

candid[ˈkændɪd] *a*1. 1) искренний, откровенный, чистосердечный, прямой (*об ответе, человеке и т. п.*)

to be candid - говорить прямо /искрение/; ничего не скрывать

he was not candid with me - в разговоре со мной он не был чистосердечен

let us be candid - будем говорить откровенно

2) (такой) как есть; честный

candid photograph - фото «без лести»

2. *арх.* беспристрастный3. *уст.* белый, светлый (*о дне и т. п.*); ясный**candid**

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can·did *BrE* [ˈkændɪd] ^m *NAmE* [ˈkændɪd] ^m *adjective*

1. saying what you think openly and honestly; not hiding your thoughts

• a candid statement/interview

• To be candid, I can't stand her.

see also ↑candour

2. a candid photograph is one that is taken without the person in it knowing that they are being photographed

• He mingled among the guests and took the candid shots which were much more fun than the formal group photographs.

Derived Word ↑candidlyWord Origin:[**candid candidly**] mid 17th cent. (in the Latin sense): from Latin **candidus** 'white'. Subsequent early senses were 'pure, innocent', 'unbiased', and 'free from malice', hence 'frank' (late 17th cent.). Compare with ↑candour.Example Bank:

• I felt she was being less than candid with me.

• The ex-minister gave a candid interview about his reasons for resigning.

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can·did /ˈkændəd, 'kændɪd/ *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m *adjective*[**Date:** 1600-1700; **Language:** French; **Origin:** candide, from Latin candidus 'bright, white', from candere 'to shine']telling the truth, even when the truth may be unpleasant or embarrassing **SYN** frank**candid about**

She was quite candid about the difficulties the government is having.

candid with

He was remarkably candid with me.

It struck me as an unusually candid confession for a politician.

—**candidly** *adverb*

⇒ ↑candour

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THESAURUS■ **not hiding the truth or the facts**• **honest** saying what you really think and not hiding the truth or the facts: I'm going to ask you something, and I want you to be honest with me. | an honest answer | To be honest, I didn't think his speech was very good.• **straight** *informal* honest and saying what you really think: I can't help you if you're not straight with me. | I need a straight answer.• **open** willing to talk about what you think, feel etc in an honest way, rather than trying to hide it: People have become more open about their feelings. | She's very easy to talk to because she's so open.• **frank** speaking honestly and directly about something, especially something that people find difficult to discuss: In his book, he's brutally frank about his experience with his illness. | a frank discussion about sex• **direct** saying exactly what you think in an honest clear way, even when this might annoy or upset people: Not everyone liked his direct manner. | She can be very direct.• **blunt** speaking in a completely honest way, even if it upsets people, when it would be better to be more careful or polite: Sorry if I was a bit blunt with you. | His hard tone and blunt words were hurtful. | She didn't reply and I knew I had been too blunt.• **upfront** [**not before noun**] *informal* talking and behaving in an honest way, even when it is difficult to do this, in a way that people respect: It's best to be upfront about your financial problems. | You have to be upfront with kids.• **outspoken** expressing your opinions publicly in a very direct way, which may offend or annoy some people: an outspoken critic of the government | He was known for his outspoken views on various controversies.• **forthright** *formal* saying exactly what you think, without being afraid of what other people will think: The opposition have not come up with a clear forthright statement of their policies. | At times, Helena was a little too forthright.• **candid** *formal* honest about the facts, or about your opinions and feelings, even if other people disapprove of them: He'd always been completely candid about his past. | It was an unusually candid admission for a politician.**candid**

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