

Need another word that means the same as “unattractive”? Find 11 synonyms and 30 related words for “unattractive” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Unattractive” are: untempting, ill-favoured, hideous, plain, unlovely, unprepossessing, unsightly, displeasing, disagreeable, ugly, unappealing**

## Unattractive as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Unattractive" as an adjective

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

- *Lacking power to arouse interest.*
- *Not appealing to the senses.*
- *Having no inviting or beneficial features.*
- *Not pleasing or appealing to look at.*
- *Lacking beauty or charm.*

### Synonyms of "Unattractive" as an adjective (11 Words)

<b><a href="#">disagreeable</a></b>	Unpleasant to interact with. <i>A <b>disagreeable</b> old man.</i>
<b>displeasing</b>	Causing displeasure or lacking pleasing qualities. <i>It was not entirely <b>displeasing</b> to be the centre of such a drama.</i>
<b>hideous</b>	Extremely unpleasant. <i>A <b>hideous</b> pattern of injustice.</i>
<b>ill-favoured</b>	Usually used of a face.

<b>plain</b>	Denoting or relating to a type of knitting stitch produced by putting the needle through the front of each stitch from left to right. <i>Donations can be put in a <b>plain</b> envelope.</i>
<b>unappealing</b>	(of characters in literature or drama) tending to evoke antipathetic feelings. <i>Was forced to talk to his singularly <b>unappealing</b> hostess.</i>
<b>unlovely</b>	Without beauty or charm. <i><b>Unlovely</b> tower blocks.</i>
<b>unprepossessing</b>	Creating an unfavorable or neutral first impression. <i>Despite his <b>unprepossessing</b> appearance he had an animal magnetism.</i>
<b>unsightly</b>	Unpleasant to look at; ugly. <i>An <b>unsightly</b> rubbish tip.</i>
<b>untempting</b>	Not tempting. <i><b>Untempting</b> food.</i>

## Usage Examples of "Unattractive" as an adjective

- *He was an extremely unattractive man with no sex appeal.*
- *An unattractive deep red brick.*
- *As unattractive as most mining regions.*
- *She believed she was unattractive and overweight.*
- *The silence was broken by a strange and unattractive sound.*
- *If the revised bid is unattractive, it may not be accepted.*
- *Being unemployed is a most unattractive prospect.*

## Associations of "Unattractive" (30 Words)

<b>atrocious</b>	Of a very poor quality; extremely bad or unpleasant. <i>He attempted an <b>atrocious</b> imitation of my English accent.</i>
<b>banal</b>	So lacking in originality as to be obvious and boring. <i>Songs with <b>banal</b> repeated words.</i>
<b>banality</b>	A trite or obvious remark. <i>There is an essential <b>banality</b> to the story he tells.</i>
<b>boring</b>	The act of drilling a hole in the earth in the hope of producing petroleum. <i>A <b>boring</b> evening with uninteresting people.</i>
<b>dull</b>	Make dull or blunt. <i>When cutting hard rock the edge soon became <b>dull</b>.</i>

<b>ennui</b>	A feeling of listlessness and dissatisfaction arising from a lack of occupation or excitement. <i>He succumbed to <b>ennui</b> and despair.</i>
<b><u>exterior</u></b>	The outer side or surface of something. <i><b>Exterior</b> locations.</i>
<b>eyesore</b>	A thing that is very ugly, especially a building. <i>The office crumbled into an <b>eyesore</b>.</i>
<b>featureless</b>	Lacking distinctive attributes or aspects. <i>A <b>featureless</b> landscape of snow and ice.</i>
<b>homely</b>	Without artificial refinement or elegance. <i><b>Homely</b> truths.</i>
<b>humdrum</b>	Monotonous routine. <i>An escape from the <b>humdrum</b> of his life.</i>
<b><u>indecorous</u></b>	Lacking propriety and good taste in manners and conduct. <i>A pub crawl with sundry <b>indecorous</b> adventures.</i>
<b>irksome</b>	Irritating; annoying. <i>Petty regulations were becoming very <b>irksome</b>.</i>
<b><u>lackluster</u></b>	Lacking luster or shine. <i>Staring with <b>lackluster</b> eyes.</i>
<b><u>monotonous</u></b>	Sounded or spoken in a tone unvarying in pitch. <i>The owl's faint <b>monotonous</b> hooting.</i>
<b><u>monotony</u></b>	Constancy of tone or pitch or inflection. <i>He had never grown accustomed to the <b>monotony</b> of his work.</i>
<b>plain</b>	Express complaints discontent displeasure or unhappiness. <i>I'm finished with you I'll tell you <b>plain</b>.</i>
<b>prosaic</b>	Commonplace; unromantic. <i>A <b>prosaic</b> and unimaginative essay.</i>
<b><u>tedious</u></b>	Too long, slow, or dull; tiresome or monotonous. <i>A <b>tedious</b> journey.</i>
<b><u>trite</u></b>	Repeated too often; overfamiliar through overuse. <i>This point may now seem obvious and <b>trite</b>.</i>
<b><u>unbecoming</u></b>	(of behaviour) not fitting or appropriate; unseemly. <i>It was <b>unbecoming</b> for a university to do anything so crass as advertising its wares.</i>
<b>undistinguished</b>	Not worthy of notice. <i>An <b>undistinguished</b> career.</i>

<b>unlovely</b>	Without beauty or charm. <i><b>Unlovely</b> tower blocks.</i>
<b>unprepossessing</b>	Not attractive or appealing to the eye. <i>Despite his <b>unprepossessing</b> appearance he had an animal magnetism.</i>
<b><u>unremarkable</u></b>	Not particularly interesting or surprising. <i>His early childhood was <b>unremarkable</b>.</i>
<b>unseemly</b>	Not in keeping with accepted standards of what is right or proper in polite society. <i>An <b>unseemly</b> squabble.</i>
<b>unsightly</b>	Unpleasant to look at; ugly. <i><b>Unsightly</b> billboards.</i>
<b>unvaried</b>	Not involving change. <i>A plain <b>unvaried</b> diet.</i>
<b>wearisome</b>	So lacking in interest as to cause mental weariness. <i>They insisted on his presence at <b>wearisome</b> musical soir es.</i>