

splendid['splendid] *a*

1. 1) блестящий, отличный
splendid achievement [result, victory] - блестящее достижение [-ий результат, -ая победа]
splendid talent - первоклассный /блестящий/ талант
- 2) *редк.* блестящий, сверкающий, яркий
2. роскошный, богатый, пышный; величественный
splendid blossom - пышное цветение (деревьев)
splendid palace [temple] - роскошный дворец [храм]
splendid gift [present] - щедрый дар [подарок]
splendid procession [show] - пышная процессия [-ое представление]
splendid sight - величественное зрелище
3. *разг.* великолепный, прекраснейший, чудный
splendid chance for escape - прекрасный случай скрыться
splendid idea [opportunity] - великолепная мысль [возможность]
to do smth. for splendid motives - делать что-л. из самых лучших побуждений
to have a splendid time [holiday] - прекрасно провести время [отпуск]
he is a splendid person for the task - он как раз то, что надо для этого дела
that's splendid! - чудесно!, очень хорошо!
how splendid of you! - как это прекрасно с вашей стороны!
4. 1) (велико)светский; высокопоставленный
to live in a splendid fashion - жить широко, вести светский образ жизни
- 2) барственный, надменный
splendid contempt for female intellect - снисходительное презрение к женскому уму

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splen·did adjective, exclamation *BrE* ['splendid] ^m *NAmE* ['splendid] ^madjective (especially *BrE*)

1. (old-fashioned) excellent; very good

Syn: ↑great

- What a splendid idea!
- We've all had a splendid time.
- It will be a splendid opportunity to practise your Spanish.
- The meal was simply splendid.

2. very impressive; very beautiful

- splendid scenery
- The hotel stands **in splendid isolation**, surrounded by moorland.

Word Origin:early 17th cent.: from French *splendide* or Latin *splendidus*, from *splendere* 'shine, be bright'.Example Bank:

- a really splendid evening
- He made a lot of money and had a splendid house built.
- The hotel stands in splendid isolation, surrounded by moorland.

Derived Word ↑splendidlyexclamation (old-fashioned, especially *BrE*) used to show that you approve of sth, or are pleased

- You're both coming? Splendid!

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splen·did /'splendəd, 'splendid/ *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m adjective especially *British English*[Date: 1600-1700; Language: Latin; Origin: *splendidus*, from *splendere* 'to shine']

1. *old-fashioned* very good **SYN excellent** :

- a splendid idea
- a splendid opportunity
- The staff are doing a splendid job.

2. beautiful and impressive **SYN magnificent** :

- All the rooms have splendid views.
- a splendid cathedral

3. *British English spoken old-fashioned* used to show that you approve of or are pleased by something **SYN great** :

- 'I'll see you tomorrow then.' 'Splendid!'

4. **in splendid isolation** used to emphasize that something is not with other things:

- The house sits in splendid isolation on top of a steep hill.

—splendidly *adverb*:

" a splendidly equipped new sports centre

" The team played splendidly.

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