

impressive[ɪmˈpresɪv] *a*

производящий глубокое впечатление, впечатляющий; выразительный волнующий

impressive book - книга, производящая глубокое впечатление

impressive building - величественное здание

impressive event - волнующее событие

impressive silence - торжественная тишина

impressive gesture - выразительный жест

impressive speech [actress] - яркая речь [актриса]

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

im-pres-sive *BrE* [ɪmˈpresɪv] *NAme* [ɪmˈpresɪv] *adjective*

(of things or people) making you feel admiration, because they are very large, good, skilful, etc

- an impressive building with a huge tower
- an impressive performance
- one of the most impressive novels of recent years
- She was very impressive in the interview.

Opp: †unimpressiveDerived Word †impressivelyThesaurus:**impressive** [impressive impressively] *adj.*

- He gave a truly impressive performance.
- The college is an impressive building with a huge tower.

magnificent • • **spectacular** • • **expert** • • **masterly** • • **virtuoso** • • **professional** • • **grand** • • **majestic** • • **imposing** • • **accomplished** • |especially spoken **great** • |formal **consummate** •**Opp:** unimpressivean impressive/magnificent/spectacular/expert/masterly/virtuoso/professional/grand/accomplished/great **performance** /**display**
impressive/expert/masterly/virtuoso/professional/great/consummate **skill**an impressive/magnificent/spectacular/great **achievement**impressive/magnificent/specatcular/grand/majestic **scenery**/viewsExample Bank:

- A large portico provides a suitably impressive entrance to the chapel.
- He was far from impressive in his semi-final against Federer.
- The fact that he is so young makes his achievements even more impressive.
- The film is technically impressive, but lacks real excitement.
- The new building looks most impressive.
- The scenery to the north of the lake is equally impressive.
- It is one of the most impressive novels published in recent years.
- The college is an impressive building with a huge tower.
- The standard of cooking was pretty impressive.
- The team are 12 points ahead after an impressive victory last night.
- They gave a truly impressive performance.

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im-pres-sive *W3* /ɪmˈpresɪv/ *BrE* *AmE* *adjective*[**Word Family:** **noun:** †impression, †impressionism, †impressionist, †impressiveness; **adjective:** †impressionable, †impressive ≠ †unimpressive, †impressionistic, †unimpressed; **adverb:** †impressively, †impressionistically; **verb:** †impress]

something that is impressive makes you admire it because it is very good, large, important etc:

" The figures certainly look impressive.

" Among the guests was an impressive array of authors and critics.**—impressively** *adverb:*

" Production standards are impressively high.

—impressiveness *noun* [uncountable]

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- **impressive** used about something that people admire because it is very good, large, important etc: The cathedral is very impressive. | The drug has shown some impressive results.
- **dazzling** extremely impressive – used especially when someone does something very well or looks very beautiful: a dazzling performance | a dazzling smile
- **breathtaking** extremely impressive – used especially about beautiful views, or the fast speed of something: The views of the Rocky Mountains are simply breathtaking. | The economy is growing at a breathtaking pace.
- **spectacular** very impressive and exciting to look at or watch: a spectacular fireworks display
- **awe-inspiring** so impressive that you feel great respect and admiration, or you feel rather frightened: Michelangelo's masterpiece is awe-inspiring. | The volcano was an awe-inspiring sight.
- **majestic** [usually before noun] very impressive because of being big and beautiful: the majestic mountain scenery | a majestic

animal
▪ **imposing** [usually before noun] *written* used about buildings and people that are large and impressive: the imposing entrance hall | The bishop was an imposing figure.

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