

optimistic[ˌɒptɪˈmɪstɪk, -{,ɒptɪˈmɪstɪk}(ə)] *a*

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an optimistic(al) view of things - оптимистический взгляд на вещи

I am optimistic(al) about the chance of good weather this weekend - по-моему, можно надеяться на хорошую погоду в выходные дни

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

op-ti-mis-tic *BrE* [ˌɒptɪˈmɪstɪk] ^m *NAmE* [ˌɑːptɪˈmɒstɪk] ^m *adjective*

expecting good things to happen or sth to be successful; showing this feeling

Syn: ↑positive

- ~ **(about sth)** She's not very optimistic about the outcome of the talks.
- ~ **(that...)** They are cautiously optimistic that the reforms will take place.
- We are now taking a more optimistic view.
- in an optimistic mood
- I think you're being a little **over-optimistic** .

Opp: ↑pessimisticDerived Word ↑optimisticallyThesaurus:**optimistic** [**optimistic optimistically**] *adj.*

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hopeful • • **positive** • | **especially business bullish** • • **upbeat** •**Opp:** pessimisticoptimistic/hopeful/positive/bullish/upbeat **about** sthoptimistic/hopeful **that...**a/an optimistic/hopeful/positive/bullish **view**a/an optimistic/positive/bullish/upbeat **mood/note**Example Bank:

- He remained strongly optimistic that an agreement could be reached.
- He's very optimistic about his chances.
- I don't want to exaggerate our chances, but I'm cautiously optimistic.
- These estimates were wildly optimistic.
- a generally optimistic view of the future
- an essentially optimistic view of human nature
- Derek seemed to be in an optimistic mood.
- I think you are being a little over-optimistic.
- She's not very optimistic about the outcome of the talks.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

op-ti-mis-tic /ˌɒptɪmɪstɪk/, ˌɒptɪmɪstɪk/ \$ ˌɑːptɪ- *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m *adjective*1. believing that good things will happen in the future **OPP pessimistic****optimistic about**Bankers are cautiously optimistic about the country's economic future.**optimistic (that)**

We are still relatively optimistic that the factory can be saved.

Andrew took a more optimistic view.

2. thinking that things will be better, easier, or more successful than is actually possible:

an optimistic estimate

over-optimistic *British English:*

somewhat over-optimistic expectations

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THESAURUS

- **optimistic** believing that good things will happen: I'm optimistic about our chances of winning. | an optimistic view of the future
- **hopeful** believing that what you hope for will happen: The test results made him feel more hopeful about his chances of recovery.
- **positive** thinking about what is good in a situation, rather than what is bad: Try to be more positive about your work. | She has a very positive attitude to life.
- **upbeat** having a cheerful attitude and showing that you expect to succeed, or that a situation will get better, especially the economic or political situation: The Prime Minister was upbeat, predicting that the economy would soon come out of recession. | an upbeat message about the party's chances of winning the election
- **bullish** feeling confident about the future – used especially when talking the economic situation, or a company's chances of success: He's very bullish about the company's prospects. | Stockmarket analysts expect the bullish trend to continue.
- **sanguine** *formal* hopeful and not worried about what will happen in the future, especially when the situation seems difficult – a very formal use: Koons himself somehow remains sanguine in the face of all the criticism. | Other commentators are less sanguine, and fear that the world economy is on the verge of recession.
- **rosy** if the future or your life seems rosy, it seems good and you expect good things to happen: The future looks rosy for the team. | Returning soldiers found life less rosy than they had hoped. | The price of oil keeps going up, and things look pretty rosy

for the big oil companies.

▪ **look on the bright side** to consider the good parts of a situation, which seems bad in many other ways – used especially when telling someone that they should do this: Look on the bright side – it could have been a lot worse.

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