

Need another word that means the same as “tiresome”? Find 41 synonyms and 30 related words for “tiresome” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Tiresome” are: boring, deadening, dull, ho-hum, irksome, slow, tedious, wearisome, monotonous, humdrum, laborious, wearing, prosaic, unexciting, uninteresting, uneventful, unvarying, unvaried, unremarkable, repetitive, repetitious, routine, ordinary, everyday, quotidian, run-of-the-mill, commonplace, common, workaday, usual, pedestrian, annoying, irritating, infuriating, exasperating, maddening, trying, troublesome, bothersome, vexing, vexatious

Tiresome as an Adjective

Definitions of "Tiresome" as an adjective

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

- *Causing one to feel bored or annoyed.*
- *So lacking in interest as to cause mental weariness.*



Synonyms of "Tiresome" as an adjective (41 Words)

annoying	Causing irritation or annoyance. <i>Tapping an annoying rhythm on his glass with his fork.</i>
boring	Not interesting; tedious. <i>A boring evening with uninteresting people.</i>
bothersome	Annoying; troublesome. <i>Aircraft noise is particularly bothersome near the airport.</i>
common	Commonly encountered. <i>Problems common to both communities.</i>
commonplace	Not challenging; dull and lacking excitement. <i>Commonplace everyday activities.</i>
deadening	So lacking in interest as to cause mental weariness. <i>A deadening routine.</i>
dull	Blunted in responsiveness or sensibility. <i>She said she wouldn't be dull and lonely.</i>

everyday	Happening or used every day; daily. <i>Everyday</i> clothes.
exasperating	Extremely annoying or displeasing. <i>I've had an exasperating day.</i>
ho-hum	So lacking in interest as to cause mental weariness.
humdrum	Not challenging; dull and lacking excitement. <i>Humdrum</i> routine work.
infuriating	Extremely annoying or displeasing. <i>Her infuriating indifference.</i>
irksome	So lacking in interest as to cause mental weariness. <i>An irksome journey.</i>
irritating	Serving to stimulate or excite. <i>An irritating delay.</i>
laborious	(of speech or writing style) showing obvious signs of effort and lacking in fluency. <i>Years of laborious training.</i>
maddening	Extremely annoying. <i>The ceaseless tumult of the jukebox was maddening.</i>
monotonous	Tediously repetitious or lacking in variety. <i>Nothing is so monotonous as the sea.</i>
ordinary	With no special or distinctive features; normal. <i>He sets out to depict ordinary people.</i>
pedestrian	Lacking inspiration or excitement; dull. <i>A pedestrian movie plot.</i>
prosaic	Having or using the style or diction of prose as opposed to poetry; lacking imaginativeness or originality. <i>The masses were too preoccupied by prosaic day to day concerns.</i>
quotidian	Found in the ordinary course of events. <i>His story is an achingly human one mired in quotidian details.</i>
repetitious	Characterized by repetition. <i>Many hours of repetitious labour.</i>
repetitive	Repetitive and persistent. <i>A repetitive task.</i>
routine	Found in the ordinary course of events- Anita Diamant. <i>The Ministry insisted that this was just a routine annual drill.</i>
run-of-the-mill	Not special in any way.

slow	Slow to learn or understand lacking intellectual acuity. <i>A slow process.</i>
<u>tedious</u>	Too long, slow, or dull; tiresome or monotonous. <i>Tedious days on the train.</i>
<u>troublesome</u>	Difficult to deal with. <i>A troublesome situation.</i>
trying	Hard to endure. <i>It had been a very trying day.</i>
<u>uneventful</u>	Not marked by interesting or exciting events. <i>A place where dull people lead uneventful lives.</i>
unexciting	Not stimulating. <i>Many school prospectuses are dull and unexciting.</i>
uninteresting	Arousing no interest or attention or curiosity or excitement. <i>A very uninteresting account of her trip.</i>
<u>unremarkable</u>	Found in the ordinary course of events. <i>An unremarkable house.</i>
unvaried	Lacking variety. <i>A plain unvaried diet.</i>
unvarying	Unvarying in nature. <i>Principles of unvarying validity.</i>
<u>usual</u>	Occurring or encountered or experienced or observed frequently or in accordance with regular practice or procedure. <i>The usual summer heat.</i>
<u>vexatious</u>	Causing irritation or annoyance. <i>A frivolous or vexatious litigant.</i>
vexing	Causing annoyance, frustration, or worry. <i>The most vexing questions for policymakers.</i>
wearing	Mentally or physically tiring. <i>It would be a lot less wearing if we could work together amicably.</i>
wearisome	So lacking in interest as to cause mental weariness. <i>Other people's dreams are dreadfully wearisome.</i>
workaday	Found in the ordinary course of events. <i>The workaday world of timecards and performance reviews.</i>



Usage Examples of "Tiresome" as an adjective

- *Weeding is a tiresome but essential job.*
- *The tiresome chirping of a cricket.*



Associations of "Tiresome" (30 Words)

annoying	The act of troubling or annoying someone. <i>Annoying habits.</i>
banality	The fact or condition of being banal; unoriginality. <i>There is an essential banality to the story he tells.</i>
<u>bore</u>	Cause to be bored. <i>Bore a hole in the wall to pass the cable through.</i>
bored	Tired of the world. <i>Bored with life.</i>
<u>boredom</u>	The state of feeling bored. <i>I ll die of boredom if I live that long.</i>
boring	The act of drilling. <i>A boring evening with uninteresting people.</i>
bromide	A sedative preparation containing potassium bromide. <i>Feel good bromides create the illusion of problem solving.</i>
dull	Become dull or lusterless in appearance lose shine or brightness. <i>A dull throbbing.</i>
ennui	The feeling of being bored by something tedious. <i>He succumbed to ennui and despair.</i>
exhausting	Making one feel very tired; very tiring. <i>An exhausting job in the hot sun.</i>
fatigue	A group of soldiers ordered to do menial tasks. <i>Growing fatigue was apparent from the decline in the execution of their athletic skills.</i>
featureless	Lacking distinguishing characteristics or features. <i>The featureless landscape of the steppe.</i>
humdrum	Tediously repetitious or lacking in variety. <i>Humdrum routine work.</i>
irksome	Irritating; annoying. <i>What an irksome task the writing of long letters is.</i>
jejune	(of ideas or writings) dry and uninteresting. <i>The jejune diets of the very poor.</i>
<u>lackluster</u>	Lacking brilliance or vitality. <i>A dull lackluster life.</i>
<u>monotonous</u>	Sounded or spoken in a tone unvarying in pitch. <i>Her slurred monotonous speech.</i>

<u>monotony</u>	Sameness of pitch or tone in a sound or utterance. <i>Depression flattens the voice almost to monotony.</i>
ponderous	Having great mass and weight and unwieldiness. <i>The show is loaded down with ponderous one liners.</i>
prolixity	Boring verbosity.
prosaic	Lacking wit or imagination. <i>A prosaic and unimaginative essay.</i>
<u>tedious</u>	Too long, slow, or dull; tiresome or monotonous. <i>Tedious days on the train.</i>
tedium	Dullness owing to length or slowness. <i>The tedium of car journeys.</i>
tired	(of a thing) no longer fresh or in good condition. <i>I have to look after these animals when you get tired of them.</i>
<u>tiring</u>	Causing one to need rest or sleep; fatiguing. <i>It had been a tiring day.</i>
uninteresting	Not arousing curiosity or interest. <i>The scenery is dull and uninteresting.</i>
unvaried	Not involving change. <i>A plain unvaried diet.</i>
<u>vapid</u>	Lacking significance or liveliness or spirit or zest. <i>Vapid tea.</i>
wearing	The mechanical process of wearing or grinding something down as by particles washing over it. <i>A plan of action will make the whole event a less wearing experience.</i>
wearisome	Causing one to feel tired or bored. <i>Other people's dreams are dreadfully wearisome.</i>

