

Need another word that means the same as “spectacular”? Find 29 synonyms and 30 related words for “spectacular” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Spectacular” are: dramatic, striking, outstanding, prominent, salient, picturesque, eye-catching, breathtaking, arresting, amazing, glorious, impressive, magnificent, splendid, dazzling, sensational, stunning, remarkable, memorable, unforgettable, unique, extravaganza, display, spectacle, exhibition, performance, presentation, show, pageant

Spectacular as a Noun

Definitions of "Spectacular" as a noun

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “spectacular” as a noun can have the following definitions:

- *A lavishly produced performance.*
- *An event such as a pageant or musical, produced on a large scale and with striking effects.*



Synonyms of "Spectacular" as a noun (8 Words)

display	A performance, show, or event staged for public entertainment. <i>A hint of malice underlay his display of concern.</i>
<u>exhibition</u>	A display or demonstration of a skill. <i>Fields which have been ploughed with a supreme exhibition of the farmer's skills.</i>
<u>extravaganza</u>	An elaborate and spectacular entertainment or production. <i>An extravaganza of dance in many forms.</i>
pageant	A scene erected on a fixed stage or moving vehicle as a public show. <i>They brought the history books to life at the town's pageant.</i>
performance	Process or manner of functioning or operating. <i>Don Giovanni had its first performance in 1787.</i>
presentation	A visual representation of something. <i>A sales presentation.</i>
show	An outward appearance or display of a quality or feeling. <i>I didn't have a show.</i>
spectacle	A blunder that makes you look ridiculous used in the phrase make a spectacle of yourself. <i>The spectacle of a city's mass grief.</i>



Usage Examples of "Spectacular" as a noun

- *They put on a Christmas spectacular.*
- *French history was represented in a spectacular for tourists.*



Spectacular as an Adjective

Definitions of "Spectacular" as an adjective

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

- *Beautiful in a dramatic and eye-catching way.*
- *Strikingly large or obvious.*
- *Sensational in appearance or thrilling in effect.*
- *Characteristic of spectacles or drama.*
- *Having a quality that thrusts itself into attention.*



Synonyms of "Spectacular" as an adjective (21 Words)

amazing	Inspiring awe or admiration or wonder. <i>She does an amazing amount of work.</i>
arresting	Commanding attention. <i>The arresting officer.</i>
<u>brehtaking</u>	Tending to cause suspension of regular breathing. <i>The scene was one of brehtaking beauty.</i>
<u>dazzling</u>	Extremely bright, especially so as to blind the eyes temporarily. <i>The sunlight was dazzling.</i>
<u>dramatic</u>	Used of a singer or singing voice that is marked by power and expressiveness and a histrionic or theatrical style. <i>Dramatic mountain peaks.</i>
eye-catching	Seizing the attention.
glorious	Having, worthy of, or bringing fame or admiration. <i>A glorious work of art.</i>

<u>impressive</u>	Making a strong or vivid impression. <i>Impressive achievements in science.</i>
magnificent	Characterized by grandeur. <i>A dramatic landscape of magnificent mountains.</i>
<u>memorable</u>	Worth remembering or easily remembered, especially because of being special or unusual. <i>He recalled memorable moments in his life.</i>
outstanding	Exceptionally good. <i>Einstein was one of the outstanding figures of the 20th century.</i>
<u>picturesque</u>	Suggesting or suitable for a picture; pretty as a picture. <i>Ruined abbeys and picturesque villages.</i>
prominent	Having a quality that thrusts itself into attention. <i>A prominent citizen.</i>
remarkable	Unusual or striking. <i>A remarkable coincidence.</i>
<u>salient</u>	Pointing outward at an angle of less than 180 degrees. <i>It succinctly covered all the salient points of the case.</i>
<u>sensational</u>	Causing great public interest and excitement. <i>A sensational murder trial.</i>
splendid	Excellent; very good. <i>His robes were splendid.</i>
<u>striking</u>	Attracting attention by reason of being unusual, extreme, or prominent. <i>She is naturally striking.</i>
stunning	Causing or capable of causing bewilderment or shock or insensibility. <i>The strike came as a stunning protest against management.</i>
<u>unforgettable</u>	Impossible to forget; very memorable. <i>That unforgettable first kiss.</i>
unique	Highly unusual or rare but not the single instance. <i>The situation was unique in British politics.</i>



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Usage Examples of "Spectacular" as an adjective

- *Spectacular mountain scenery.*
- *A spectacular display of northern lights.*
- *The party suffered a spectacular loss in the election.*
- *A spectacular rise in prices.*
- *Spectacular dives from the cliff.*
- *It was a spectacular play.*



Associations of "Spectacular" (30 Words)

amazing	Surprising greatly. <i>She does an amazing amount of work.</i>
arresting	Striking; eye-catching. <i>An arresting drawing of people turning into animals.</i>
<u>astonishing</u>	Surprising greatly. <i>I find it astonishing that they ever thought it could work.</i>
<u>astounding</u>	Bewildering or striking dumb with wonder. <i>The summit offers astounding views.</i>
awesome	Extremely good; excellent. <i>The band is truly awesome.</i>
<u>behold</u>	See or observe (someone or something, especially of remarkable or impressive nature). <i>Behold Christ.</i>

dazzling	Amazingly impressive; suggestive of the flashing of lightning. <i>Dazzling snow.</i>
dignified	Having or showing self-esteem. <i>A dignified old lady.</i>
dignify	Confer dignity or honor upon. <i>I shall not dignify this insensitive remark with an answer.</i>
dramatic	Sensational in appearance or thrilling in effect. <i>A dramatic increase in recorded crime.</i>
exceeding	Extremely exceedingly. <i>An ale of exceeding poor quality.</i>
grand	A grand piano. <i>We had a grand day.</i>
imposing	Grand and impressive in appearance. <i>An imposing residence.</i>
impressive	Evoking admiration through size, quality, or skill; grand, imposing, or awesome. <i>An impressive ceremony.</i>
magnificent	Characterized by grandeur. <i>Magnificent cathedrals.</i>
majestic	Majestic in manner or bearing superior to mundane matters. <i>His majestic presence.</i>
marvelous	Too improbable to admit of belief. <i>A marvelous collection of rare books.</i>
palatial	Relating to or being a palace. <i>Palatial furnishings.</i>
saintliness	The quality of resembling a saint. <i>Her selfless behaviour borders on saintliness.</i>
salient	An outward bulge in a line of military attack or defence. <i>Salient traits.</i>
sensational	Causing great public interest and excitement. <i>A sensational murder trial.</i>
splendid	Having great beauty and splendor. <i>A splendid view of Windsor Castle.</i>
staggering	So surprisingly impressive as to stun or overwhelm. <i>The staggering bills for maintenance and repair.</i>
stately	Of size and dignity suggestive of a statue. <i>Stately columns.</i>

striking	The action of striking. <i>Striking mineworkers.</i>
stunning	Causing great astonishment and consternation. <i>A stunning performance.</i>
superb	Used in names of birds with attractive or colourful plumage e g superb lyrebird. <i>The Bey of Tunis was building himself a superb mausoleum.</i>
thundering	Sounding like thunder. <i>Thundering waterfalls.</i>
touching	Arousing affect. <i>His gratitude was simple and touching.</i>
wonderful	Extraordinarily good or great ; used especially as intensifiers. <i>They all think she s wonderful.</i>

