

recessive *(re-ces-sive)*

Definition

adj. 1 tending to move or pull back; withdrawn 2 of a gene capable of producing its characteristic phenotype in the organism only when its allele is identical

Example Sentence

He is a **recessive** genius most comfortable working alone in his chemistry lab.

Synonyms

receding; going backward; withdrawn; retiring;
passive; dormant

Antonyms

going forward; outgoing

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