

# defensive *(de-fen-sive)*

## Definition

adj. intended to protect or defend against something.

## Example Sentence

Please do not get **defensive**.

## More Example Sentences

He made a **defensive** move to block the ball.

## Synonyms

protective; safeguarding; shielding

## Antonyms

aggressive; offensive; attacking

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