

Need another word that means the same as "oblivious"? Find 19 synonyms and 30 related words for "oblivious" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Oblivious" are: forgetful, unmindful, unaware, unconscious, heedless, insensible, unheeding, ignorant, blind, deaf, unsuspecting, unobservant, unconcerned, impervious, unaffected, insensitive, indifferent, detached, removed

Oblivious as an Adjective

Definitions of "Oblivious" as an adjective

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "oblivious" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- (followed by `to' or `of') lacking conscious awareness of.
- Lacking conscious awareness of.
- Not aware of or concerned about what is happening around one.
- Failing to keep in mind.





Synonyms of "Oblivious" as an adjective (19 Words)

Unable or unwilling to perceive or understand.

A world of **blind** chance.

deaf Lacking or deprived of the sense of hearing wholly or in part.

I m a bit **deaf** so you ll have to speak up.

detached Being or feeling set or kept apart from others- Sherwood Anderson.

On one side of the island was a hugh rock almost **detached**.

forgetful Not mindful or attentive- G.B.Shaw.

Forgetful of her responsibilities.

heedless Characterized by careless unconcern- Edith Wharton.

Heedless of the child s crying.

ignorant Unaware because of a lack of relevant information or knowledge.

He was completely **ignorant** of the circumstances.

impervious

Unable to be affected by.

An **impervious** layer of basaltic clay.



(usually followed by `to') unwilling or refusing to pay heed. indifferent

Indifferent to her plea.

Unaware of or indifferent to. insensible

Insensible earth.

Showing or feeling no concern for others' feelings. insensitive

Insensitive to radiation.

Separate or apart in time. removed

A cousin once **removed**.

Free of artificiality; sincere and genuine. unaffected

Fibers remained apparently **unaffected** by the treatment.

(often followed by `of') not aware. unaware Seemed **unaware** of the scrutiny.

Lacking in interest or care or feeling. unconcerned

Blithely **unconcerned** about his friend s plight.

Not knowing or perceiving- Charles Dickens. unconscious

Happily **unconscious** of the new calamity at home.

Marked by or paying little heed or attention. unheeding Mary **unheeding** watched the television.

(followed by `to' or `of') lacking conscious awareness of. unmindful

While thus **unmindful** of his steps he stumbled.

Not consciously observing. unobservant

She can be pretty unobservant.

Not suspicious.

unsuspecting An unsuspecting victim.





Usage Examples of "Oblivious" as an adjective

- Oblivious old age.
- Oblivious to the risks she ran.
- She became absorbed, oblivious to the passage of time.
- Oblivious of the mounting pressures for political reform.

Associations of "Oblivious" (30 Words)

absentminded Lost in thought; showing preoccupation.

An absentminded professor.

Make blind by putting the eyes out. blind

He phoned again from his own home that was just a **blind** for his wife.

(of an action or its result) showing or caused by a lack of attention. careless

Forgotten by some careless person.



carelessness The quality of not being careful or taking pains.

Most road accidents are caused by **carelessness** on the part of motorists.

Lacking social skills; tactless.

clumsy Clumsy wooden shoes.

cognizance The action of taking judicial notice.

The Renaissance **cognizance** of Greece was limited.

Unable to concentrate because one is preoccupied by something worrying

distracted or unpleasant.

Charlotte seemed too **distracted** to give him much attention.

distrait Having the attention diverted especially because of anxiety.

He seemed oddly **distrait**.

distraught Very worried and upset.

Distraught with grief.

forgetful Failing to keep in mind.

She was soon **forgetful** of the time.

Marked by or paying little heed or attention-Franklin D. Roosevelt.

heedless We have always known that **heedless** self interest was bad morals we

know now that it is bad economics.

ignorant Angry or quick-tempered.

I had to walk out before I got **ignorant**.

inadvertent Happening by chance or unexpectedly or unintentionally.

He was pardoned for **inadvertent** manslaughter.

inattention Failure to attend to one's responsibilities; negligence.

A moment of **inattention** which could have cost lives.

inattentive Not paying attention to something.

Inattentive students.

(often followed by `to') lacking importance; not mattering one way or the

other.

indifferentWhether you choose to do it or not is a matter that is quite immaterial or

indifferent.

Disinclined to work or exertion.

He was too **lazy** to cook.

neglectful Not showing due care or attention.

You are being **neglectful** of our guests.

negligent Failing to take proper care over something.

Negligent of detail.



regardless Without regard or consideration for.

They were determined to carry on **regardless**.

remiss Lacking care or attention to duty; negligent.

It would be very **remiss** of me not to pass on that information.

Knock unconscious or into a dazed or semi-conscious state.

stun Stun fish.

The subconscious part of the mind not in technical use in psychoanalysis

subconscious where unconscious is preferred.

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

unawareHaving no knowledge of a situation or fact.

They were **unaware** of his absence.

Lacking in interest or care or feeling.

unconcerned The average American is unconcerned that his or her plight is the result

of a complex of personal and economic and governmental actions beyond

the normal citizen s comprehension and control.

unconscious

Done or existing without one realizing.

He would wipe back his hair in an **unconscious** gesture of annoyance.

Without realizing or being aware of one's actions.

unconsciously *Unconsciously* she has spent her whole life looking for a man who could

live up to the ideal of her father.

unintentional Not done with purpose or intent.

An **unintentional** pun.

(followed by `to' or `of') lacking conscious awareness of.

Not **unmindful** of the heavy responsibility.

unwitting Not done with purpose or intent.

An **unwitting** mistake may be overlooked.