

Need another word that means the same as “diligence”? Find 18 synonyms and 30 related words for “diligence” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Diligence” are: industriousness, industry, application, conscientiousness, assiduousness, assiduity, rigour, rigorousness, punctiliousness, meticulousness, carefulness, thoroughness, sedulousness, attentiveness, heedfulness, earnestness, intentness, studiousness

Diligence as a Noun

Definitions of "Diligence" as a noun

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

- *Persevering determination to perform a task.*
- *Conscientiousness in paying proper attention to a task; giving the degree of care required in a given situation.*
- *Careful and persistent work or effort.*
- *A diligent effort.*



Synonyms of "Diligence" as a noun (18 Words)

application	The action of applying something to a surface. <i>The application of indexes to tables of data.</i>
assiduity	Constant or close attention to what one is doing. <i>The assiduity with which he could wear down his opponents.</i>
assiduousness	Great and constant diligence and attention.
<u>attentiveness</u>	The action of paying close attention to something. <i>Half the children who ate the cereal showed no improvement in attentiveness.</i>
carefulness	The trait of being cautious; being attentive to possible danger. <i>I admired the carefulness of his work.</i>
conscientiousness	The trait of being painstaking and careful. <i>His conscientiousness is second to none and he regularly makes follow up calls to ensure everything is going well.</i>
earnestness	An earnest and sincere feeling. <i>The deadly earnestness of the conversation.</i>
heedfulness	The trait of staying aware of (paying close attention to) your responsibilities.
industriousness	Persevering determination to perform a task.
industry	Economic activity concerned with the processing of raw materials and manufacture of goods in factories. <i>American industry is making increased use of computers to control production.</i>
intentness	The quality of being intent and concentrated. <i>The intentness of his gaze.</i>
meticulousness	Strict attention to minute details.
punctiliousness	Strict attention to minute details.
rigorousness	Something hard to endure.
rigour	Something hard to endure. <i>The rigours of a harsh winter.</i>
sedulousness	The quality of being constantly diligent and attentive.
studiousness	Diligent study.
thoroughness	Great care and attention to detail. <i>His scholarship was marked by thoroughness and accuracy.</i>



Usage Examples of "Diligence" as a noun

- *Few party members challenge his diligence as an MP.*
- *His diligence won him quick promotions.*



Associations of "Diligence" (30 Words)

assiduity	Constant attentions to someone. <i>The assiduity with which he could wear down his opponents.</i>
<u>assiduous</u>	Showing great care and perseverance. <i>She was assiduous in pointing out every feature.</i>
changeless	Remaining the same. <i>Changeless truths.</i>
conscientious	Guided by or in accordance with conscience or sense of right and wrong. <i>A conscientious man he took his duties very seriously.</i>
constant	A quantity or parameter that does not change its value whatever the value of the variables, under a given set of conditions. <i>Constant as the northern star.</i>
constantly	Continuously over a period of time; always. <i>Constantly kind and gracious.</i>
<u>continually</u>	Seemingly without interruption. <i>This information is continually updated.</i>
diligent	Having or showing care and conscientiousness in one's work or duties. <i>A diligent or patient worker.</i>
eager	A high wave (often dangerous) caused by tidal flow (as by colliding tidal currents or in a narrow estuary). <i>Eager for success.</i>
<u>enterprising</u>	Marked by imagination, initiative, and readiness to undertake new projects. <i>An enterprising foreign policy.</i>
equable	Not easily irritated. <i>He could look sterner than his equable temperament would suggest.</i>
hardworking	Characterized by hard work and perseverance.
indefatigable	Showing sustained enthusiastic action with unflagging vitality. <i>An indefatigable defender of human rights.</i>
<u>industrious</u>	Working hard to promote an enterprise. <i>An industrious people striving to make their country prosperous.</i>
inexhaustible	(of an amount or supply of something) unable to be used up because existing in abundance. <i>An inexhaustible supply of coal.</i>
invariable	(of a noun in an inflected language) having the same form in both the singular and the plural, as does <i>relais</i> in French. <i>His routine was invariable.</i>

<u>meticulous</u>	Marked by precise accordance with details. <i>The designs are hand glazed with meticulous care.</i>
<u>painstaking</u>	Done with or employing great care and thoroughness. <i>Painstaking</i> attention to detail.
<u>plodding</u>	Slow-moving and unexciting. <i>Plodding</i> methodical Ralph Bellamy.
<u>scrupulous</u>	(of a person or process) careful, thorough, and extremely attentive to details. <i>Scrupulous</i> attention to details.
<u>sedulous</u>	(of a person or action) showing dedication and diligence. <i>Sedulous</i> pursuit of legal and moral principles.
<u>steadily</u>	In a controlled or unwavering manner. <i>He could still walk steadily.</i>
<u>steady</u>	Support or hold steady and make steadfast with or as if with a brace. <i>Sales remain steady.</i>
<u>striving</u>	An effortful attempt to attain a goal.
<u>studious</u>	Spending a lot of time studying or reading. <i>He made a studious inspection of the buffet.</i>
<u>tireless</u>	Having or showing great effort or energy. <i>A tireless campaigner.</i>
<u>unchanging</u>	Showing little if any change. <i>The party stood for unchanging principles.</i>
<u>unflagging</u>	Showing sustained enthusiastic action with unflagging vitality. <i>His apparently unflagging enthusiasm impressed her.</i>
<u>unwavering</u>	Not wavering; steady or resolute. <i>Unwavering</i> loyalty.
<u>working</u>	Engaged in manual labour. <i>His working title for the book was Why People Are Poor.</i>

