

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

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**The synonyms of “Outspoken” are: vocal, blunt, candid, forthright, frank, free-spoken, plainspoken, point-blank, straight-from-the-shoulder, direct, straightforward, honest, open, straight, straight from the shoulder, plain, vociferous**

## Outspoken as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Outspoken" as an adjective

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

- *Frank in stating one's opinions, especially if they are shocking or controversial.*
- *Characterized by directness in manner or speech; without subtlety or evasion.*
- *Given to expressing yourself freely or insistently.*

### Synonyms of "Outspoken" as an adjective (17 Words)

<b>blunt</b>	(of a person or remark) uncompromisingly forthright. <b>Blunt</b> talking and straight shooting.
<b><a href="#">candid</a></b>	Characterized by directness in manner or speech; without subtlety or evasion. A <b>candid</b> discussion.
<b>direct</b>	Extending or moving from one place to another without changing direction or stopping. A <b>direct</b> response.

<b>forthright</b>	Characterized by directness in manner or speech; without subtlety or evasion. <i>His most <b>forthright</b> attack yet on the reforms.</i>
<b>frank</b>	Characterized by directness in manner or speech; without subtlety or evasion. <i>To be perfectly <b>frank</b> I don't know.</i>
<b>free-spoken</b>	Characterized by directness in manner or speech; without subtlety or evasion.
<b><u>honest</u></b>	Free of deceit; truthful and sincere. <i>An <b>honest</b> wage.</i>
<b>open</b>	Of a note sounded from an open string or pipe. <i>An <b>open</b> texture.</i>
<b>plain</b>	Free from any effort to soften or disguise. <i>In <b>plain</b> view.</i>
<b>plainspoken</b>	Characterized by directness in manner or speech; without subtlety or evasion. <i><b>Plainspoken</b> and to the point.</i>
<b>point-blank</b>	Characterized by directness in manner or speech; without subtlety or evasion.
<b><u>straight</u></b>	Simple straightforward. <i>He is not being as <b>straightforward</b> as it appears.</i>
<b>straight from the shoulder</b>	Not homosexual.
<b>straight-from-the-shoulder</b>	Characterized by directness in manner or speech; without subtlety or evasion.
<b><u>straightforward</u></b>	Pointed directly ahead. <i><b>Straightforward</b> in all his business affairs.</i>
<b><u>vocal</u></b>	Full of the sound of voices. <i>The <b>vocal</b> apparatus.</i>
<b>vociferous</b>	Conspicuously and offensively loud; given to vehement outcry. <i>A <b>vociferous</b> mob.</i>

## Usage Examples of "Outspoken" as an adjective

- *It is possible to be outspoken without being rude.*
- *Outspoken in their opposition to segregation.*
- *He has been outspoken in his criticism.*

## Associations of "Outspoken" (30 Words)

<b>avowal</b>	A statement asserting the existence or the truth of something.
<b>bluntly</b>	In an uncompromisingly forthright way. <i>To put it <b>bluntly</b> investors are suffering from a crisis.</i>
<b><u>candid</u></b>	Truthful and straightforward; frank. <i>His responses were remarkably <b>candid</b>.</i>
<b><u>candor</u></b>	The quality of being honest and straightforward in attitude and speech.
<b>candour</b>	The quality of being open and honest; frankness. <i>A man of refreshing <b>candour</b>.</i>
<b>directness</b>	The quality of being honest and straightforward in attitude and speech. <i>I like the simplicity and <b>directness</b> of the image.</i>
<b>downright</b>	Complete and without restriction or qualification; sometimes used informally as intensifiers. <i>A <b>downright</b> lie.</i>
<b>forthright</b>	Proceeding directly forwards. <i>A <b>forthright</b> approach to the problem.</i>
<b>forthrightness</b>	The quality of being honest and straightforward in attitude and speech.
<b>frank</b>	Clearly manifest; evident. <i>To be perfectly <b>frank</b> I don't know.</i>
<b><u>honest</u></b>	Without pretensions. <i>You'll like it when you get there <b>honest</b>.</i>
<b><u>honesty</u></b>	A European plant with purple or white flowers and round, flat, translucent seed pods which are used for indoor flower arrangements. <i>I bought potatoes and tomatoes from the roadside stall putting 3 in the <b>honesty</b> box.</i>
<b>ingenuous</b>	Lacking in sophistication or worldliness. <i>He eyed her with wide <b>ingenuous</b> eyes.</i>
<b>naivete</b>	Lack of sophistication or worldliness. <i>Some of the material is laughable in its <b>naïveté</b>.</i>
<b><u>openness</u></b>	Characterized by an attitude of ready accessibility (especially about one's actions or purposes); without concealment; not secretive. <i>The <b>openness</b> of the prairies.</i>

<b>plainspoken</b>	Characterized by directness in manner or speech; without subtlety or evasion. <i><b>Plainspoken</b> and to the point.</i>
<b>probity</b>	Complete and confirmed integrity; having strong moral principles. <i>Financial <b>probity</b>.</i>
<b>rectitude</b>	Morally correct behaviour or thinking; righteousness. <i>Mattie is a model of <b>rectitude</b>.</i>
<b>righteousness</b>	Adhering to moral principles. <i>We had little doubt about the <b>righteousness</b> of our cause.</i>
<a href="#"><u>sincere</u></a>	(of a person) saying what they genuinely feel or believe; not dishonest or hypocritical. <i><b>Sincere</b> friendship.</i>
<a href="#"><u>sincerity</u></a>	An earnest and sincere feeling. <i>The simple <b>sincerity</b> of folk songs.</i>
<b>squarely</b>	Directly, without deviating to one side. <i>To face a problem <b>squarely</b>.</i>
<a href="#"><u>straight</u></a>	A part of something that is not curved or bent especially a straight section of a racecourse. <i><b>Straight</b> lines.</i>
<b>straightforwardness</b>	The quality of being direct and straightforward. <i>What some people take for rudeness is really <b>straightforwardness</b>.</i>
<b>straightness</b>	Having honest intentions.
<b>transparency</b>	The condition of being transparent. <i>The <b>transparency</b> of ice.</i>
<b>truthful</b>	Conforming to truth. <i>I want a <b>truthful</b> answer.</i>
<b>unbiased</b>	Without bias. <i>They give clear <b>unbiased</b> advice.</i>
<b>unpretentious</b>	Not ostentatious. <i>An <b>unpretentious</b> country church.</i>
<b>veracious</b>	Precisely accurate. <i>A <b>veracious</b> witness.</i>