

Need another word that means the same as “unintended”? Find 18 synonyms and 30 related words for “unintended” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Unintended” are: heedless, thoughtless, unmindful, careless, injudicious, ill-advised, ill-considered, imprudent, unwise, foolish, silly, stupid, reckless, rash, precipitate, negligent, neglectful, remiss

Unintended as an Adjective

Definitions of "Unintended" as an adjective

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

- *Not deliberate.*
- *Not planned or meant.*



Synonyms of "Unintended" as an adjective (18 Words)

careless

Not giving sufficient attention or thought to avoiding harm or errors.
Careless about her clothes.

foolish

Lacking good sense or judgement; unwise.
A foolish decision.

heedless

Marked by or paying little heed or attention—Franklin D. Roosevelt.
The heedless generosity and the spasmodic extravagance of persons used to large fortunes.

ill-advised

Without careful prior deliberation or counsel.

ill-considered Not given careful consideration.

imprudent

Not showing care for the consequences of an action; rash.
An imprudent remark.

injudicious	Lacking or showing lack of judgment or discretion; unwise. <i>The result of an injudicious decision.</i>
neglectful	Not showing due care or attention. <i>You are being neglectful of our guests.</i>
negligent	Characterized by neglect and undue lack of concern. <i>The council had been negligent in its supervision of the children in care.</i>
precipitate	Occurring suddenly or abruptly. <i>Wondered whether they had been rather precipitate in deposing the king.</i>
rash	Imprudently incurring risk- George Meredith. <i>Do something rash that he will forever repent.</i>
reckless	Marked by defiant disregard for danger or consequences. <i>Became the fiercest and most reckless of partisans.</i>
remiss	Lacking care or attention to duty; negligent. <i>Remiss of you not to pay your bills.</i>
silly	Lacking seriousness; given to frivolity. <i>He often drank himself silly.</i>
thoughtless	Without consideration of the possible consequences. <i>The debate turned into thoughtless bickering.</i>
unmindful	Lacking conscious awareness of. <i>While thus unmindful of his steps he stumbled.</i>
unwise	(of a person or action) not wise or sensible; foolish. <i>An unwise investor is soon impoverished.</i>

Usage Examples of "Unintended" as an adjective

- *The unintended consequences of people's actions.*

Associations of "Unintended" (30 Words)

accidental	A musical notation that makes a note sharp or flat or natural although that is not part of the key signature. <i>Accidental poisoning.</i>
accidentally	Without intention; in an unintentional manner. <i>Accidentally knocked the vase over.</i>
casually	Not methodically or according to plan. <i>People who casually throw rubbish around the streets.</i>

<u>coincide</u>	Be present at the same place and at the same time. <i>The two long distance walks briefly coincide here.</i>
<u>coincidence</u>	A remarkable concurrence of events or circumstances without apparent causal connection. <i>They met by coincidence.</i>
concurrent	(of three or more lines) meeting at or tending towards one point. <i>He received concurrent sentences of two years imprisonment for each of his two convictions.</i>
<u>fortuitous</u>	Happening by a lucky chance; fortunate. <i>Fortuitous encounters strange accidents of fortune.</i>
hap	An accidental happening. <i>Where er I happd to roam.</i>
happen	Happen occur or be the case in the course of events or by chance Santayana. <i>Do you happen to know who her doctor is.</i>
happenstance	An event that might have been arranged although it was really accidental. <i>It was just happenstance that I happened to be there.</i>
inadvertent	Happening by chance or unexpectedly or unintentionally. <i>An inadvertent administrative error occurred that resulted in an overpayment.</i>
<u>inadvertently</u>	Without intention; accidentally. <i>His name had been inadvertently omitted from the list.</i>
inattentive	Failing to attend to the comfort or wishes of others. <i>Inattentive students.</i>
incidental	An incidental expense event etc. <i>For the fieldworker who deals with real problems paperwork is incidental.</i>
incidentally	Introducing a different topic. <i>These magnificent achievements were only incidentally influenced by Oriental models.</i>
occur	Happen; take place. <i>Nothing occurred that seemed important.</i>
<u>simultaneous</u>	Occurring or operating at the same time. <i>Simultaneous translation.</i>
simultaneously	At the same instant. <i>The telethon was broadcast simultaneously on 31 US networks.</i>
synchronism	The relation that exists when things occur at the same time.

<u>unaware</u>	Having no knowledge of a situation or fact. <i>The most unaware person I've known.</i>
unconsciously	Without awareness. <i>Unconsciously she has spent her whole life looking for a man who could live up to the ideal of her father.</i>
<u>unexpected</u>	Not expected or anticipated. <i>Unexpected news.</i>
<u>unintentional</u>	Not done with purpose or intent. <i>An unintentional pun.</i>
<u>unintentionally</u>	Not on purpose. <i>I may have unintentionally misled some of you.</i>
<u>unknowingly</u>	Without being aware of something; unintentionally. <i>The Minister perhaps unknowingly misled Parliament.</i>
unknown	An unknown person or thing. <i>An unknown island.</i>
<u>unwillingly</u>	In an unwilling manner. <i>He unwillingly went back to the family business in the City.</i>
unwitting	Not done with purpose or intent. <i>We are anxious to rectify the unwitting mistakes made in the past.</i>
unwittingly	Without knowledge or intention. <i>Youngsters can become unwittingly involved in gangs.</i>