

The Seven Deadly Sins

These 'sins' started way back in Christian teachings as a list of bad behaviors to avoid. But they're *also* super useful for learning English because they're powerful, descriptive words!

1. Pride ()

Pride means *thinking you're better than everyone else*. Too much pride can make you arrogant.

- **Synonyms:** arrogance, ego, vanity.
 - **Example:** *'She never apologizes because her pride won't let her.'*
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2. Greed ()

Greed is *wanting way more than you need*, especially money or stuff.

- **Synonyms:** selfishness, avarice.
 - **Example:** *'His greed made him work 100 hours a week—he couldn't stop!'*
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3. Lust ()

Lust is *strong, uncontrolled sexual desire*. Note: It's *not the same as love*!

- **Synonyms:** desire, passion (but in a *wild* way).
 - **Example:** *'The movie villain was driven by lust for power.'*
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4. Envy ()

Envy is *jealousy*—wanting what someone else has AND feeling bitter about it.

- **Synonyms:** jealousy, resentment.
- **Example:** *'She felt envy when her friend bought a new car.'*

5. Gluttony ()

Gluttony isn't just eating too much—it's *overdoing anything* (food, drinks, even Netflix!).

- **Synonyms:** overindulgence, excess.
- **Example:** *'After Thanksgiving, his gluttony left him on the couch for hours!'*

6. Wrath (☹)

Wrath means *extreme, violent anger*—think revenge or rage.

- **Synonyms:** fury, hatred.
 - **Example:** *'The hero fought the villain with wrath in his eyes.'*"
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7. Sloth (☹)

Sloth is *laziness*—not just chilling, but *never* doing what you should.

- **Synonyms:** laziness, idleness.
 - **Example:** *'His sloth was so bad, he ordered food instead of walking to the fridge!'*"
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Which sin do you think is the **WORST**? Why do you think so? Write your argument and explanation below.

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