

Need another word that means the same as “resilient”? Find 14 synonyms and 30 related words for “resilient” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Resilient” are: bouncy, live, lively, springy, strong, tough, hardy, flexible, pliable, pliant, supple, plastic, elastic, rubbery**

## Resilient as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Resilient" as an adjective

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

- *Recovering readily from adversity, depression, or the like.*
- *Elastic; rebounds readily.*
- *(of a substance or object) able to recoil or spring back into shape after bending, stretching, or being compressed.*
- *(of a person or animal) able to withstand or recover quickly from difficult conditions.*



## Synonyms of "Resilient" as an adjective (14 Words)

- bouncy** (of a person) confident and lively.  
*Bouncy* tunes.
- elastic** Capable of resuming original shape after stretching or compression; springy.  
*An **elastic** clause in a contract.*
- flexible** Capable of being changed.  
*Small businesses which are dependent on **flexible** working hours.*
- hardy** Having rugged physical strength; inured to fatigue or hardships.  
*Camels are tough and **hardy** creatures.*
- live** Actually being performed at the time of hearing or viewing.  
*A **lively** tennis ball.*
- lively** (of a boat) rising lightly to the waves.  
*A **lively** and uninhibited girl.*
- plastic** Made of plastic.  
*The writer is drawn to words as a **plastic** medium.*

- pliable** Susceptible to being led or directed.  
*Quality leather is **pliable** and will not crack.*
- pliant** Capable of being shaped or bent or drawn out.  
*A **pliant** nature.*
- rubbery** Having a tough elastic texture, like that of rubber.  
*His **rubbery** legs and arms splayed almost out of control.*
- springy** (of movements) light and confident.  
*He walked away with a **springy** step.*
- strong** Having a strong physiological or chemical effect.  
***Strong** lager.*
- supple** (used of persons' bodies) capable of moving or bending freely.  
*My mind is becoming more **supple**.*
- tough** Physically toughened.  
*We have six **tough** matches in a row.*



## Usage Examples of "Resilient" as an adjective

- *The fish are resilient to most infections.*
- *A shoe with resilient cushioning.*
- *As resilient as seasoned hickory.*
- *Babies are generally far more resilient than new parents realize.*



## Associations of "Resilient" (30 Words)

<b><u>adaptable</u></b>	Able to adjust to new conditions. <i>Rats are highly <b>adaptable</b> to change.</i>
<b><u>adjustable</u></b>	Capable of being changed so as to match or fit. <i><b>Adjustable</b> seat belts.</i>
<b><u>bouncy</u></b>	Bouncing or causing things to bounce. <i><b>Bouncy</b> 1960s tunes.</i>
<b>bumper</b>	A horizontal bar fixed across the front or back of a motor vehicle to reduce damage in a collision. <i>A <b>bumper</b> crop.</i>
<b>distensible</b>	Capable of being distended; able to stretch and expand. <i>The stomach is a <b>distensible</b> organ.</i>
<b>distension</b>	Swelling, especially in part of the body, caused by pressure from inside. <i>She complained of abdominal <b>distension</b> after meals.</i>
<b>ductile</b>	(of a metal) able to be drawn out into a thin wire. <i><b>Ductile</b> copper.</i>
<b>ductility</b>	The malleability of something that can be drawn into threads or wires or hammered into thin sheets.
<b>elastic</b>	A fabric made of yarns containing an elastic material. <i>An <b>elastic</b> band.</i>
<b>elasticity</b>	The ability of an object or material to resume its normal shape after being stretched or compressed; stretchiness. <i>Aging can decrease the <b>elasticity</b> of your skin.</i>
<b>flexibility</b>	The quality of bending easily without breaking. <i>I enjoyed the <b>flexibility</b> of the schedule.</i>
<b><u>flexible</u></b>	Making or willing to make concessions. <i><b>Flexible</b> schedules.</i>
<b>limber</b>	Attach the limber. <i>A <b>limber</b> imagination.</i>
<b>lively</b>	Full of life and energy; active and outgoing. <i>A <b>lively</b> tennis ball.</i>
<b>malleability</b>	The property of being physically malleable; the property of something that can be worked or hammered or shaped without breaking.
<b><u>malleable</u></b>	Easily influenced. <i>A <b>malleable</b> metal can be beaten into a sheet.</i>

<b>mobility</b>	The ability to move or be moved freely and easily. <i>This exercise helps retain <b>mobility</b> in the damaged joints.</i>
<b>momentum</b>	The impetus and driving force gained by the development of a process or course of events. <i>The car s <b>momentum</b> carried it off the road.</i>
<b>plastic</b>	Credit cards or other types of plastic card that can be used as money. <i>Do you take <b>plastic</b>.</i>
<b>plastically</b>	In a plastic manner.
<b>plasticity</b>	The adaptability of an organism to changes in its environment or differences between its various habitats. <i>Fine clay at the right degree of <b>plasticity</b> is more useful.</i>
<b>pliable</b>	Susceptible to being led or directed. <i>They soaked the leather to made it <b>pliable</b>.</i>
<b>pliant</b>	Capable of being influenced or formed. <i><b>Pliant</b> willow stems.</i>
<b>rubber</b>	Coat or impregnate with rubber. <i>A pencil with a <b>rubber</b> at the end.</i>
<b>spermaceti</b>	A white waxy substance from oil of the sperm whale.
<b>spirited</b>	Made lively or spirited. <i>A <b>spirited</b> dance.</i>
<b>stretch</b>	Extend or stretch out to a greater or the full length. <i>The park <b>stretched</b> beneath the train line.</i>
<b>stretched</b>	Extended or spread over a wide area or distance. <i>Well <b>stretched</b> muscles are less susceptible to injury.</i>
<b>stretching</b>	Exercise designed to extend the limbs and muscles to their full extent.
<b>waxy</b>	Having the paleness of wax. <i><b>Waxy</b> potatoes.</i>

