

Need another word that means the same as “overzealous”? Find 11 synonyms for “overzealous” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Overzealous” are: fanatic, fanatical, rabid, extreme, extremist, violent, maniacal, wild, passionate, fervent, uncompromising**

## Overzealous as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Overzealous" as an adjective

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

- *Too zealous in one's attitude or behaviour.*
- *Marked by excessive enthusiasm for and intense devotion to a cause or idea.*

### Synonyms of "Overzealous" as an adjective (11 Words)

<b>extreme</b>	Not usual; exceptional. <i><b>Extreme</b> temperatures.</i>
<a href="#">extremist</a>	(used of opinions and actions) far beyond the norm. <i><b>Extremist</b> political views.</i>
<b>fanatic</b>	Marked by excessive enthusiasm for and intense devotion to a cause or idea. <i>His eyes had a <b>fanatic</b> iciness.</i>
<b>fanatical</b>	Marked by excessive enthusiasm for and intense devotion to a cause or idea. <i>Her husband was <b>fanatical</b> about tidiness.</i>
<a href="#">fervent</a>	Hot, burning, or glowing. <i>A <b>fervent</b> admirer.</i>

<b><u>maniacal</u></b>	Exhibiting extremely wild or violent behaviour. <i>John burst into <b>maniacal</b> laughter.</i>
<b>passionate</b>	Arising from intense feelings of sexual love. <i>A <b>passionate</b> kiss.</i>
<b><u>rabid</u></b>	Having or proceeding from an extreme or fanatical support of or belief in something. <i>The show s small but <b>rabid</b> fan base.</i>
<b><u>uncompromising</u></b>	Harsh or relentless. <i><b>Uncompromising</b> honesty.</i>
<b>violent</b>	Marked by extreme intensity of emotions or convictions inclined to react violently fervid. <i>A <b>violent</b> clash of colors.</i>
<b>wild</b>	Produced from wild animals or plants without cultivation. <i>A <b>wild</b> stretch of land.</i>

## Usage Examples of "Overzealous" as an adjective

- *He's been overzealous in handing out parking tickets.*