

Need another word that means the same as “wondering”? Find 3 synonyms and 30 related words for “wondering” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Wondering” are: inquisitive, questioning, speculative**

## **Wondering as an Adjective**

### **Definitions of "Wondering" as an adjective**

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

- *Showing curiosity.*
- *Characterized by or expressive of a desire to know something; curious.*
- *Characterized by or expressive of admiration and amazement.*



## Synonyms of "Wondering" as an adjective (3 Words)

- inquisitive** Inquiring or appearing to inquire.  
*I didn't like to seem **inquisitive**.*
- questioning** (of a look) suggesting that information is sought.  
*Aaron shot her a **questioning** glance.*
- speculative** (of an investment) involving a high risk of loss.  
***Speculative** knowledge.*





### **Usage Examples of "Wondering" as an adjective**

- *Peter listened with an air of wondering astonishment.*
- *Unsure where she was leading to, I cast her a wondering look.*





## Associations of "Wondering" (30 Words)

<b>amaze</b>	Affect with wonder. <i>He has been <b>amazed</b> by the quality of the employees at the bank.</i>
<b>amazed</b>	Greatly surprised; astonished. <i>He was <b>amazed</b> at how modern everything was.</i>
<b>amazing</b>	Causing great surprise or wonder; astonishing. <i>New York is an <b>amazing</b> city.</i>
<b>astonish</b>	Surprise or impress (someone) greatly. <i>It <b>astonished</b> her that he was so anxious.</i>
<b>astonishing</b>	So surprisingly impressive as to stun or overwhelm. <i>An <b>astonishing</b> achievement.</i>
<b>astounding</b>	So surprisingly impressive as to stun or overwhelm. <i>An <b>astounding</b> achievement.</i>

<b>awesome</b>	Inspiring awe or admiration or wonder. <i>The <b>awesome</b> power of the atomic bomb.</i>
<b>bemuse</b>	Cause to be confused emotionally. <i>He was <b>bemused</b> by what was happening.</i>
<b>busybody</b>	A meddling or prying person. <i>Others considered him an interfering <b>busybody</b>.</i>
<b>bystander</b>	A nonparticipant spectator. <i>Water cannons were turned on marchers and innocent <b>bystanders</b> alike.</i>
<b>curious</b>	Eager to investigate and learn or learn more (sometimes about others' concerns). <i><b>Curious</b> about the neighbor s doings.</i>
<b>flabbergasted</b>	As if struck dumb with astonishment and surprise. <i><b>Flabbergasted</b> fans took to the streets to celebrate the team s big win.</i>
<b>incredible</b>	Difficult to believe; extraordinary. <i>The book s plot is simply <b>incredible</b>.</i>
<b>inquiring</b>	Showing an interest in learning new things. <i>He sent her an <b>inquiring</b> glance.</i>
<b>inquisitive</b>	Showing curiosity. <i>The police are proverbially <b>inquisitive</b>.</i>
<b>interrogative</b>	Some linguists consider interrogative sentences to constitute a mood. <i>A hard <b>interrogative</b> stare.</i>
<b>interrogatory</b>	Relating to the use of or having the nature of an interrogation. <i>She abandoned her <b>interrogatory</b> monologue.</i>
<b>marvelous</b>	Too improbable to admit of belief. <i>A <b>marvelous</b> collection of rare books.</i>
<b>nosy</b>	Offensively curious or inquisitive. <i>He flipped through my letters in his <b>nosy</b> way.</i>
<b>perplexed</b>	Completely baffled; very puzzled. <i><b>Perplexed</b> state of the world.</i>
<b>puzzled</b>	Filled with bewilderment. <i>She looked <b>puzzled</b> and angry with him.</i>
<b>questioning</b>	The action of asking someone questions, especially in an official context. <i>The <b>questioning</b> mind of a child.</i>
<b>quizzical</b>	(of a person's expression or behaviour) indicating mild or amused puzzlement. <i>One of the most <b>quizzical</b> movies ever made.</i>

<b>redoubtable</b>	Worthy of respect or honor. <i>The <b>redoubtable</b> ladies.</i>
<b>speculative</b>	Showing curiosity. <i>Raised a <b>speculative</b> eyebrow.</i>
<b><u>staggering</u></b>	So surprisingly impressive as to stun or overwhelm. <i>The <b>staggering</b> bills for maintenance and repair.</i>
<b>stupefy</b>	Make dull or stupid or muddle with drunkenness or infatuation. <i>The offence of administering drugs to a woman with intent to <b>stupefy</b> her.</i>
<b>surprise</b>	Cause to be surprised. <i><b>Surprise</b> major.</i>
<b>surprised</b>	Taken unawares or suddenly and feeling wonder or astonishment. <i><b>Surprised</b> that he remembered my name.</i>
<b>wonder</b>	A thing or a quality of something that causes wonder. <i>The <b>wonders</b> of modern science.</i>



