

Need another word that means the same as “dogmatic”? Find 26 synonyms and 30 related words for “dogmatic” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Dogmatic” are: dogmatical, opinionated, peremptory, assertive, imperative, insistent, emphatic, adamant, doctrinaire, authoritarian, authoritative, domineering, imperious, high-handed, pontifical, arrogant, overbearing, dictatorial, uncompromising, unyielding, unbending, inflexible, rigid, entrenched, unquestionable, unchallengeable

Dogmatic as an Adjective

Definitions of "Dogmatic" as an adjective

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

- *Characterized by assertion of unproved or unprovable principles.*
- *Inclined to lay down principles as undeniably true.*
- *Relating to or involving dogma.*
- *Of or pertaining to or characteristic of a doctrine or code of beliefs accepted as authoritative.*



Synonyms of "Dogmatic" as an adjective (26 Words)

adamant

Impervious to pleas, persuasion, requests, reason- W.Churchill.
*He is **adamant** in his refusal to change his mind.*

arrogant

Having or revealing an exaggerated sense of one's own importance or abilities.
*He s **arrogant** and opinionated.*

assertive

Having or showing a confident and forceful personality.
*Pointing directly at a listener is an **assertive** act.*

authoritarian

Favouring or enforcing strict obedience to authority at the expense of personal freedom.
*An **authoritarian** regime.*

authoritative

Having authority or ascendancy or influence.
*His voice was calm and **authoritative**.*

dictatorial

Of or characteristic of a dictator.
*A **dictatorial** regime.*

doctrinaire	Seeking to impose a doctrine in all circumstances without regard to practical considerations. <i>The administration s doctrinaire economic policy.</i>
dogmatical	Characterized by assertion of unproved or unprovable principles.
domineering	Tending to domineer. <i>How can I do my job with a domineering boss yelling in my ear.</i>
<u>emphatic</u>	(of certain Arabic consonants) pronounced with both dental articulation and constriction of the pharynx. <i>An emphatic no.</i>
<u>entrenched</u>	(of an attitude, habit, or belief) firmly established and difficult or unlikely to change; ingrained. <i>An entrenched resistance to change.</i>
high-handed	Given to haughty disregard of others.
<u>imperative</u>	Relating to verbs in the imperative mood. <i>Immediate action was imperative.</i>
imperious	Having or showing arrogant superiority to and disdain of those one views as unworthy. <i>His imperious demands.</i>
inflexible	Not able to be changed or adapted to particular circumstances. <i>Inflexible rules.</i>
<u>insistent</u>	Demanding attention- H.L.Mencken. <i>She was very insistent that I call her.</i>
opinionated	Obstinate in your opinions. <i>An arrogant and opinionated man.</i>
<u>overbearing</u>	Expecting unquestioning obedience. <i>Insufferably overbearing behavior toward the waiter.</i>
peremptory	Insisting on immediate attention or obedience, especially in a brusquely imperious way. <i>Spoke in peremptory tones.</i>
pontifical	Denoting or governed by or relating to a bishop or bishops. <i>A pontifical commission.</i>
rigid	Not adaptable in outlook, belief, or response. <i>A table made of rigid plastic.</i>
unbending	Reserved, formal, or strict in one's behaviour or attitudes; austere and inflexible. <i>An unbending will to dominate.</i>

unchallengeable	Not open to challenge. <i>A position of unchallengeable supremacy.</i>
uncompromising	Not making concessions. <i>The uncompromising ugliness of the era's buildings.</i>
unquestionable	Not able to be disputed or doubted. <i>His musicianship is unquestionable.</i>
unyielding	Stubbornly unyielding T S Eliot. <i>The Atlantic hurled its waves at the unyielding rocks.</i>

Usage Examples of "Dogmatic" as an adjective

- *She was not tempted to be dogmatic about what she believed.*

Associations of "Dogmatic" (30 Words)

ascendancy	Occupation of a position of dominant power or influence. <i>The poor have a moral ascendancy over the rich.</i>
authority	A person or organization having political or administrative power and control. <i>He hit the ball with authority.</i>
cavalier	A gallant or courtly gentleman. <i>Anne was irritated by his cavalier attitude.</i>
centralize	Bring (activities or processes) together in one place. <i>A firm may centralize some of its administrative accounting and marketing activities.</i>
commanding	(of a place or position) dominating from above; giving a wide view of an area. <i>A commanding view of the ocean.</i>
confirm	Administer the rite of confirmation to. <i>Two recent experiences have confirmed me in this view.</i>
coordinator	Someone whose task is to see that work goes harmoniously. <i>A full time coordinator was appointed to oversee the referral process.</i>
dictator	(in ancient Rome) a chief magistrate with absolute power, appointed in an emergency. <i>My boss is a dictator who makes everyone work overtime.</i>

<u>dominance</u>	The predominance of one or more species in a plant or animal community. <i>All had in conformity with the principle of dominance round seeds with yellow cotyledons.</i>
dominate	Look down on. <i>A picturesque city dominated by the cathedral tower.</i>
dominated	Harassed by persistent nagging.
domineer	Rule or exercise power over (somebody) in a cruel and autocratic manner. <i>She doesn't domineer preferring to lead by inspiration rather than by intimidation.</i>
domineering	Tending to domineer. <i>How can I do my job with a domineering boss yelling in my ear.</i>
imperious	Having or showing arrogant superiority to and disdain of those one views as unworthy. <i>His imperious demands.</i>
jurisdiction	(law) the right and power to interpret and apply the law. <i>Several different tax jurisdictions.</i>
legislative	Relating to a legislature or composed of members of a legislature. <i>Legislative proposals.</i>
mighty	(Southern regional intensive) very; to a great degree. <i>Struck a mighty blow.</i>
<u>oppressive</u>	Inflicting harsh and authoritarian treatment. <i>Oppressive sorrows.</i>
potency	Capacity to produce strong physiological or chemical effects. <i>The toxin's potency.</i>
potentate	A ruler who is unconstrained by law.
predominate	Have or exert control or power. <i>Hispanics predominate in this neighborhood.</i>
prescriptive	Relating to the imposition or enforcement of a rule or method. <i>For her own mother she felt no more than a prescriptive affection.</i>
<u>prevail</u>	Be widespread or current in a particular area or at a particular time. <i>She was prevailed upon to give an account of her work.</i>
puissant	Having great power or influence. <i>He would become a puissant man.</i>
reassert	Assert again. <i>He moved quickly to reassert his control.</i>

- reign** The period during which a monarch is sovereign.
*He was helpless under the **reign** of his egotism.*
- ruler** A person who rules or commands.
- superintendence** The management or arrangement of an activity or organization;
supervision.
*Under his vigilant **superintendence** a building was erected.*
- supremacy** The state or condition of being superior to all others in authority, power,
or status.
*The **supremacy** of the king.*