

Need another word that means the same as "eccentric"? Find 33 synonyms and 30 related words for "eccentric" in this overview.

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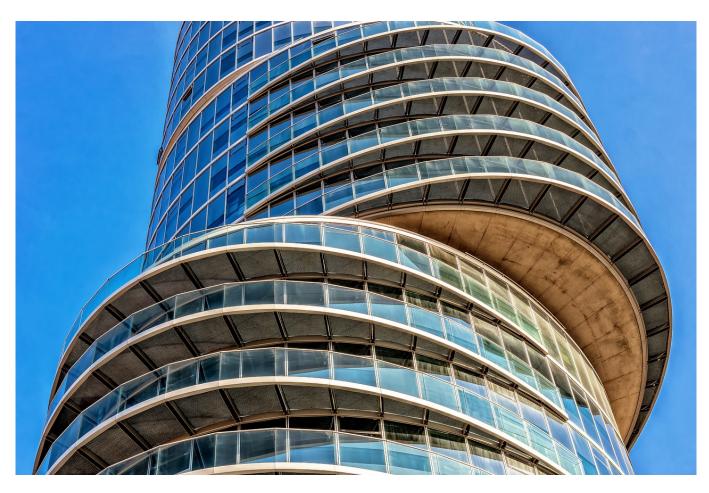
Eccentric as a Noun

Definitions of "Eccentric" as a noun

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "eccentric" as a noun can have the following definitions:

- A person of a specified kind (usually with many eccentricities.
- A person of unconventional and slightly strange views or behaviour.
- A person with an unusual or odd personality.
- A disc or wheel mounted eccentrically on a revolving shaft in order to transform rotation into backward-and-forward motion, e.g. a cam in an internal combustion engine.





Synonyms of "Eccentric" as a noun (12 Words)

An agreed summary of the facts relating to a legal case drawn up for

review or decision on a point of law by a higher court.

A case of mistaken identity.

A characteristic property that defines the apparent individual nature of

character something.

case

Requests for **character** references are all too often answered evasively.

eccentric person A person with an unusual or odd personality.

flake A snowflake.

He licked the **flake**s of croissant off his finger.

free spirit People who are free.

geek A person with an unusual or odd personality.

A computer **geek**.

individual A single human being as distinct from a group.

They live in a group or as **individual**s depending on the species.



oddball

An advocate of a social theory favouring freedom of action for

individualist individuals over collective or state control.

Radical **individualist**s committed to quality of life.

Something that does not fit or that fits badly. *A motley collection of social misfits.*

A strange or eccentric person.

She was seen as a bit of an **oddball**.

oddity Eccentricity that is not easily explained.

Realizing the **oddity** of the remark he retracted it.

type Metal types used in letterpress printing.

He dropped a case of **type** so they made him pick them up.



Usage Examples of "Eccentric" as a noun

- He's seen as a local eccentric.
- A friendly eccentric.







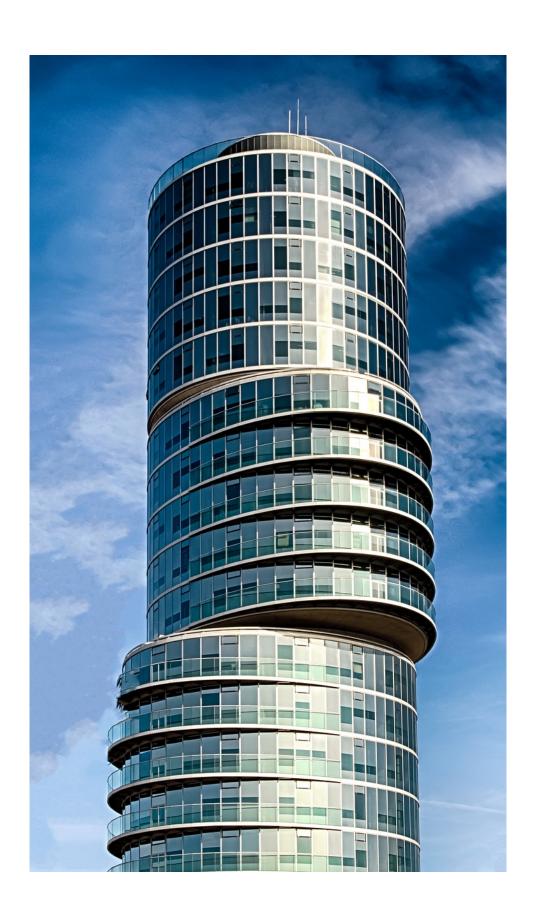
Eccentric as an Adjective

Definitions of "Eccentric" as an adjective

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

- Conspicuously or grossly unconventional or unusual.
- Not placed centrally or not having its axis or other part placed centrally.
- Not having a common center; not concentric.
- (of a person or their behaviour) unconventional and slightly strange.
- (of an orbit) not circular.
- (of a circle) not centred on the same point as another.







Synonyms of "Eccentric" as an adjective (21 Words)

Markedly different from an accepted norm. aberrant

Aberrant behavior.

Much greater than the normal. abnormal

Abnormal powers of concentration.

Deviating from what is standard, normal, or expected. anomalous

Advanced forms of life may be **anomalous** in the universe.

Conspicuously or grossly unconventional or unusual. bizarre

Restaurants of **bizarre** design one like a hat another like a rabbit.

(of an official) serving an unusual or special function in addition to those

of the regular officials. extraordinary

An ambassador **extraordinary**.

flakey Conspicuously or grossly unconventional or unusual.

Breaking or separating easily into flakes. <u>flaky</u>

She ate **flaky** rolls spread with cherry jam.

Characteristic of a freak. freakish

A **freakish** combination of styles.

Very odd, strange, or eccentric. freaky

The whole experience was really **freaky**.

Conspicuously or grossly unconventional or unusual. gonzo

The woman was either **qonzo** or stoned.

Lacking continuity or regularity. irregular

Irregular hiring practices.

nonconcentric Not having a common center; not concentric.

Of the remaining member of a pair, of socks e.g. odd

When you ve got an **odd** five minutes could I have a word.

Looking or sounding bizarre or unfamiliar. outlandish

Three wise **outlandish** kings.

Conspicuously or grossly unconventional or unusual. outre

Outre and affected stage antics.

Different to what is normal or expected; strange. peculiar

A **peculiar** hobby of stuffing and mounting bats.

Unusual or surprising; difficult to understand or explain. strange

What a **strange** sense of humor she has.



Marked by an uncommon quality especially superlative or extreme of its

kind. uncommon

Uncommon birds.

unconventional Not conventional or conformist.

His unconventional approach to life.

Suggesting the operation of supernatural influences. weird



Usage Examples of "Eccentric" as an adjective

- Eccentric circles.
- He noted her eccentric appearance.



- Famed for his eccentric spelling.
- A servo driving an eccentric cam.



Associations of "Eccentric" (30 Words)

An abnormal physical condition resulting from defective genes or abnormality

developmental deficiencies.

Miscarriage can be caused by fetal **abnormality**.

A person who is unusual. **anomaly**

The position abounds in **anomaly**.

Wearing, or having the face adorned with, eyeglasses or an eyeglass. bespectacled

She was thin and **bespectacled**.



bizarre Conspicuously or grossly unconventional or unusual.

His behaviour became more and more bizarre.

canard An unfounded rumour or story.

The old **canard** that LA is a cultural wasteland.

deviation Deviate behavior.

Deviation from a norm.

electrocardiogram A graphical recording of the cardiac cycle produced by an

electrocardiograph.

exception A deliberate act of omission.

With the **exception** of the children everyone was told the news.

flamboyant Marked by ostentation but often tasteless.

The band s **flamboyant** lead singer.

The weaker part of a sword's blade from the forte to the tip.

They have to tolerate each other's little **foible**s.

geek A carnival performer who does disgusting acts.

A computer **geek**.

goofyLudicrous, foolish.
Wore a **goofy** hat.

A person who pursues independent thought or action.

Selfish **individualist**s thinking only of themselves.

inept Not elegant or graceful in expression.

An **inept** remark.

The state or quality of being irregular.

irregularity There is evidence that fraud and **irregularity** continue on a large

scale.

mayerick An unorthodox or independent-minded person.

A **maverick** detective.

A foolish or contemptible person who lacks social skills or is boringly

studious.

It s my one time of year to really **nerd** out with my G I Joe collector

friends.

Not conforming to established customs or doctrines especially in

nonconformist religion.

She was a **nonconformist** an individualist.

Separated from a usual pair or set and therefore out of place or

odd mismatched.

He s wearing **odd** socks.



offbeat Any of the normally unaccented beats in a bar.

The answer sums up his **offbeat** skewed vision of the world.

outcastA person who is rejected (from society or home.

She went from trusted pal to ostracized **outcast** overnight.

outlandish Looking or sounding bizarre or unfamiliar.

Three wise **outlandish** kings.

quirky (informal) strikingly unconventional.

Her sense of humour was decidedly quirky.

silly Lacking seriousness; given to frivolity.

Silly giggles.

strange Unaccustomed to or unfamiliar with.

I am **strange** to the work.

unconventional Not conforming to legality, moral law, or social convention.

Her **unconventional** dress and hair style.

unorthodox Contrary to what is usual, traditional, or accepted; not orthodox.

An **unorthodox** lifestyle.

Remarkable or interesting because different from or better than

others.

unusual

The government has taken the unusual step of calling home its

ambassador.

witty Combining clever conception and facetious expression.

A **witty** remark.

A zany person.

A zany sense of humor.



