

Need another word that means the same as "spotty"? Find 19 synonyms and 30 related words for "spotty" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Spotty" are: patched, spotted, scratchy, uneven, mottled, speckled, speckly, flecked, specked, stippled, dotted, pimply, pimpled, acned, patchy, inconsistent, erratic, fluctuating, irregular

## **Spotty as an Adjective**

### Definitions of "Spotty" as an adjective

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "spotty" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- Having pimples.
- Of uneven quality; patchy.
- Marked with spots.
- Lacking consistency.
- Having spots or patches (small areas of contrasting color or texture.





## Synonyms of "Spotty" as an adjective (19 Words)

**acned** (of complexion) blemished by imperfections of the skin.

**dotted** Having a pattern of dots. A **dotted** background.

Likely to perform unpredictably- Osbert Lancaster.

**Erratic Erratic** behavior.

**flecked** Having a pattern of dots.

fluctuating Rising and falling irregularly in number or amount.

A **fluctuating** level of demand.

inconsistent Not staying the same throughout.

**Inconsistent** statements cannot both be true at the same time.



Falling below the manufacturer's standard.

An **irregular** pair of jeans.

mottled Marked with spots or smears of colour. *A bird with mottled brown plumage.* 

A bira with **mottlea** brown plumage.

patched Having spots or patches (small areas of contrasting color or texture.

**Patched** jeans.

patchy Irregular or uneven in quality, texture, etc.

**Patchy** fog.

**pimpled** Blemished by imperfections of the skin.

**pimply** (of complexion) blemished by imperfections of the skin.

(of writing or a drawing) done with quick and jagged strokes.

scratchy

A scratchy ink sketch of a man on horseback.

**specked** Having a pattern of dots.

speckled Having a pattern of dots.

A fine waxy film **speckled** with yeast cells.

**speckly**Covered or marked with small spots or patches of colour.

The eggs are large and brown and **speckly**.

**spotted** Having spots or patches (small areas of contrasting color or texture.

A red **spotted** handkerchief.

**stippled** Having a pattern of dots.

(of a contest or contestants) not fairly matched as opponents.

The floors are cracked and **uneven**.





# Usage Examples of "Spotty" as an adjective

- The wall had a spotty speckled effect.
- $\bullet \ \textit{His spotty record on the environment.}\\$
- A spotty youth.
- A spotty purple flower.
- The golfer hit the ball well but his putting was spotty.





## Associations of "Spotty" (30 Words)

A skin condition characterized by red pimples on the skin, especially on the face, due to inflamed or infected sebaceous glands and prevalent chiefly

among adolescents.

He was clean shaven with a face that had been ravaged by **acne** when

younger.

acne

adolescent Relating to or peculiar to or suggestive of an adolescent.

**Adolescent** insecurity.

astigmatism

Defect in an optical system in which light rays from a single point fail to

converge in a single focal point.

**asymmetric** Characterized by asymmetry in the spatial arrangement or placement of

parts or components.

(mathematics) a lack of symmetry.

**asymmetry** The global system is marked by great **asymmetry** the most important

goods are controlled by groups in a relatively small number of countries.



Add a flaw or blemish to make imperfect or defective.

My main problem was a **blemish**ed skin.

cystic (of a parasite or other organism) enclosed in a cyst.

The **cystic** artery.

**deviation** The error of a compass due to local magnetic disturbances.

**Deviation** from a norm.

A synthetic substance with a similar effect to that of an animal or plant

hormone.

hormone
She told herself she was suffering from hormones that she would cheer up

soon.

infrequent Not occurring often; rare.

Her visits were so **infrequent**.

intermittent Occurring at irregular intervals; not continuous or steady.

**Intermittent** rain showers.

A member of an irregular armed force that fights a stronger force by

**irregular** sabotage and harassment.

An **irregular** pair of jeans.

maidenhood The fact or condition of being a young, unmarried woman.

Most brides wear white to symbolize **maidenhood**.

(medicine) the formation of morbific matter in an abscess or a vesicle and

**maturation** the discharge of pus.

Sexual maturation.

myopia Lack of foresight or intellectual insight.

The company s corporate **myopia**.

occasional Occurring from time to time.

**Occasional** headaches.

Not of the same quality throughout; inconsistent.

A **patchy** essay.

**pimple** A small hard inflamed spot on the skin.

I can see the hut down there just a tiny **pimple**.

The time of life when sex glands become functional.

The onset of **puberty**.

**rarefaction** Reduction in the density of something, especially air or a gas.

The cord has undergone **rarefaction**.

**sebaceous** Relating to a sebaceous gland or its secretion.

on certain occasions or in certain cases but not always.

**Sometimes** I want to do things on my own.



Occurring at irregular intervals or only in a few places; scattered or

**sporadic** isolated.

A city subjected to **sporadic** bombing raids.

**sporadically** Occasionally or at irregular intervals.

He worked **sporadically** at part time jobs.

**stripling** A juvenile between the onset of puberty and maturity.

He s a mere **stripling**.

A teenager.

**Teen**age mothers.

unpredictable Not occurring at a regular rate or fixed intervals.

An **unpredictable** or indeterminable future.

unusual Not habitually or commonly occurring or done.

A scene of **unusual** beauty.

An imperfection in someone or something that is suggestive of a wart

wart especially in smallness or unattractiveness.

Few products are without their warts.

youth An early period of development.

**Youth** culture.



