

Need another word that means the same as “industrious”? Find 18 synonyms and 30 related words for “industrious” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Industrious” are: hardworking, tireless, untiring, energetic, gumptious, up-and-coming, diligent, assiduous, sedulous, conscientious, steady, painstaking, persistent, persevering, pertinacious, unflagging, indefatigable, studious

Industrious as an Adjective

Definitions of "Industrious" as an adjective

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

- *Characterized by hard work and perseverance.*
- *Working hard to promote an enterprise.*
- *Diligent and hard-working.*



Synonyms of "Industrious" as an adjective (18 Words)

<u>assiduous</u>	Marked by care and persistent effort. <i>Her assiduous attempts to learn French.</i>
conscientious	Guided by or in accordance with conscience or sense of right and wrong. <i>The individual is denied even the opportunity to break the law on conscientious grounds.</i>
diligent	Characterized by care and perseverance in carrying out tasks. <i>After diligent searching he found a parcel.</i>
<u>energetic</u>	Relating to or characterized by energy (in the technical sense). <i>Energetic X rays.</i>
gumptious	Working hard to promote an enterprise.
hardworking	Characterized by hard work and perseverance.
indefatigable	(of a person or their efforts) persisting tirelessly. <i>An indefatigable defender of human rights.</i>

<u>painstaking</u>	Characterized by extreme care and great effort. <i>He is a gentle painstaking man.</i>
<u>persevering</u>	Quietly and steadily persevering especially in detail or exactness. <i>With persevering or patient industry she revived the failing business.</i>
persistent	(of a part of an animal or plant, such as a horn, leaf, etc.) remaining attached instead of falling off in the normal manner. <i>Persistent reports of human rights abuses by the military.</i>
pertinacious	Stubbornly unyielding- T.S.Eliot. <i>The most vocal and pertinacious of all the critics.</i>
sedulous	Marked by care and persistent effort. <i>He watched himself with the most sedulous care.</i>
<u>steady</u>	Not changing; regular and established. <i>A steady gaze.</i>
<u>studious</u>	Done deliberately or with a purpose in mind. <i>He made a studious inspection of the buffet.</i>
<u>tireless</u>	Showing sustained enthusiastic action with unflagging vitality. <i>A tireless campaigner.</i>
unflagging	Showing sustained enthusiastic action with unflagging vitality. <i>His apparently unflagging enthusiasm impressed her.</i>
untiring	(of a person or their actions) continuing at the same rate without loss of vigour. <i>His untiring efforts in commissioning ecological reports.</i>
up-and-coming	Of the relatively near future.



Usage Examples of "Industrious" as an adjective

- *An industrious people striving to make their country prosperous.*



Associations of "Industrious" (30 Words)

- ambitious** Having a strong desire for success or achievement.
***Ambitious** schedule.*
- assiduity** Great and constant diligence and attention.
*The **assiduity** with which he could wear down his opponents.*
- assiduous** Showing great care and perseverance.
*Her **assiduous** attempts to learn French.*
- conscientious** Relating to a person's conscience.
***Conscientious** application to the work at hand.*
- constant** A quantity that does not vary.
*In **constant** pain.*
- diligence** Careful and persistent work or effort.
*His **diligence** won him quick promotions.*

diligent	Characterized by care and perseverance in carrying out tasks. <i>A diligent search of the files.</i>
<u>driven</u>	(of a person) relentlessly compelled by the need to accomplish a goal; very hard-working and ambitious. <i>A market driven response to customer needs.</i>
eager	Having or showing keen interest or intense desire or impatient expectancy. <i>Small eager faces looked up and listened.</i>
effort	Strenuous physical or mental exertion. <i>He got an A for effort.</i>
<u>energetic</u>	Relating to or characterized by energy (in the technical sense). <i>Energetic X rays.</i>
<u>enterprising</u>	Having or showing initiative and resourcefulness. <i>An enterprising young man likely to go far.</i>
hardworking	Characterized by hard work and perseverance.
indefatigable	(of a person or their efforts) persisting tirelessly. <i>An indefatigable defender of human rights.</i>
inexhaustible	(of an amount or supply of something) unable to be used up because existing in abundance. <i>His inexhaustible energy.</i>
intelligent	Possessing sound knowledge. <i>An intelligent question.</i>
<u>meticulous</u>	Marked by extreme care in treatment of details. <i>Meticulous research.</i>
<u>painstaking</u>	Characterized by extreme care and great effort. <i>Painstaking attention to detail.</i>
plodding	Slow-moving and unexciting. <i>Plodding methodical Ralph Bellamy.</i>
scrupulous	(of a person or process) careful, thorough, and extremely attentive to details. <i>She s too scrupulous to have an affair with a married man.</i>
sedulous	(of a person or action) showing dedication and diligence. <i>He watched himself with the most sedulous care.</i>
<u>steadily</u>	At a steady rate or pace. <i>The business has been growing steadily.</i>
<u>steady</u>	In a steady manner. <i>A steady breeze.</i>
striving	An effortful attempt to attain a goal.

- studious** Showing great care or attention.
*He made a **studious** inspection of the buffet.*
- successfully** With success; in a successful manner.
*The plant operated **successfully** for seventy years.*
- tireless** Having or showing great effort or energy.
*A **tireless** worker.*
- unflagging** Showing sustained enthusiastic action with unflagging vitality.
***Unflagging** courtesy.*
- worker** Used in Marxist or leftist contexts to refer to the working class.
***Workers** of the world unite.*
- working** Having paid employment.
*We will be less secretive about the **workings** of government.*

