

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.*

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

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

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

