

Need another word that means the same as “unimportant”? Find 29 synonyms and 30 related words for “unimportant” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Unimportant” are: insignificant, inconsequential, trivial, minor, slight, trifling, of little importance, of no importance, of little consequence, of no consequence, of no account, of no moment, immaterial, irrelevant, peripheral, extraneous, not worth mentioning, not worth speaking of, petty, paltry, insubstantial, light, inconsiderable, superficial, inferior, worthless, nugatory, pointless, frivolous**

## Unimportant as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Unimportant" as an adjective

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

- *Not important.*
- *Devoid of importance, meaning, or force.*
- *Lacking in importance or significance.*

### Synonyms of "Unimportant" as an adjective (29 Words)

<b>extraneous</b>	Separate from the object to which it is attached. <i>Water free of <b>extraneous</b> matter.</i>
<b>frivolous</b>	(of a person) carefree and superficial. <i>Rules to stop <b>frivolous</b> lawsuits.</i>

<u><b>immaterial</b></u>	Without material form or substance. <i>Whether you choose to do it or not is a matter that is quite <b>immaterial</b> or indifferent.</i>
<u><b>inconsequential</b></u>	Not following logically as a consequence. <i>His work seems trivial and <b>inconsequential</b>.</i>
<b>inconsiderable</b>	Too small or unimportant to merit attention. <i>A not <b>inconsiderable</b> artist.</i>
<u><b>inferior</b></u>	Of low or inferior quality. <i>Schooling in inner city areas was <b>inferior</b> to that in the rest of the country.</i>
<u><b>insignificant</b></u>	Devoid of importance, meaning, or force. <i>She was so small and <b>insignificant</b>.</i>
<b>insubstantial</b>	Lacking in nutritive value. <i>Vinyl siding has become the standard bearer for cheap <b>insubstantial</b> construction.</i>
<u><b>irrelevant</b></u>	Having no bearing on or connection with the subject at issue. <i>An <b>irrelevant</b> comment.</i>
<b>light</b>	Having a considerable or sufficient amount of natural light not dark. <i><b>Light</b> headed with wine.</i>
<u><b>minor</b></u>	Of a key or mode based on a minor scale and tending to produce a sad or pensive effect. <i>A <b>minor</b> official.</i>
<b>not worth mentioning</b>	Having a specified value.
<b>not worth speaking of</b>	Having a specified value.
<b>nugatory</b>	Useless or futile. <i>A <b>nugatory</b> law.</i>
<b>of little consequence</b>	Small in a way that arouses feelings (of tenderness or its opposite depending on the context.
<b>of little importance</b>	Small and of little importance.
<b>of no account</b>	Quantifier; used with either mass nouns or plural count nouns for indicating a complete or almost complete lack or zero quantity of.
<b>of no consequence</b>	Quantifier; used with either mass nouns or plural count nouns for indicating a complete or almost complete lack or zero quantity of.
<b>of no importance</b>	Quantifier; used with either mass nouns or plural count nouns for indicating a complete or almost complete lack or zero quantity of.

<b>of no moment</b>	Quantifier; used with either mass nouns or plural count nouns for indicating a complete or almost complete lack or zero quantity of.
<b>paltry</b>	(of an amount) very small or meagre. <i>He considered the prize too <b>paltry</b> for the lives it must cost.</i>
<b>peripheral</b>	Near the surface of the body, with special reference to the circulation and nervous system. <i>She will see their problems as <b>peripheral</b> to her own.</i>
<b>petty</b>	Of little importance; trivial. <i><b>Petty</b> theft.</i>
<b>pointless</b>	Having no points scores. <i>A <b>pointless</b> remark.</i>
<b>slight</b>	Being of delicate or slender build. <i>There s a <b>slight</b> chance it will work.</i>
<b>superficial</b>	Of little substance or significance. <i>The <b>superficial</b> report didn t give the true picture.</i>
<b>trifling</b>	Not worth considering. <i>A <b>trifling</b> matter.</i>
<b>trivial</b>	Concerned with trivialities. <i><b>Trivial</b> details.</i>
<b>worthless</b>	Having no real value or use. <i>That promise is <b>worthless</b>.</i>

## Usage Examples of "Unimportant" as an adjective

- *Trivial and unimportant details.*
- *A relatively unimportant feature of the system.*
- *The question seems unimportant.*

## Associations of "Unimportant" (30 Words)

<b>bauble</b>	Cheap showy jewelry or ornament on clothing. <i>Once stripped of their tinsel and <b>baubles</b> most Christmas trees end up in landfill.</i>
<b>ethereal</b>	Extremely delicate and light in a way that seems not to be of this world. <i><b>Ethereal</b> melodies.</i>
<b>flimsy</b>	A document, especially a copy, made on very thin paper. <i>Sheets of yellow <b>flimsy</b>.</i>

<b>frivolous</b>	(of a person) carefree and superficial. <i>The <b>frivolous</b> fun loving flappers of the twenties.</i>
<b><u>immaterial</u></b>	Of no importance or relevance especially to a law case. <i>Ghosts and other <b>immaterial</b> entities.</i>
<b><u>inconsequential</u></b>	Not important or significant. <i>They talked about <b>inconsequential</b> things.</i>
<b>inconsiderable</b>	Of small size, amount, or extent. <i>A not <b>inconsiderable</b> amount of money.</i>
<b>indifferent</b>	Having no particular interest or sympathy; unconcerned. <i>In spite of very <b>indifferent</b> weather.</i>
<b><u>insignificant</u></b>	(of a person) without power or influence. <i><b>Insignificant</b> sounds.</i>
<b>insubstantial</b>	Lacking in nutritive value. <i>Vinyl siding has become the standard bearer for cheap <b>insubstantial</b> construction.</i>
<b>lightweight</b>	A lightweight boxer or other competitor. <i>A <b>lightweight</b> fabric.</i>
<b>meanness</b>	Lack of generosity; miserliness. <i>All the hatred and <b>meanness</b> despair and sorrow surrounding us.</i>
<b>miniature</b>	A very small bottle of spirits. <i>She saw her own reflection <b>miniatured</b>.</i>
<b><u>minor</u></b>	Of a premise containing the minor term in a categorical syllogism. <i>She requested a number of <b>minor</b> alterations.</i>
<b><u>negligible</u></b>	So small as to be meaningless; insignificant. <i>He said that the risks were <b>negligible</b>.</i>
<b>nominal</b>	Relating to or constituting or bearing or giving a name. <i>EU legislation allowed variation around the <b>nominal</b> weight that printed on each packet.</i>
<b>paltry</b>	Not worth considering. <i>He considered the prize too <b>paltry</b> for the lives it must cost.</i>
<b>peccadillo</b>	A relatively minor fault or sin. <i>The sexual <b>peccadilloes</b> of celebrities aren't necessarily news.</i>
<b>pettiness</b>	Undue concern with trivial matters, especially of a small-minded or spiteful nature. <i>The sheer <b>pettiness</b> of the officials was quite startling.</i>

<b>petty</b>	Unduly concerned with trivial matters, especially in a small-minded or spiteful way. <i>She thought readers were being <b>petty</b> in writing to complain about blocked paths.</i>
<b>picayune</b>	A small coin of little value, especially a 5-cent piece. <i>Giving a police officer a free meal may be against the law but it seems to be a <b>picayune</b> infraction.</i>
<b>piddling</b>	(informal) small and of little importance. <i><b>Piddling</b> little questions.</i>
<u><b>secondary</b></u>	A secondary coil or winding in an electrical transformer. <i>When a bear eats a plant eating rodent the bear is functioning as a <b>secondary</b> consumer.</i>
<b>slight</b>	Lacking substance or significance. <i>The chance of success is very <b>slight</b>.</i>
<u><b>tenuous</b></u>	Having thin consistency. <i>A <b>tenuous</b> thread.</i>
<b>trifling</b>	The deliberate act of delaying and playing instead of working. <i>A <b>trifling</b> matter.</i>
<u><b>trivial</b></u>	Concerned with trivialities. <i>Only <b>trivial</b> objections.</i>
<b>undersized</b>	Smaller than normal for its kind. <i>The <b>undersized</b> cubs may not survive the winter.</i>
<b>undistinguished</b>	Lacking distinction; unexceptional. <i>An <b>undistinguished</b> career.</i>
<b>unessential</b>	Not basic or fundamental. <i>A train has broken down resulting in a call to postpone all <b>unessential</b> travel.</i>