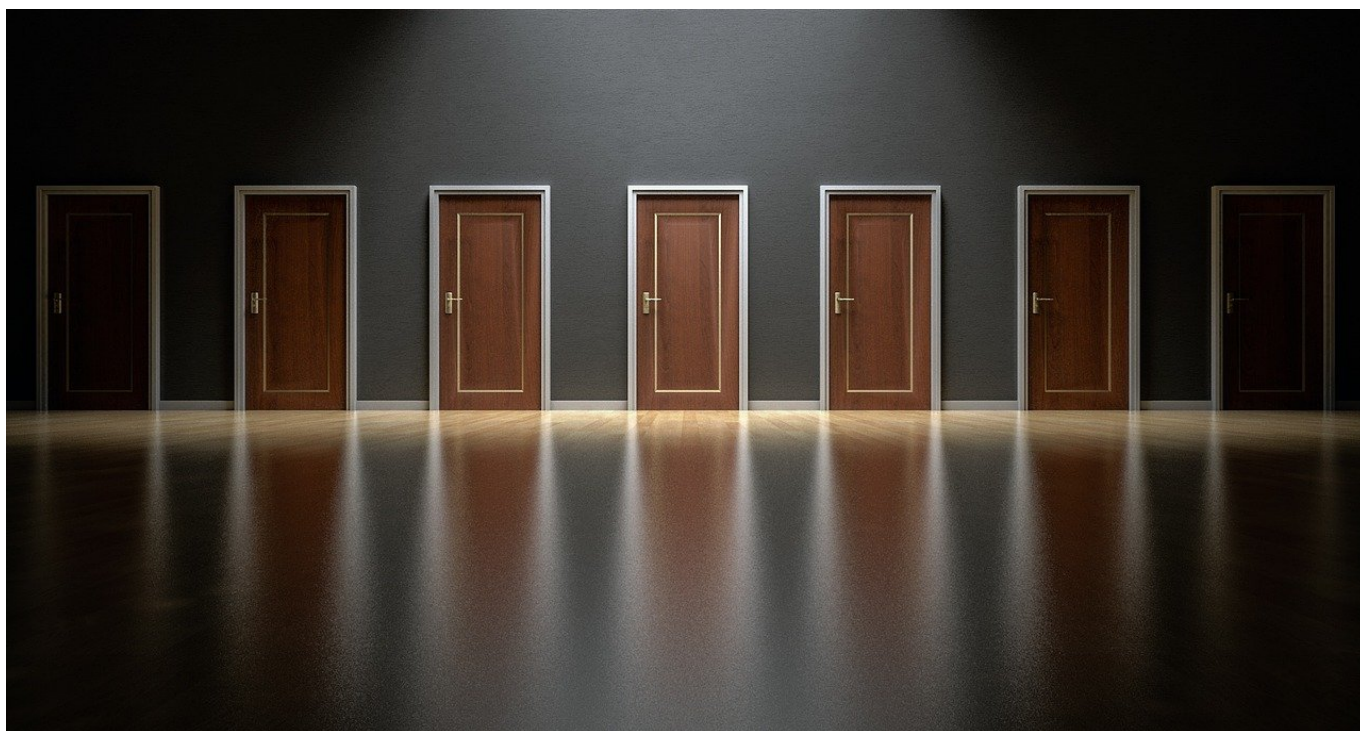


## Usage Examples of "Decisive" as an adjective

- *Had a decisive lead in the polls.*
- *We needed decisive leadership.*
- *She gave him a decisive answer.*



- *Cast the decisive vote.*
- *She had an image of being tough and decisive.*
- *The archers played a decisive part in the victory.*
- *Two factors had a decisive influence.*
- *An able and decisive young woman.*
- *He handled the situation in a calm, decisive way.*
- *A decisive battle.*



## Associations of "Decisive" (30 Words)

**conclude**

Say in conclusion.  
*The talk **concluded** with slides.*

**concluded**

Having come or been brought to a conclusion.

**conclusion**

The end or finish of an event, process, or text.  
*The **conclusion** of World War Two.*

**conclusive**

Forming an end or termination; especially putting an end to doubt or question.  
*A **conclusive** 5 0 win.*

<b>consequent</b>	Following or accompanying as a consequence. <i>The social problems of pupils and their <b>consequent</b> educational difficulties.</i>
<b>crucial</b>	Having crucial relevance. <i>A <b>crucial</b> election.</i>
<b>decide</b>	Cause to decide. <i>I ve <b>decided</b> to stay on a bit.</i>
<b>deciding</b>	Having the power or quality of deciding. <i>Taxes could be the <b>deciding</b> factor for millions of floating voters.</i>
<b>decision</b>	The ability or tendency to make decisions quickly decisiveness. <i>A <b>decision</b> unfavorable to the opposition.</i>
<b>definitive</b>	A definitive postage stamp. <i>The <b>definitive</b> biography of Prince Charles.</i>
<b>determinate</b>	Not continuing to grow indefinitely at the apex. <i><b>Determinate</b> growth.</i>
<b>determinative</b>	One of a limited class of noun modifiers that determine the referents of noun phrases. <i>The <b>determinative</b> or determinant battle.</i>
<b>determine</b>	Find out learn or determine with certainty usually by making an inquiry or other effort. <i>She <b>determined</b> to tackle Stephen the next day.</i>
<b>deterministic</b>	An inevitable consequence of antecedent sufficient causes. <i>A <b>deterministic</b> theory.</i>
<b>ending</b>	The act of ending something. <i>The student has to choose the right plural <b>endings</b>.</i>
<b>final</b>	The final approach of an aircraft to the runway it will be landing on. <i>The World Cup <b>finals</b>.</i>
<b>finale</b>	The temporal end; the concluding time. <i>The <b>finale</b> of Beethoven s Ninth Symphony.</i>
<b>finality</b>	The quality of being final or definitely settled. <i>The <b>finality</b> of death.</i>
<b>finis</b>	The end (printed at the end of a book or shown at the end of a film). <i>The market was up at the <b>finish</b>.</i>
<b>finishing</b>	The act of finishing. <i>The speaker s <b>finishing</b> was greeted with applause.</i>
<b>important</b>	Important in effect or meaning. <i>An <b>important</b> senator.</i>

<b>ineluctable</b>	Unable to be resisted or avoided; inescapable. <i>The <b>ineluctable</b> facts of history.</i>
<b><u>integral</u></b>	The result of a mathematical integration $F(x)$ is the integral of $f(x)$ if $dF/dx = f(x)$ . <i>A local motion keepeth bodies <b>integral</b>.</i>
<b>last</b>	The last person or thing the one occurring mentioned or acting after all others. <i>The <b>last</b> time I saw Paris.</i>
<b>momentous</b>	Of great importance or significance, especially in having a bearing on future events. <i>A <b>momentous</b> decision.</i>
<b>outcome</b>	A phenomenon that follows and is caused by some previous phenomenon. <i>It is the <b>outcome</b> of the vote that counts.</i>
<b>resolve</b>	Find the solution. <i>The firm aims to <b>resolve</b> problems within 30 days.</i>
<b>result</b>	Produce as a result or residue. <i>The <b>results</b> are evaluated by the researcher.</i>
<b>solution</b>	A homogeneous mixture of two or more substances frequently but not necessarily a liquid solution. <i>An internet marketing firm specializing in e commerce <b>solutions</b>.</i>
<b>termination</b>	The act of ending something. <i>Workers were informed of the <b>terminations</b> on Wednesday.</i>

