

Need another word that means the same as “unwanted”? Find 26 synonyms and 30 related words for “unwanted” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Unwanted” are: undesirable, unwelcome, undesired, unpopular, unfortunate, unlucky, unfavourable, untoward, unused, left over, surplus, superfluous, redundant, uninvited, intruding, unbidden, unasked, unrequested, unsolicited, friendless, unloved, uncared-for, forsaken, rejected, shunned, disliked**

## Unwanted as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Unwanted" as an adjective

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

- *Not or no longer desired.*
- *Not wanted.*
- *Not wanted; not needed.*



## Synonyms of "Unwanted" as an adjective (26 Words)

<b>disliked</b>	Regarded with aversion. <i>He was intensely <b>disliked</b>.</i>
<b>forsaken</b>	Abandoned or deserted. <i>A journey into forgotten and <b>forsaken</b> places.</i>
<b>friendless</b>	Excluded from a society. <i>They have been left virtually <b>friendless</b>.</i>
<b>intruding</b>	Projecting inward.
<b>left over</b>	Intended for the left hand.
<b>redundant</b>	More than is needed, desired, or required. <i>At the risk of being <b>redundant</b> I return to my original proposition.</i>
<b>rejected</b>	Rebuffed (by a lover) without warning.
<b>shunned</b>	Persistently avoided, ignored, or rejected. <i>A <b>shunned</b> and lonely character.</i>

<b>superfluous</b>	Serving no useful purpose; having no excuse for being. <i>The purchaser should avoid asking for <b>superfluous</b> information.</i>
<b>surplus</b>	More than what is needed or used; excess. <i>She had picked up her boots in an army <b>surplus</b> store.</i>
<b>unasked</b>	Uninvited. <i>The memories he had poured <b>unasked</b> into her head.</i>
<b>unbidden</b>	Without having been commanded or invited. <i><b>Unbidden</b> tears came to his eyes.</i>
<b>uncared-for</b>	Lacking needed care and attention.
<b>undesirable</b>	Not worthy of being chosen (especially as a spouse). <i><b>Undesirable</b> impurities in steel.</i>
<b>undesired</b>	(especially of an act or consequence) not wanted or desired. <i><b>Undesired</b> effects were reported in 12 of 19 patients in the group.</i>
<b>unfavourable</b>	Involving or creating circumstances detrimental to success or effectiveness. <i><b>Unfavourable</b> economic conditions.</i>
<b>unfortunate</b>	Regrettable or inappropriate. <i>An <b>unfortunate</b> turn of events.</i>
<b>uninvited</b>	(of a person) arriving somewhere or acting without having been asked. <i>Strange <b>uninvited</b> thoughts crossed her mind.</i>
<b>unloved</b>	Not loved. <i>A large and <b>unloved</b> bureaucracy.</i>
<b>unlucky</b>	Marked by or promising bad fortune- W.H.Prescott. <i>Friday the 13th is an <b>unlucky</b> date.</i>
<b>unpopular</b>	Not liked or popular. <i>An <b>unpopular</b> war.</i>
<b>unrequested</b>	Not asked for. <i>The merchandise was <b>unrequested</b>.</i>
<b>unsolicited</b>	Not asked for; given or done voluntarily. <i><b>Unsolicited</b> junk mail.</i>
<b>untoward</b>	Unexpected and inappropriate or inconvenient. <i>Moved to curb their <b>untoward</b> ribaldry.</i>
<b>unused</b>	Not in active use. <i><b>Unused</b> to spicy food she took a long mouthful of water.</i>
<b>unwelcome</b>	(of a guest or new arrival) not gladly received. <i><b>Unwelcome</b> attentions from men.</i>





## Usage Examples of "Unwanted" as an adjective

- *She felt unwanted.*
- *Removed the unwanted vegetation.*
- *Tried to give away unwanted kittens.*
- *Affairs can lead to unwanted pregnancies.*





## Associations of "Unwanted" (30 Words)

- abandoned** Unrestrained and uninhibited.  
*Abandoned* pets.
- abandonment** The voluntary surrender of property (or a right to property) without attempting to reclaim it or give it away.  
*She had a feeling of utter **abandonment** and loneliness.*
- abominate** Detest; loathe.  
*They **abominated** the very idea of monarchy.*
- advertisement** A notice or announcement in a public medium promoting a product, service, or event or publicizing a job vacancy.  
*Unhappy clients are not a good **advertisement** for the firm.*
- derelict** A ship or other piece of property abandoned by the owner and in poor condition.  
***Derelict** or delinquent in his duty.*

<b>deserted</b>	(of a place) empty of people. <i><b>Deserted</b> beaches of soft sand.</i>
<b>deserter</b>	A member of the armed forces who deserts. <i><b>Deserters</b> from the army.</i>
<b>desertion</b>	Withdrawing support or help despite allegiance or responsibility. <i>The number of <b>desertions</b> was rising.</i>
<b>devolve</b>	Pass on or delegate to another. <i>The discussion <b>devolved</b> into a shouting match.</i>
<b>discarded</b>	Thrown away.
<b>disinclined</b>	Unwilling; reluctant. <i>The rural community was <b>disinclined</b> to abandon the old ways.</i>
<b>displease</b>	Make (someone) feel annoyed or dissatisfied. <i>The tone of the letter <b>displeased</b> him.</i>
<b>disqualify</b>	(of a feature or characteristic) make (someone) unsuitable for an office or activity. <i>She was disqualified after failing a drugs test.</i>
<b>execrable</b>	Of very poor quality or condition. <i><b>Execrable</b> crimes.</i>
<b>flyer</b>	Someone who operates an aircraft. <i>His free kick was a real <b>flyer</b>.</i>
<b>garbage</b>	Food that is discarded (as from a kitchen). <i>She tossed the moldy bread into the <b>garbage</b>.</i>
<b>handbill</b>	A small printed advertisement or other notice distributed by hand.
<b>hate</b>	Intense dislike. <i>I d <b>hate</b> to live there.</i>
<b>incompetent</b>	An incompetent person. <i>The patient is deemed legally <b>incompetent</b>.</i>
<b>ineligible</b>	Prohibited by official rules. <i><b>Ineligible</b> to vote.</i>
<b>negation</b>	The absence or opposite of something actual or positive. <i>The <b>negation</b> of A is briefly not A.</i>
<b>negative</b>	Having a negative charge. <i>The new tax was having a <b>negative</b> effect on car sales.</i>
<b>reluctant</b>	Unwillingness to do something contrary to your custom. <i>She seemed <b>reluctant</b> to answer.</i>
<b>remains</b>	Any object that is left unused or still extant. <i>He left instructions regarding the disposal of his <b>remains</b>.</i>



<b>throwaway</b>	Denoting or relating to products that are intended to be discarded after being used once or a few times. <i>The song is hardly even a <b>throwaway</b>.</i>
<b>unclaimed</b>	Not demanded or requested as being something one has a right to. <i><b>Unclaimed</b> benefits.</i>
<b><u>undesirable</u></b>	One whose presence is undesirable. <i>The drug s <b>undesirable</b> side effects.</i>
<b><u>unsuitable</u></b>	Not conducive to good moral development. <i>The movie is <b>unsuitable</b> for children.</i>
<b>upset</b>	The act of upsetting something. <i>She didn t realize the <b>upset</b> she caused me.</i>
<b><u>vacate</u></b>	Leave (a place that one previously occupied). <i>The Justices <b>vacated</b> a ruling by the federal appeals court.</i>

