

# upstart (*up-start*)

## Definition

n. or adj. 1 an arrogant or presumptuous person; 2 a person who has suddenly risen to a higher economic status but has not gained social acceptance of others in that class

## Example Sentence

The **upstart** tyrant ordered everyone around.

## Synonyms

arrogant person; presumptuous person; newly rich

## Antonyms

humble person

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