

Need another word that means the same as “impertinent”? Find 28 synonyms and 30 related words for “impertinent” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Impertinent” are: fresh, impudent, overbold, sassy, saucy, smart, wise, extraneous, immaterial, orthogonal, irreverent, pert, rude, insolent, impolite, unmannerly, ill-mannered, bad-mannered, uncivil, discourteous, disrespectful, irrelevant, inapplicable, inapposite, inappropriate, unrelated, unconnected, not germane

Impertinent as an Adjective

Definitions of "Impertinent" as an adjective

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

- *Not pertinent to the matter under consideration.*
- *Improperly forward or bold.*
- *Not pertinent to a particular matter; irrelevant.*
- *Not showing proper respect; rude.*
- *Characterized by a lightly pert and exuberant quality.*

Synonyms of "Impertinent" as an adjective (28 Words)

bad-mannered Socially incorrect in behavior.

discourteous Showing rudeness and a lack of consideration for other people.
*It would be unkind and **discourteous** to decline a visit.*

disrespectful Neither feeling nor showing respect.
*A deeply **disrespectful** attitude towards women.*

extraneous	Not essential. <i>One is obliged to wade through many pages of extraneous material.</i>
fresh	Having an unpleasant, slightly rotten smell. <i>Fresh fruit.</i>
ill-mannered	Socially incorrect in behavior.
<u>immaterial</u>	Not pertinent to the matter under consideration. <i>The difference in our ages is immaterial.</i>
impolite	Not polite. <i>It would have been impolite to refuse.</i>
impudent	Improperly forward or bold. <i>The student was kept in for impudent behavior.</i>
inapplicable	Not relevant or appropriate. <i>The details are likely to be inapplicable to other designs.</i>
inapposite	Out of place; inappropriate. <i>The Shakespearean allusions are inapposite.</i>
inappropriate	Not suitable for a particular occasion etc. <i>There are penalties for inappropriate behaviour.</i>
<u>insolent</u>	Marked by casual disrespect. <i>She hated the insolent tone of his voice.</i>
<u>irrelevant</u>	Not connected with or relevant to something. <i>Theory can sometimes be hastily dismissed as irrelevant to the classroom.</i>
<u>irreverent</u>	Characterized by a lightly pert and exuberant quality. <i>Irreverent scholars mocking sacred things.</i>
not germane	Relevant and appropriate.
orthogonal	Having a set of mutually perpendicular axes; meeting at right angles. <i>Wind and sea may displace the ship's center of gravity along three orthogonal axes.</i>
overbold	Excessively bold. <i>Outlaws from the forests had grown overbold.</i>
pert	Characterized by a lightly pert and exuberant quality. <i>No need to be pert miss.</i>
rude	Belonging to an early stage of technical development characterized by simplicity and often crudeness. <i>She had been rude to her boss.</i>
<u>sassy</u>	Improperly forward or bold. <i>Toni was smart and sassy and liked to pretend she was a hard nut.</i>

saucy	Having or expressing a bold, lively, or spirited manner. <i>Saucy postcards.</i>
smart	Having or showing a quick-witted intelligence. <i>A smart new dress.</i>
uncivil	Lacking civility or good manners- Willa Cather. <i>Want nothing from you but to get away from your uncivil tongue.</i>
unconnected	Lacking orderly continuity. <i>The earth wire was left unconnected.</i>
unmannerly	Socially incorrect in behavior. <i>Uncouth unmannerly fellows.</i>
unrelated	Not connected by kinship. <i>Households containing two or more unrelated people.</i>
wise	Evidencing the possession of inside information. <i>A wise leader.</i>

Usage Examples of "Impertinent" as an adjective

- *An impertinent question.*
- *Mentioned several impertinent facts before finally coming to the point.*
- *Impertinent of a child to lecture a grownup.*
- *Talk of 'rhetoric' and 'strategy' is impertinent to this process.*

Associations of "Impertinent" (30 Words)

audacity	Rude or disrespectful behaviour; impudence. <i>She had the audacity to suggest I d been carrying on with him.</i>
barefaced	Having an uncovered face. <i>His years of working barefaced breathing down dust.</i>
blasphemous	Characterized by profanity or cursing. <i>Blasphemous rites of a witches Sabbath.</i>
bold	A bold typeface or letter. <i>I slapped him when he was bold.</i>
brazen	Harsh in sound. <i>A brazen hussy.</i>
chutzpah	Extreme self-confidence or audacity. <i>Love him or hate him you have to admire Cohen s chutzpah.</i>

confident	Persuaded of; very sure. <i>A confident reply.</i>
effrontery	Audacious (even arrogant) behavior that you have no right to. <i>One juror had the effrontery to challenge the coroner's decision.</i>
flippant	Not showing a serious or respectful attitude. <i>A flippant remark.</i>
<u>gall</u>	An animal's gall bladder. <i>The bank had the gall to demand a fee.</i>
impertinence	An impudent statement. <i>They gasped at the impertinence of the suggestion.</i>
impious	Lacking due respect or dutifulness. <i>The emperor's impious attacks on the Church.</i>
impudence	The quality of being impudent; impertinence. <i>His arrogance and impudence had offended many.</i>
impudent	Not showing due respect for another person; impertinent. <i>The student was kept in for impudent behavior.</i>
indomitable	Impossible to subdue or defeat. <i>A woman of indomitable spirit.</i>
insolence	Rude and disrespectful behaviour. <i>She was sacked for insolence.</i>
<u>insolent</u>	Marked by casual disrespect. <i>The modern world with its quick material successes and insolent belief in the boundless possibilities of progress.</i>
<u>irreverent</u>	Characterized by a lightly pert and exuberant quality. <i>Irreverent scholars mocking sacred things.</i>
pert	Characterized by a lightly pert and exuberant quality. <i>No need to be pert miss.</i>
<u>presumptuous</u>	(of a person or their behaviour) failing to observe the limits of what is permitted or appropriate. <i>I hope I won't be considered presumptuous if I offer some advice.</i>
<u>profane</u>	(of a person or their behaviour) not respectful of religious practice; irreverent. <i>A talk that tackled topics both sacred and profane.</i>
rude	Belonging to an early stage of technical development characterized by simplicity and often crudeness. <i>She had been rude to her boss.</i>

sacrilegious	Involving or committing sacrilege. <i>A sacrilegious act.</i>
shameless	(of a person or their conduct) characterized by or showing a lack of shame; barefaced or brazen. <i>His shameless hypocrisy.</i>
temerity	Fearless daring. <i>No one had the temerity to question his conclusions.</i>
<u>unashamed</u>	Used of persons or their behavior; feeling no shame. <i>An unashamed emotionalism.</i>
uncivil	Lacking civility or good manners. <i>He d been short and uncivil with her.</i>
ungodly	Characterized by iniquity; wicked because it is believed to be a sin. <i>Ungodly lives of lust and pleasure.</i>
unrepentant	Showing no regret for one's wrongdoings. <i>He was unrepentant and said that his comments were completely accurate.</i>
upstart	A gymnastic exercise performed starting from a position with the legs over the upper body and moving to an erect position by arching the back and swinging the legs out and down while forcing the chest upright. <i>The upstarts who dare to challenge the legitimacy of his rule.</i>