

# Adorn

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Verb

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<b>Meaning</b>	To decorate or add beauty to something
<b>Example</b>	She adorned the hall with flowers and lights.
<b>Sentence</b>	The bride adorned herself with traditional jewelry.
<b>Mnemonic</b>	Adorn = Add + Ornament
<b>Synonyms</b>	Decorate, Beautify
<b>Antonyms</b>	Disfigure, Deface

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# Adroit

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Adjective

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<b>Meaning</b>	Clever or skillful in using the hands or mind
<b>Example</b>	The magician was adroit at sleight of hand tricks.
<b>Sentence</b>	She is adroit in handling complex negotiations.
<b>Mnemonic</b>	Adroit = A-draw-it = skill with hands
<b>Synonyms</b>	Skillful, Dexterous
<b>Antonyms</b>	Clumsy, Inept

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# Adulate

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Verb

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**Meaning**

To praise someone excessively or obsequiously

**Example**

The fans adulated the singer after the concert.

**Sentence**

He was adulated by his followers like a god.

**Mnemonic**

Adulate = Add + Applaud excessively

**Synonyms**

Flatter, Worship

**Antonyms**

Criticize, Insult

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# Adulation

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Noun

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**Meaning**

Excessive praise or admiration

**Example**

The celebrity enjoyed the constant adulation.

**Sentence**

His speech was met with unnecessary adulation from his peers.

**Mnemonic**

Adulation = Adore + Ovation

**Synonyms**

Praise, Flattery

**Antonyms**

Criticism, Disdain

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# Adulterate

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Verb

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**Meaning**

To make something poorer in quality by adding another substance

**Example**

The milk was found to be adulterated with water.

**Sentence**

Don't adulterate truth with lies.

**Mnemonic**

Adulterate = Adult + Rate — fake increase in value

**Synonyms**

Contaminate, Degrade

**Antonyms**

Purify, Refine

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