

# heavy-handed

 (*heav-y-hand-ed*)

## Definition

adj. using too much force or severity.

## Example Sentence

The manager's **heavy-handed** approach to discipline was not appreciated by the employees.

## More Example Sentences

They received **heavy-handed** criticism for their decisions.

## Synonyms

overbearing; oppressive; clumsy

## Antonyms

gentle; light-handed; careful

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