

Need another word that means the same as “diverting”? Find 20 synonyms and 30 related words for “diverting” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Diverting” are: amusing, amusive, entertaining, fun, enjoyable, pleasurable, pleasing, pleasant, agreeable, delightful, appealing, beguiling, captivating, engaging, interesting, fascinating, intriguing, absorbing, riveting, compelling

Diverting as an Adjective

Definitions of "Diverting" as an adjective

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

- *Entertaining or amusing.*
- *Providing enjoyment; pleasantly entertaining.*



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

- absorbing** Intensely interesting; engrossing.
*An **absorbing** account of their marriage.*
- agreeable** Willing to agree to something.
*A compromise which might be **agreeable** to both coal owners and unions.*
- amusing** Causing laughter and providing entertainment.
*An **amusing** fellow.*
- amusive** Providing enjoyment; pleasantly entertaining.
- appealing** Attractive or interesting.
*An **appealing** look.*
- beguiling** Charming or enchanting, often in a deceptive way.
*A **beguiling** mixture of English French and Italian.*
- captivating** Capturing interest as if by a spell.
*Roosevelt was a **captivating** speaker.*

<u>compelling</u>	Not able to be refuted; inspiring conviction. <i>There is compelling evidence that the recession is ending.</i>
<u>delightful</u>	Greatly pleasing or entertaining. <i>A delightful secluded garden.</i>
engaging	Attracting or delighting. <i>An engaging frankness.</i>
enjoyable	Affording satisfaction or pleasure. <i>The company was enjoyable.</i>
<u>entertaining</u>	Agreeably diverting. <i>Films should be entertaining.</i>
<u>fascinating</u>	Extremely interesting. <i>A fascinating story.</i>
fun	Amusing, entertaining, or enjoyable. <i>A school fun day.</i>
interesting	Arousing curiosity or interest; holding or catching the attention. <i>It will be very interesting to see what they come up with.</i>
intriguing	Disturbingly provocative. <i>An intriguing story.</i>
<u>pleasant</u>	Giving a sense of happy satisfaction or enjoyment. <i>We had a pleasant evening together.</i>
pleasing	Satisfying or appealing. <i>The pleasing austerity of the surroundings.</i>
<u>pleasurable</u>	Affording satisfaction or pleasure. <i>Pleasurable activities.</i>
<u>riveting</u>	Completely engrossing; compelling. <i>The book is a riveting account of the legendary freedom fighter.</i>



Usage Examples of "Diverting" as an adjective

- *Fans of these actors will find this book a diverting read.*
- *It's not great television, but I found it pleasantly diverting.*
- *A diverting story.*



Associations of "Diverting" (30 Words)

- amusing** Providing enjoyment; pleasantly entertaining.
*Such a likeable **amusing** man.*
- badinage** Humorous or witty conversation.
*He developed a nice line in **badinage** with the Labour leader.*
- buffoonery** Acting like a clown or buffoon.
*The film is full of wordplay and **buffoonery**.*
- comic** A professional performer who tells jokes and performs comical acts.
*A **comic** actor.*
- comical** Amusing, especially in a ludicrous or absurd way.
*A series of **comical** misunderstandings.*
- droll** Curious or unusual in a way that provokes dry amusement.
*His unique brand of **droll** self mockery.*

entertaining	Agreeably diverting. <i>An entertaining puppet show.</i>
exciting	Causing great enthusiasm and eagerness. <i>An exciting account of her trip.</i>
exhilaration	A feeling of excitement, happiness, or elation. <i>They felt the exhilaration of victory.</i>
fun	A source of fun. <i>It was a fun evening.</i>
funny	Slightly but undefinably unwell. <i>A funny story.</i>
hilarious	Extremely amusing. <i>Hilarious broad comedy.</i>
humor	The trait of appreciating and being able to express the humorous. <i>She didn't appreciate my humor.</i>
humorous	Having or showing a sense of humour. <i>Humorous stories.</i>
interesting	Arousing curiosity or interest; holding or catching the attention. <i>An interesting debate.</i>
jesting	Characterized by jokes and good humor. <i>Laughing and jesting were out of the question.</i>
jocose	Playful or humorous. <i>A jocose allusion.</i>
jocular	Characterized by jokes and good humor. <i>His voice was jocular.</i>
kicking	An assault in which the victim is kicked repeatedly. <i>The team's kicking was excellent.</i>
laughable	Arousing or provoking laughter. <i>If it didn't make me so angry it would be laughable.</i>
laughing	Showing or feeling mirth or pleasure or happiness. <i>Laughing children.</i>
ludicrous	Broadly or extravagantly humorous; resembling farce. <i>Ludicrous green hair.</i>
quirky	(informal) strikingly unconventional. <i>Her sense of humour was decidedly quirky.</i>
repartee	Conversation or speech characterized by quick, witty comments or replies. <i>He had a quick mind and a splendid gift of repartee.</i>

- ridiculous** Deserving or inviting derision or mockery; absurd.
*Her conceited assumption of universal interest in her rather dull children was **ridiculous**.*
- risible** Arousing or provoking laughter.
***Risible** courtroom antics.*
- slapstick** Characterized by horseplay and physical action.
*A loud and exhilarating rattle of bladders and **slapsticks**.*
- waggish** Witty or joking- James Fenimore Cooper.
*A **waggish** riposte.*
- witticism** A witty remark.
*Maurice roared with laughter at his own **witticisms**.*
- witty** Combining clever conception and facetious expression.
*A **witty** remark.*

