

Need another word that means the same as “ravenous”? Find 12 synonyms and 30 related words for “ravenous” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Ravenous” are: edacious, esurient, rapacious, ravening, voracious, wolfish, famished, sharp-set, starved, very hungry, starving, insatiable

Ravenous as an Adjective

Definitions of "Ravenous" as an adjective

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

- *(of hunger or need) very great; voracious.*
- *Devouring or craving food in great quantities.*
- *Extremely hungry.*



Synonyms of "Ravenous" as an adjective (12 Words)

edacious	Relating to or given to eating. <i>Edacious vultures.</i>
esurient	(often followed by `for') ardently or excessively desirous. <i>Fell into the esurient embrace of a predatory enemy.</i>
famished	Extremely hungry. <i>They were tired and famished for food and sleep.</i>
<u>insatiable</u>	Of a person having an insatiable appetite or desire for something especially sex. <i>An insatiable hunger for success.</i>
rapacious	Aggressively greedy or grasping. <i>Rapacious landlords.</i>
ravening	Living by preying on other animals especially by catching living prey. <i>Ravening creditors.</i>

sharp-set Extremely hungry.

starved Suffering from lack of food.
*The family was **starved** and ragged.*

starving Suffering or dying from hunger.
*The world's **starving** children.*

very hungry Being the exact same one; not any other.

voracious Wanting or devouring great quantities of food.
*She's a **voracious** reader.*

wolfish Resembling or likened to a wolf, especially in being rapacious, voracious, or lascivious.
***Wolfish** rapacity.*



Usage Examples of "Ravenous" as an adjective

- *Ravenous as wolves.*
- *A ravenous boy.*
- *I'd been out all day and was ravenous.*
- *A ravenous appetite.*



Associations of "Ravenous" (30 Words)

addle	Make (someone) unable to think clearly; confuse. <i>Addled</i> eggs.
appetite	A feeling of craving something- Granville Hicks. <i>Her appetite for life.</i>
champ	Chafe at the bit, like horses. <i>He was already on the plane champing to get off to Lagos.</i>
chomp	The act of gripping or chewing off with the teeth and jaws. <i>The boy chomped his sandwich.</i>
<u>craving</u>	An intense desire for some particular thing. <i>A craving for chocolate.</i>
eat	Eat a meal take a meal. <i>If we had to we could probably eat the cost.</i>

epicurean	Of Epicurus or epicureanism. <i>Epicurean pleasures.</i>
famish	Be extremely hungry. <i>Many famished in the countryside during the drought.</i>
famished	Extremely hungry. <i>The evacuees were famished having had no food for 12 hours.</i>
glutton	A person who is excessively fond of something. <i>He s a glutton for adventure.</i>
gluttonous	Given to excess in consumption of especially food or drink. <i>Over fed women and their gluttonous husbands.</i>
gourmand	A person who is devoted to eating and drinking to excess.
greedy	Having an excessive desire or appetite for food. <i>Greedy for money and power.</i>
hedonistic	Engaged in the pursuit of pleasure; sensually self-indulgent. <i>Lives of unending hedonistic delight.</i>
<u>hunger</u>	Feel or suffer hunger. <i>Hunger for affection.</i>
hungry	Causing hunger. <i>I always find art galleries hungry work.</i>
<u>insatiable</u>	Of a person having an insatiable appetite or desire for something especially sex. <i>So insatiable a gourmand as myself.</i>
lupine	Of or relating to or characteristic of wolves.
porcine	Repellently fat. <i>The piggy fat cheeked little boy and his porcine pot bellied father.</i>
rapacious	Aggressively greedy or grasping. <i>The rapacious wolf.</i>
raptorial	Living by preying on other animals especially by catching living prey. <i>Raptorial birds.</i>
ravening	(of a ferocious wild animal) extremely hungry and hunting for prey. <i>Ravening creditors.</i>
repletion	Eating until excessively full.
satiety	The state of being satisfactorily full and unable to take on more. <i>A molecule that seems to regulate satiety.</i>
<u>starve</u>	Suffer or die or cause to suffer or die from hunger. <i>The Royalists were starved out after eleven days.</i>

- starving** The act of depriving of food or subjecting to famine.
*The world's **starving** children.*
- tantalize** Torment or tease (someone) with the sight or promise of something that is unobtainable.
*She still **tantalized** him.*
- thirst** Strong sexual desire or arousal.
*A **thirst** for knowledge.*
- unquenchable** Not able to be quenched.
***Unquenchable** thirst.*
- voracious** Excessively greedy and grasping.
*Paying taxes to **voracious** governments.*

