

Need another word that means the same as "devouring"? Find 3 synonyms and 30 related words for "devouring" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Devouring" are: avid, esurient, greedy

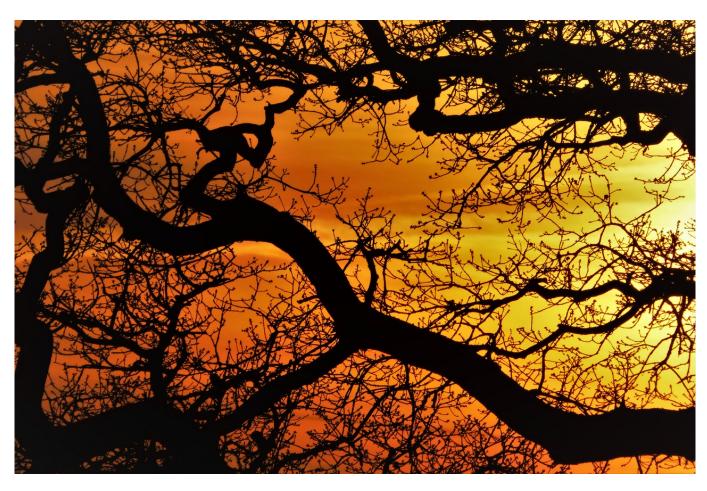
## Devouring as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Devouring" as an adjective

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "devouring" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- (of an unpleasant feeling) totally absorbing.
- (often followed by `for') ardently or excessively desirous.
- Eating food or prey hungrily or quickly.
- (of fire or a similar force) destructively consuming.





## Synonyms of "Devouring" as an adjective (3 Words)

Ardently or excessively desirous. avid An avid ambition to succeed.

Having an excessive desire or appetite for food. greedy

**Greedy** for money and power.



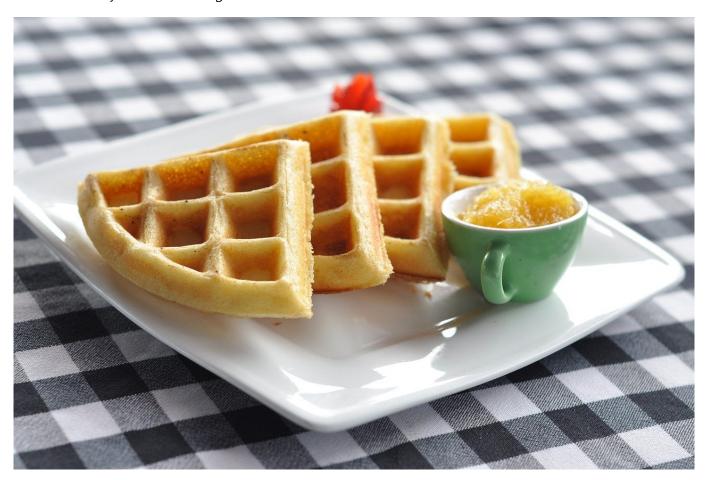


Usage Examples of "Devouring" as an adjective

• Fierce devouring affection.



- A devouring sense of loneliness.
- Before him is a devouring fire.
- The wolf is a devouring beast.



# Associations of "Devouring" (30 Words)

**beverage** Any liquid suitable for drinking. *May I take your beverage order.* 

A meal set out on a buffet at which guests help themselves.

A cold **buffet** lunch.

**chomp** The act of gripping or chewing off with the teeth and jaws.

She chomped on a roll.

A substance or mixture obtained by digestion.

The government **digest**ed the entire law into a code.

**diner** A restaurant that resembles a dining car.



Drink excessive amounts of alcohol be an alcoholic. drink

The mother **drink**s in every word of her son on the stage.

With eagerness; in an eager manner. <u>eagerly</u>

Original illustrations are **eagerly** sought by collectors.

Eat a meal take a meal.

eat These make great party eats.

A substance used to alter or enhance the taste of food or drink a flavouring. flavour

The faint exasperation that had **flavour**ed her tone.

A substance that can be used or prepared for use as food. foodstuff

Rationing of staple **foodstuff**s was introduced.

An excessively greedy eater. glutton

He s a **glutton** for adventure.

Eat (something) hurriedly and noisily. gobble

He **gobble**d up the rest of his sandwich.

**gourmand** A person who enjoys eating and often eats too much.

An act of gulping food or drink. gulp He finished it at a single **qulp**.

Take (gas, light or heat) into a solution.

imbibe

If one does not **imbibe** the culture one cannot succeed.

Take up mentally. <u>ingest</u>

Lead will poison anyone if enough is **ingest**ed.

A chocolate with a liqueur filling. liqueur

A box of **liqueurs**.

Sever or remove by pinching or snipping. nip *I m just nipping down to the Post Office.* 

Overeat or eat immodestly make a pig of oneself. overeat

If your friends **overeat** you re more likely to **overeat** too.

Drink (something, especially an alcoholic drink) heartily. quaff

Porter is a dark malty quaff.

An act of guenching a very hot substance.

**quench** He only pursued her to **quench** an aching need.

Excessively greedy and grasping.

ravening Ravening wolves.

Derive or receive pleasure from; get enjoyment from; take pleasure in.

savor **Savor** the soup.

Drink in sips.

sip She took a **sip** of the red wine.



slake Satisfy (thirst.

Restaurants worked to **slake** the Italian obsession with food.

**slurp** A mouthful of liquid drunk with a loud sucking sound.

He **slurp**ed noisily from a wine glass.

Take solid or liquid food into the mouth a little at a time either by drinking or

**sup** by eating with a spoon.

The latest **sup** from those blokes at the brewery.

**swallow** The act of swallowing.

He downed his drink in one **swallow**.

tang

Any of various kelps especially of the genus Laminaria.

The clean salty **tang** of the sea.

thirst A feeling of needing or wanting to drink something.

A **thirst** for knowledge.

