

**eminent**[ˈemɪnənt] *брит.* <sup>а</sup> / *амер.* <sup>а</sup>*прил.*

1)

а) высокий, вздымающийся; возвышающийся (*над чем-л.*)*Syn:*

high, towering

б) выступающий; торчащий

*Syn:*

prominent

2) видный, выдающийся, замечательный, знаменитый, известный, занимающий высокое положение, высокопоставленный

eminent scientist — выдающийся учёный

eminent members of the community — знатные члены общества

*Syn:*

exalted, great

3) замечательный, удивительный (*о свойствах*); достопримечательный (*о событиях, явлениях и т. п.*)*Syn:*

remarkable, signal, noteworthy

**eminent**

OxfordDictionary (En-En)

**em|inent***adjective*

1) (of a person) famous and respected within a particular sphere

one of the world's most eminent statisticians

2) [*attrib.*] (of a positive quality) present to a notable degree

the book's scholarship and eminent readability

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**Origin:**late Middle English: from Latin *eminent-* 'jutting, projecting', from the verb *eminere***eminent**

CollinsCobuild (En-En)

[emɪnənt]

*ADJ-GRADED: usu ADJ n*An **eminent** person is well-known and respected, especially because they are good at their profession.

...an eminent scientist.

**eminent**

OxfordAmericanDictionary (En-En)

[ˈemənənt]

**em·i·nent***adj.* (of a person) famous and respected within a particular sphere or profession

one of the world's most eminent statisticians

■ [*attrib.*] used to emphasize the presence of a positive quality

the guitar's eminent suitability for recording studio work

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**Usage:**A trio of frequently confused words is **eminent**, **imminent**, and **immanent**. **Eminent** means 'outstanding, famous':the book was written by an **eminent** authority on folk art. **Imminent** means 'about to happen':people brushed aside the possibility that war was **imminent**. **Immanent**, often used in religious or philosophical contexts, means 'inherent':he believed in the **immanent** unity of nature taught by the Hindus**eminent**

Learning (En-Ru)

[ˈemɪnənt] <sup>а</sup>*adj*

выдающийся

an eminent actor/scholar — выдающийся актёр/учёный

**eminent**

AmericanEnglish (En-Ru)

выдающийся, знаменитый

**eminent**

LingvoEconomics (En-Ru)

*прил.*

выдающийся, знаменитый, видный

**eminent**

HoverDictionary (En-Ru)

выдающийся; видный; возвышающийся

**eminent**

[ˈɛmɪnənt]

*adj*

- 1) above others in rank, merit, or reputation; distinguished  
an eminent scientist
- 2) (*prenominal*) noteworthy, conspicuous, or outstanding  
eminent good sense
- 3) projecting or protruding; prominent

**Etymology:**

**C15** from Latin *ēminēre* to project, stand out, from *minēre* to stand

**Derived words:**

eminently *adv*

**eminent**

OxfordAmericanThesaurus (En-En)

*adjective*

- 1)  
an eminent man of letters

**Syn:**

illustrious, distinguished, renowned, esteemed, preeminent, notable, noteworthy, great, prestigious, important, influential, affluent, outstanding, noted, of note; famous, celebrated, prominent, well-known, lionized, acclaimed, exalted, revered, august, venerable

**Ant:**

unknown

- 2)  
the eminent reasonableness of their claims

**Syn:**

obvious, clear, conspicuous, marked, singular, signal; total, complete, utter, absolute, thorough, perfect, downright, sheer

**eminent**

Urban Dictionary (En-En)

1. (12 up, 6 down)

Famous, having a good reputation

The all-powerful sage and eminent junkie

See [lang](#)

2. (5 up, 6 down)

rising above others; conspicuous; distinguished; exalted in rank or office.

Our President's determination was eminent over our allies.

**eminent**

Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

**em** **i** **n** **e** **n** **t** /ˈɛmɪnənt/ *BrE* <sup>m</sup> *AmE* <sup>m</sup> *adjective*

[**Date:** 1400-1500; **Language:** Latin; **Origin:** present participle of *eminere* 'to stand out']

an eminent person is famous, important, and respected:

an eminent lawyer

**eminent**

ETYMOLOGY (En-En)

*c.* 1425, from *L. eminentem* (*nom. eminens*), *prp.* of *eminere* "stand out, project," from *ex-* "out" + *minere*, related to *mons* "hill" (see [mount](#)). *Eminence* in sense of "projection" is 14*c.*; as a title of honor (now only of cardinals) it is attested from 1653.

**eminent**

Concise Oxford English Dictionary (En-En)

■ *adjective*

1) respected and distinguished within a particular sphere.

2) notable; outstanding: his eminent suitability for scientific work.

**Derivatives**

eminently *adverb*

**eminent**

BBI Combinatory Dictionary of English

*adj.* eminent in

**em·i·nent**

Merriam-Webster's Collegiate 11 (En-En)

ˈe-mə-nənt *adjective*

**Etymology:** Middle English, from Anglo-French or Latin; Anglo-French, from Latin *eminent-*, *eminens*, present participle of *eminēre* to stand out, from *e-* + *-minēre*; akin to Latin *mont-*, *mons* mountain — more at [mount](#)

**Date:** 15th century

1. : standing out so as to be readily perceived or noted : [conspicuous](#)

2. : jutting out : projecting

3. : exhibiting eminence especially in standing above others in some quality or position : [prominent](#)

**Synonyms:** see [famous](#)

**eminent***adjective***Synonyms:** famous 2, celebrated, celebrated, distinguished, famed, great, illustrious, notable, prominent, renowned**Related Word:** well-known; august, dominant, exalted, important, lofty, noble, preeminent; big league, big-name, big-time**Contrasted words:** uncelebrated, unremarkable, unrenowned; common, lowly**emi-nent**

Oxford Advanced Learner's Dictionary 7 (En-En)

/'eminənt/ *adjective* [usually before noun]

1. (of people) famous and respected, especially in a particular profession:  
an eminent architect

2. (of good qualities) unusual; excellent:  
a man of eminent good sense

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Webster's Unabridged 3 (En-En)

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1. : standing out so as to be readily perceived or noted : conspicuous, evident, noteworthy

his eminent services to the party  
a man of eminent fairness  
churches of eminent beauty

2. : projecting, protruding  
a house standing eminent near the top of a hill

*sometimes* : lofty, towering

3. : exhibiting eminence especially in standing above others in some quality or position (as birth, office, professional attainment, talent, or virtue) : high in public estimation : prominent, outstanding

the eminent conductor of the civic orchestra  
a man eminent in scholarship  
several of our most eminent military authorities

4. *obsolete* : important, valuable

5. of a geologic cleavage : capable of complete or perfect division (as into layers)

**eminent**

Apresyan (En-Ru)

[ˈeminənt] *a*

1. 1) выдающийся, знаменитый, видный, занимающий высокое положение  
eminent scientists - выдающиеся учёные  
eminent writers - знаменитые/ведущие / писатели  
to be eminent for valour - прославиться своей доблестью  
to be eminent in science [art] - занимать высокое положение в науке [искусстве]

2) замечательный, превосходный, выдающийся  
an eminent work of art - замечательное произведение искусства

2. возвышенный, возвышающийся

3. *церк.* преосвященный  
most eminent - высокопреосвященный

**eminent**

Freakuency Pack

12500 **7171**<sup>MCW</sup>  
15000 **6414**<sup>COCA</sup>  
RANGE: **6k** EMINENT 1891  
eminent 1300  
eminently 591  
COCA 500k Unlemmatized  
974 **17903**<sup>1300</sup> *jj*

**eminent**

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**emi-nent** *BrE* ['eminənt] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAmE* ['eminənt] <sup>ˈ</sup> *adjective* usually before noun

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• an eminent architect

2. (of good qualities) unusual; excellent

• a man of eminent good sense

Word Origin:[**eminent**] late Middle English: from Latin *eminent-* 'jutting, projecting', from the verb *eminere*.

Example Bank:

- The house was designed by the eminent architect, Robert Adam.
- a distinguished/an eminent scientist/artist/painter/poet/writer/architect/historian/philosopher/scholar/professor.

**eminent**

Cambridge Advanced Learners Dictionary 3th Ed.

**eminent** UK <sup>ˈ</sup> US <sup>ˈ</sup> [ˈem.ɪ.nənt] adjective

famous, respected or important

- an eminent historian

Thesaurus<sup>+</sup>: ↑ Importantpeople and describing important people ↑ Famouspeople ↑ Wealthypeople

**eminent**

Macmillan English Dictionary (En-En)

**eminent** UK <sup>ˈ</sup> [ˈemɪnənt] US <sup>ˈ</sup> adjective

important, respected, and admired

He is one of Britain's most eminent scientists .

Thesaurus: deserving praise, respect and admiration synonym

**eminent**

MultiTran 02 (En-Ru)

[ˈemɪnənt]

*прил.*

1) *общ.* видный, возвышающийся, возвышенный, выдающийся, замечательно, замечательный, занимающий высокое положение, знаменитый, знатный, именитый, многоизвестный, широко известный

2) *рел.* преосвященный

3) *психол.* очевидный, ясный

4) *Макаров.* высокий, высоко расположенный, превосходный

**eminent**

Cambridge Advanced Learner's Dictionary, 4th Ed.(En-En)

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