

Need another word that means the same as “fascinating”? Find 17 synonyms and 30 related words for “fascinating” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Fascinating” are: bewitching, captivating, enchanting, enthralling, entrancing, absorbing, engrossing, gripping, riveting, interesting, beguiling, spellbinding, mesmerizing, engaging, compelling, compulsive, thrilling

Fascinating as an Adjective

Definitions of "Fascinating" as an adjective

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

- *Capturing interest as if by a spell.*
- *Extremely interesting.*
- *Capable of arousing and holding the attention.*



Synonyms of "Fascinating" as an adjective (17 Words)

- absorbing** Capable of arousing and holding the attention.
*An **absorbing** account of their marriage.*
- beguiling** Highly attractive and able to arouse hope or desire.
*A **beguiling** mixture of English French and Italian.*
- bewitching** Capturing interest as if by a spell.
*I gazed deeply into the most **bewitching** blue eyes.*
- captivating** Capable of attracting and holding interest; charming.
*Roosevelt was a **captivating** speaker.*
- compelling** Not able to be refuted; inspiring conviction.
***Compelling** ambition.*
- compulsive** Irresistibly interesting or exciting; compelling.
***Compulsive** eating.*
- enchancing** Capturing interest as if by a spell.
***Enchanting** music.*

engaging	Charming and attractive. <i>An engaging smile.</i>
engrossing	Capable of arousing and holding the attention. <i>The most engrossing parts of the book.</i>
enthraling	Capturing and holding one's attention; fascinating. <i>An enthraling book.</i>
entrancing	Capturing interest as if by a spell. <i>Antique papers of entrancing design.</i>
gripping	Firmly holding the attention or interest; exciting. <i>A gripping TV thriller.</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>
mesmerizing	Attracting and holding interest as if by a spell. <i>The sheer force of his presence was mesmerizing.</i>
riveting	Completely engrossing; compelling. <i>The book is a riveting account of the legendary freedom fighter.</i>
spellbinding	Holding one's attention completely as though by magic; fascinating. <i>A spellbinding description of life in ancient Rome.</i>
thrilling	Causing quivering or shivering as by cold or fear or electric shock. <i>A thrilling performer to watch.</i>



Usage Examples of "Fascinating" as an adjective

- *A fascinating story.*
- *A fascinating woman.*
- *A fascinating book.*



Associations of "Fascinating" (30 Words)

absorbing	Intensely interesting; engrossing. <i>An absorbing account of their marriage.</i>
amusing	Causing laughter and providing entertainment. <i>An amusing speaker.</i>
attractive	Having the properties of a magnet; the ability to draw or pull. <i>A remarkably attractive young man.</i>
bestseller	A book that has had a large and rapid sale. <i>The bestseller list.</i>
<u>charming</u>	(of a person or their manner) very polite, friendly, and likeable. <i>A charming personality.</i>
<u>delightful</u>	Causing delight; charming. <i>The comedy was delightful.</i>
<u>diverting</u>	Entertaining or amusing. <i>Fans of these actors will find this book a diverting read.</i>
<u>enchanting</u>	Delightfully charming or attractive. <i>Dinah looked enchanting.</i>

engrossing	Capable of arousing and holding the attention. <i>The most engrossing parts of the book.</i>
entertaining	Providing amusement or enjoyment. <i>An entertaining puppet show.</i>
enthraling	Capturing interest as if by a spell. <i>An enthraling book.</i>
entrancing	Capable of attracting and holding interest; charming. <i>I find you entrancing.</i>
exciting	Stimulating interest and discussion. <i>An exciting novel.</i>
fascinated	Strongly attracted and interested. <i>A crowd of fascinated onlookers.</i>
funny	A joke or witty remark. <i>She told a funny story.</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	Capable of arousing interest or curiosity. <i>The food is an intriguing combination of German and French.</i>
irresistible	Impossible to resist; overpowering. <i>Irresistible or resistless impulses.</i>
irresistibly	In a way that is too attractive and tempting to be resisted. <i>Men are irresistibly attracted to her.</i>
overwhelming	Very great in amount. <i>She felt an overwhelming desire to giggle.</i>
riveting	Completely engrossing; compelling. <i>The book is a riveting account of the legendary freedom fighter.</i>
salient	Represented as leaping (rampant but leaning forward). <i>The salient object in my view.</i>
sensational	Causing great public interest and excitement. <i>You look sensational.</i>
spectacular	Characteristic of spectacles or drama. <i>Spectacular mountain scenery.</i>
stardom	The state or status of being a very famous or talented entertainer or sports player. <i>Stardom meant nothing to her.</i>
striking	The action of striking. <i>Striking mineworkers.</i>

stunning

Extremely impressive or attractive.

Quite **stunning** with large dark eyes and a beautiful high bosomed figure.

super

Superfine fabric or manufacture.

The **super** walked around the incident room.

thrilling

Causing excitement and pleasure; exhilarating.

It s very **thrilling** to be here and to congratulate the team on another splendid success.

