

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

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**The synonyms of “Thirsty” are: athirst, hungry, in need of a drink, dry, dehydrated, arid, dried out, dried up, parched, baked, desiccated, waterless, eager, greedy, avid, longing, yearning, burning, desirous**

## Thirsty as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Thirsty" as an adjective

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

- *(usually followed by `for') extremely desirous.*
- *Having or showing a strong desire for something.*
- *(of an engine, plant, or crop) consuming a lot of fuel or water.*
- *(of land or plants) in need of water; dry or parched.*
- *Extremely desirous.*
- *Feeling a need or desire to drink.*
- *(of activity, weather, or a time) causing thirst.*
- *Having or showing strong sexual desire for someone.*
- *Feeling a need to drink something.*
- *Able to take in large quantities of moisture.*
- *Needing moisture.*



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

**arid**

Lacking vitality or spirit; lifeless.  
*His **arid** years in suburbia.*

**athirst**

Thirsty.  
***Athirst** for knowledge.*

**avid**

Having an eager desire for.  
*She was **avid** for information about the murder inquiry.*

**baked**

Dried out by heat or excessive exposure to sunlight.  
***Baked** apples.*

**burning**

Of immediate import.  
*He had a **burning** ambition to climb to the upper reaches of management.*

**dehydrated**

Suffering from excessive loss of water from the body.  
***Dehydrated** mashed potatoes.*

<b>desiccated</b>	Preserved by removing natural moisture. <i><b>Desiccated</b> coconut.</i>
<b>desirous</b>	Having or expressing desire for something. <i>The Pope was <b>desirous</b> of peace in Europe.</i>
<b>dried out</b>	Not still wet.
<b>dried up</b>	Not still wet.
<b>dry</b>	Of noodles not served in a soup but in a sauce or with dry ingredients. <i>Rattled off the facts in a <b>dry</b> mechanical manner.</i>
<b>eager</b>	Strongly wanting to do or have something. <i>Young intellectuals <b>eager</b> for knowledge.</i>
<b>greedy</b>	Immoderately desirous of acquiring e.g. wealth. <i><b>Greedy</b> for fame.</i>
<b>hungry</b>	Causing hunger. <i>I was feeling ravenously <b>hungry</b>.</i>
<b>in need of a drink</b>	Directed or bound inward.
<b>longing</b>	Having or showing a yearning desire. <i>Her <b>longing</b> eyes.</i>
<b>parched</b>	Extremely thirsty. <i><b>Parched</b> corn.</i>
<b>waterless</b>	Lacking sufficient water or rainfall. <i>A <b>waterless</b> well.</i>
<b>yearning</b>	Involving or expressing yearning. <i>A <b>yearning</b> hope.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Thirsty" as an adjective

- *Encouragement is as water to a thirsty plant.*
- *A huge thirsty 5.3-litre engine.*
- *Thirsty fields under a rainless sky.*
- *Farmers still grow thirsty crops like rice and alfalfa.*
- *Joe was as thirsty for scandal as anyone else.*
- *The Guides were hot and thirsty.*
- *The earth was dry and thirsty.*
- *She's not even looking at you. Stop being so thirsty.*
- *Modelling is thirsty work.*
- *Thirsty towels.*
- *Thirsty for information.*



## Associations of "Thirsty" (30 Words)

- absorbent** A material having capacity or tendency to absorb another substance.  
***Absorbent** kitchen paper.*
- climate** A region with a particular climate.  
*He had grown up in a hot **climate**.*
- damp** Damp air or atmosphere.  
*Clothes **damp** with perspiration.*
- dampness** The state or condition of being slightly wet.  
*The **dampness** in the air.*
- dehydrate** Preserve by removing all water and liquids from.  
*The heat **dehydrated** us even when we stood still.*
- drench** Drench or submerge or be drenched or submerged.  
*A **drench** of sack.*

<b>drenched</b>	Abundantly covered or supplied with; often used in combination. <i><b>Drenched</b> in moonlight.</i>
<b>dry</b>	A dry or covered place. <i>He s been <b>dry</b> for ten years.</i>
<b>dusty</b>	Covered with, full of, or resembling dust. <i>A <b>dusty</b> pile of books.</i>
<b>evaporation</b>	The process of extracting moisture. <i>Thousands of employees witnessed the rapid <b>evaporation</b> of their retirement plans.</i>
<b>humid</b>	Containing or characterized by a great deal of water vapor. <i><b>Humid</b> weather.</i>
<b>humidity</b>	A quantity representing the amount of water vapour in the atmosphere or in a gas. <i>The <b>humidity</b> should be supplied by regularly spraying the leaves.</i>
<b>hungry</b>	Having a strong desire or craving. <i>A party <b>hungry</b> for power.</i>
<b>jungle</b>	A location marked by an intense competition and struggle for survival. <i>It s a <b>jungle</b> out there.</i>
<b>marshland</b>	Land consisting of marshes. <i><b>Marshland</b> landscapes.</i>
<b>marshy</b>	Characteristic of or resembling a marsh; waterlogged. <i>A <b>marshy</b> coastline.</i>
<b>moist</b>	Marked by a fluid discharge. <i>Eyes <b>moist</b> with tears.</i>
<b>moisture</b>	Water or other liquid diffused in a small quantity as vapour, within a solid, or condensed on a surface. <i>In freshly felled wood the <b>moisture</b> content varies.</i>
<b>moisturize</b>	Make (more) humid. <i>Revitalize your face <b>moisturize</b> your skin.</i>
<b>parched</b>	Dried out with heat. <i>The <b>parched</b> earth.</i>
<b>precipitation</b>	The quantity of water falling to earth at a specific place within a specified period of time. <i>Cora was already regretting her <b>precipitation</b>.</i>
<b>semiarid</b>	Somewhat arid. <i>A <b>semiarid</b> region with little annual rainfall.</i>

<b>soggy</b>	Having the consistency of dough because of insufficient leavening or improper cooking. <i>We squelched through the <b>soggy</b> ground.</i>
<b>sponge</b>	Gather sponges in the ocean. <i>She repainted the walls white then <b>sponged</b> them in turquoise green and lilac.</i>
<b>swampy</b>	Characteristic of or resembling a swamp. <i>A <b>swampy</b> area.</i>
<b>thirst</b>	Strong desire for something (not food or drink). <i>A few could drink while many <b>thirsted</b>.</i>
<b>tropics</b>	The part of the Earth's surface between the Tropic of Cancer and the Tropic of Capricorn; characterized by a hot climate.
<b><u>unquenchable</u></b>	Not able to be quenched. <i>His enthusiasm was <b>unquenchable</b>.</i>
<b>vapor</b>	The process of becoming a vapor.
<b><u>wet</u></b>	Make one's bed or clothes wet by urinating. <i>This eight year old boy still <b>wets</b> his bed.</i>

