

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)

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

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

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

