

Need another word that means the same as “spirited”? Find 28 synonyms and 30 related words for “spirited” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Spirited” are: enlivened, game, gamey, gamy, gritty, mettlesome, spunky, bouncing, bouncy, peppy, zippy, lively, vivacious, vibrant, full of life, vital, animated, high-spirited, sparkling, sprightly, energetic, active, vigorous, dynamic, dashing, enthusiastic, passionate, fiery

Spirited as an Adjective

Definitions of "Spirited" as an adjective

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

- *Made lively or spirited.*
- *Full of energy, enthusiasm, and determination.*
- *Marked by lively action.*
- *Willing to face danger.*
- *Displaying animation, vigor, or liveliness.*
- *Having a specified character, attitude, or mood.*



Synonyms of "Spirited" as an adjective (28 Words)

active	Expressing that the subject of the sentence has the semantic function of actor. <i>An active man is a man of action.</i>
animated	(of a film or image) made using animation techniques. <i>Animated conversation.</i>
bouncing	Lively and confident. <i>A bouncing baby.</i>
bouncy	(of music) having a pleasingly jaunty rhythm. <i>Bouncy 1960s tunes.</i>
dashing	Lively and spirited. <i>A dashing hero.</i>
dynamic	Of or relating to dynamics. <i>A dynamic market.</i>

<u>energetic</u>	Showing or involving great activity or vitality. <i>An energetic fund raiser for the college.</i>
enlivened	Made sprightly or cheerful. <i>A meal enlivened by the music.</i>
enthusiastic	Having or showing great excitement and interest. <i>An enthusiastic response.</i>
fiery	Showing strong emotion, typically anger. <i>The car was painted a fiery red.</i>
full of life	Constituting the full quantity or extent; complete.
game	Willing to face danger. <i>They were game for anything.</i>
gamey	Suggestive of sexual impropriety.
gamy	Racy or disreputable. <i>Gamy language.</i>
gritty	Showing something unpleasant as it really is; uncompromising. <i>A stone floor that was gritty and unswept.</i>
high-spirited	Joyously unrestrained.
lively	Difficult or challenging. <i>A lively gait.</i>
mettlesome	Having a proud and unbroken spirit. <i>Their horses were beasts of burden not mettlesome chargers.</i>
passionate	Having or expressing strong emotions. <i>He s passionate about football.</i>
peppy	Marked by lively action. <i>A peppy and energetic woman.</i>
<u>sparkling</u>	Shining brightly with flashes of light. <i>Sparkling eyes.</i>
sprightly	Full of spirit and vitality. <i>A sprightly young girl.</i>
<u>spunky</u>	Courageous and determined. <i>A spunky performance.</i>
<u>vibrant</u>	(of colour) bright and striking. <i>His vibrant voice.</i>
<u>vigorous</u>	Strong and active physically or mentally. <i>A vigorous denial.</i>
<u>vital</u>	Full of spirit. <i>The vital organs.</i>

vivacious

Attractively lively and animated (typically used of a woman).
*A charming and **vivacious** hostess.*

zippy

Marked by lively action.
*A wine with a **zippy** zingy almost citrusy tang.*



Usage Examples of "Spirited" as an adjective

- *A spirited debate.*
- *A spirited dance.*
- *A spirited campaigner for women's rights.*
- *A warm-hearted, generous-spirited man.*



Associations of "Spirited" (30 Words)

alive	Capable of erupting. <i>Is alive to the moods of others.</i>
animated	Full of life or excitement; lively. <i>An animated cartoon.</i>
boisterous	Violently agitated and turbulent. <i>Boisterous practical jokes.</i>
bouncing	Marked by lively action. <i>A bouncing baby.</i>
bouncy	Bouncing or causing things to bounce. <i>Clean bouncy hair.</i>
charged	Supplied with carbon dioxide. <i>An emotionally charged speech.</i>
delicious	Highly pleasant to the taste. <i>A delicious irony.</i>
ebullient	(of liquid or matter) boiling or agitated as if boiling. <i>She sounded ebullient and happy.</i>
exuberant	Full of energy, excitement, and cheerfulness. <i>A noisy bunch of exuberant youngsters.</i>
feisty	(of a person, typically one who is relatively small) lively, determined, and courageous. <i>The champion is faced with a feisty challenger.</i>
gutsy	Marked by courage and determination in the face of difficulties or danger; robust and uninhibited-Judith Crist. <i>The gutsy intensity of her musical involvement.</i>
live	Continue to live and avoid dying. <i>Live coals.</i>
livelihood	The financial means whereby one lives. <i>He could no longer earn his own livelihood.</i>
lively	Difficult or challenging. <i>This whole lively world.</i>
luxuriant	(of hair) thick and healthy. <i>She tossed her luxuriant dark hair.</i>
overweening	Unrestrained, especially with regard to feelings. <i>Had a witty but overweening manner.</i>

pert	Characterized by a lightly pert and exuberant quality. <i>No need to be pert miss.</i>
plucky	Marked by courage and determination in the face of difficulties or danger; robust and uninhibited. <i>The plucky youngster has astounded medical staff.</i>
<u>resilient</u>	(of a person or animal) able to withstand or recover quickly from difficult conditions. <i>A shoe with resilient cushioning.</i>
robust	Marked by richness and fullness of flavor. <i>The experiment yielded robust results.</i>
<u>saucy</u>	Having or expressing a bold, lively, or spirited manner. <i>The beret was perched at a saucy angle on her blonde hair.</i>
<u>spicy</u>	Producing a burning sensation on the taste nerves. <i>Spicy jokes and suggestive songs.</i>
sprightly	Full of spirit and vitality. <i>A sprightly young girl.</i>
superbly	Very well; excellently. <i>The tomb is superbly ornamented with fine tracery.</i>
<u>tasty</u>	Involving or good at fighting. <i>A tasty snack.</i>
<u>vibrant</u>	Of sounds that are strong and resonating. <i>A vibrant group that challenged the system.</i>
<u>vivacious</u>	Attractively lively and animated (typically used of a woman). <i>A vivacious folk dance.</i>
<u>wonderfully</u>	Extremely well. <i>Wonderfully crafted songs.</i>
zesty	Having an agreeably pungent taste.

