

Need another word that means the same as “ego”? Find 13 synonyms and 30 related words for “ego” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Ego” are: egotism, self-importance, self, self-esteem, self-worth, self-respect, self-confidence, subconscious mind, subconscious, unconscious mind, psyche, superego, id**

## Ego as a Noun

### Definitions of "Ego" as a noun

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

- *The conscious mind.*
- *A person's sense of self-esteem or self-importance.*
- *An inflated feeling of pride in your superiority to others.*
- *Your consciousness of your own identity.*
- *The part of the mind that mediates between the conscious and the unconscious and is responsible for reality testing and a sense of personal identity.*
- *(in metaphysics) a conscious thinking subject.*
- *(psychoanalysis) the conscious mind.*



## Synonyms of "Ego" as a noun (13 Words)

<b>egotism</b>	An exaggerated opinion of your own importance. <i>In his arrogance and <b>egotism</b> he underestimated Gill.</i>
<b>id</b>	A card or badge used to identify the bearer. <i>The conflict between the drives of the <b>id</b> and the demands of the cultural superego.</i>
<a href="#"><u>psyche</u></a>	The human soul, mind, or spirit. <i>How does constant losing affect the <b>psyches</b> of young athletes.</i>
<a href="#"><u>self</u></a>	Used ironically to refer to oneself or someone else. <i>Language is an aspect of a person's sense of <b>self</b>.</i>
<b>self-confidence</b>	Freedom from doubt; belief in yourself and your abilities.
<b>self-esteem</b>	A feeling of pride in yourself.
<b>self-importance</b>	An exaggerated opinion of your own importance.
<b>self-respect</b>	The quality of being worthy of esteem or respect.

**self-worth**

The quality of being worthy of esteem or respect.

**subconscious**

The subconscious part of the mind not in technical use in psychoanalysis where unconscious is preferred.

*Uncertainties were lurking around the edge of her **subconscious**.*

**subconscious mind** Psychic activity just below the level of awareness.

**superego**

The part of a person's mind that acts as a self-critical conscience, reflecting social standards learned from parents and teachers.

*True schizophrenias lack the **superego** elements present in paranoia.*

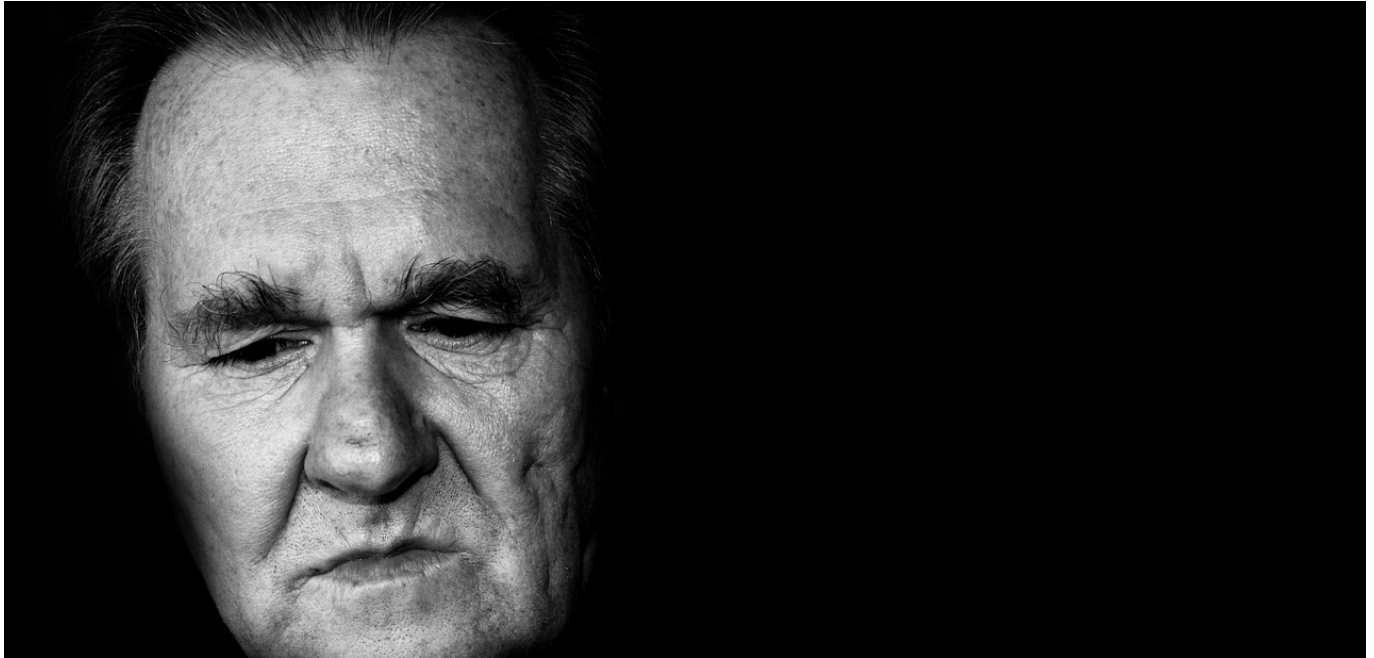
**unconscious mind**

That part of the mind wherein psychic activity takes place of which the person is unaware.



**Usage Examples of "Ego" as a noun**

- *He needed a boost to his ego.*



## Associations of "Ego" (30 Words)

<b>arrogance</b>	The quality of being arrogant. <i>The <b>arrogance</b> of this man is astounding.</i>
<b>centered</b>	Being or placed in the center.
<b>clannish</b>	Befitting or characteristic of those who incline to social exclusiveness and who rebuff the advances of people considered inferior. <i><b>Clannish</b> loyalty.</i>
<b>conceit</b>	The trait of being unduly vain and conceited false pride. <i>The director s brilliant <b>conceit</b> was to film this tale in black and white.</i>
<b>conceited</b>	Characteristic of false pride; having an exaggerated sense of self-importance. <i>Fred s so <b>conceited</b> he d never believe anyone would refuse him.</i>
<b>covetousness</b>	An envious eagerness to possess something.
<b>egocentric</b>	An egocentric person. <i><b>Egocentric</b> spatial perception.</i>
<b>egocentrism</b>	Concern for your own interests and welfare.
<b>egoism</b>	(ethics) the theory that the pursuit of your own welfare in the basis of morality.
<b>egoist</b>	A conceited and self-centered person.

<b>egotism</b>	An inflated feeling of pride in your superiority to others. <i>In his arrogance and <b>egotism</b> he underestimated Gill.</i>
<b>egotist</b>	A person who is excessively conceited or absorbed in themselves; a self-seeker. <i>He is a self absorbed <b>egotist</b>.</i>
<b><u>emptiness</u></b>	The quality of having no value or purpose; futility. <i>Feelings of <b>emptiness</b> and loneliness.</i>
<b>greed</b>	Excessive desire to acquire or possess more (especially more material wealth) than one needs or deserves. <i>Mercenaries who had allowed <b>greed</b> to overtake their principles.</i>
<b>haughtiness</b>	Overbearing pride evidenced by a superior manner toward inferiors. <i>Her air of <b>haughtiness</b>.</i>
<b>hedonism</b>	The ethical theory that pleasure (in the sense of the satisfaction of desires) is the highest good and proper aim of human life.
<b><u>hubris</u></b>	Overbearing pride or presumption. <i>The self assured <b>hubris</b> among economists was shaken in the late 1980s.</i>
<b>independent</b>	An independent political candidate. <i>Treating each factory as an <b>independent</b> unit of production.</i>
<b>individual</b>	Concerning one person exclusively. <i>Boat trips for parties and <b>individuals</b>.</i>
<b>individualism</b>	Self-centred feeling or conduct; egoism. <i>A culture that celebrates <b>individualism</b> and wealth.</i>
<b>individualist</b>	Marked by or expressing individuality. <i><b>Individualist</b> attitudes.</i>
<b><u>individualistic</u></b>	Marked by or expressing individuality; unconventional. <i>Her work is quirky and genuinely <b>individualistic</b>.</i>
<b><u>modern</u></b>	Belonging to the modern era since the Middle Ages. <i><b>Modern</b> German.</i>
<b>narcissism</b>	Excessive interest in or admiration of oneself and one's physical appearance.
<b><u>pride</u></b>	Confidence and self-respect as expressed by members of a group, typically one that has been socially marginalized, on the basis of their shared identity, culture, and experience. <i>He <b>prided</b> himself on his honesty.</i>
<b><u>self</u></b>	Relating to of or by or to or from or for the self. <i>A button through style with <b>self</b> belt.</i>

- selfish** Concerned chiefly or only with yourself and your advantage to the exclusion of others- Maria Weston Chapman.  
*I joined them for **selfish** reasons.*
- selfishness** Stinginess resulting from a concern for your own welfare and a disregard of others.  
*An act of pure **selfishness**.*
- superego** That part of the unconscious mind that acts as a conscience.  
*True schizophrenias lack the **superego** elements present in paranoia.*
- vanity** Denoting a person or company publishing works at the author's expense.  
*A **vanity** press.*

