

## DEAD WORDS AND ALTERNATIVES

DEAD WORDS	ALTERNATIVE
a lot, lots	Numerous, heaps, many scores, innumerable, much a great deal, many times, often
also	Too, moreover, besides, as well as, in addition to
awesome, cool, rad	fine, wonderful, marvelous, fantastic, excellent
awful	dreadful, alarming, frightful, terrible, horrid, shocking
but	however, moreover, yet, still, nevertheless, though, although, on the other had
fun	pleasant, pleasurable, amusing, entertaining, jolly
funny	amusing, comical, laughable, jovial, strange, peculiar, unusual
got, get	received, obtained, attained, succeed in
good	excellent, exceptional, fine, marvelous, splendid, superb, wonderful
great	wonderful, outstanding, marvelous, fantastic, excellent
guy	man, person, fellow, boy, individual
have to	need to, must
kid	child, boy, girl, youngster, youth, teen, teenager, adolescent
like	such as, similar to, similarly
mad	angry, frustrated, furious, incensed, enraged, irate
nice	pleasant, charming, fascinating, captivating, delightful, pleasurable, pleasing
pretty	attractive, comely, beautiful
scared	afraid, fearful, terrified, frightened
so	this, according, therefore
then	first, second, next, later, finally, afterwards, meanwhile, soon
very	extremely, exceedingly, fantastically, unusually, incredibly, intensely, truly, fully, especially, shockingly, bitterly, immeasurable, infinitely, severely, surely, mightily, powerfully, chiefly

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Dead Tired Words	Replacements
<b>also</b>	too, moreover, besides, as well as, in addition to
<b>awesome, cool, rad, sweet, tight</b>	fine, wonderful, marvelous, fantastic
<b>scared</b>	afraid, fearful, terrified, frightened
<b>have to</b>	need to, must
<b>very</b>	extremely, exceedingly, incredibly, intensely, truly, infinitely, surely, especially, shockingly, immeasurably, severely, powerfully, chiefly, bitterly, mightily
<b>like</b>	such as, similar to, similarly, love, admire, appreciate, fancy, adore, idolize, prefer, cherish, care for, favor, enjoy, treasure
<b>kid</b>	child, boy, girl, youngster, youth
<b>mad</b>	angry, frustrated, furious, incensed, enraged
<b>got, get</b>	received, obtained, attained, succeed in
<b>then</b>	first, second, next, later, finally, afterward, meanwhile, soon
<b>nice</b>	pleasant, charming, fascinating, captivating, delightful, pleasurable, pleasing, kind, benevolent, thoughtful, gracious, considerate, decent, congenial, agreeable, courteous, warm, cordial, humane
<b>lots</b>	numerous, heaps, many, scores, innumerable
<b>so</b>	thus, accordingly, therefore
<b>fun</b>	pleasant, pleasurable, amusing, entertaining, jolly
<b>good</b>	excellent, exceptional, fine, marvelous, splendid, superb, wonderful, great, pleasant, delightful, superior, grand, terrific, amazing

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<b>OTHER WAYS TO SAY...</b>				
<b>nice</b>	<b>good</b>	<b>bad</b>	<b>sad</b>	<b>happy</b>
enjoyable pleasurable thoughtful courteous lovely likeable pleasing gracious congenial cordial admirable considerate	excellent amazing wonderful pleasant marvelous exceptional fantastic super outstanding terrific splendid stupendous	awful rotten naughty mean dreadful nasty wicked lousy terrible unpleasant disagreeable wretched	depressed gloomy miserable cheerless unhappy gloomy forlorn sorrowful upset downcast tearful somber	cheerful delighted pleased glad joyful ecstatic content jovial amused merry thrilled elated
<b>laughed</b>	<b>like</b>	<b>said</b>	<b>big</b>	<b>little</b>
giggled chuckled roared howled whooped snickered guffawed shrieked grinned cackled bellowed chortled	admire approve adore treasure fancy marvel appreciate respect cherish fond desire enjoy	commented replied remarked declared stated exclaimed shouted whispered announced responded boasted explained	huge giant gigantic enormous large massive colossal immense bulky hefty tremendous jumbo	small tiny petite miniature teeny itsy-bitsy miniscule mini minute microscopic skimpy wee
<b>ran</b>	<b>walked</b>	<b>pretty</b>	<b>looked</b>	<b>scared</b>
bolted sped hurried sprinted jogged rushed galloped hustled skipped raced dashed fled	strolled sauntered tiptoed trotted marched glided strutted shuffled crept treaded hiked paraded	beautiful gorgeous appealing cute lovely exquisite attractive elegant handsome stunning fair dazzling	gazed examined glanced viewed observed peeked stared watched inspected spied studied noticed	afraid frightened spooked horrified startled fearful petrified anxious aghast alarmed terrified shaken

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<b>but</b>	however, moreover, yet, still, nevertheless, though, although, on the other hand
<b>awful</b>	dreadful, alarming, frightful, terrible, horrid, shocking
<b>great</b>	wonderful, marvelous, fantastic
<b>guy</b>	man, person, fellow, boy
<b>funny</b>	amusing, comical, laughable, jovial, farcical, jocular, humorous, witty, hysterical, sidesplitting, hilarious, laughable, silly, nonsensical
<b>things, stuff</b>	object, article, materials, matter, element, substance
<b>kind of</b>	variance, variation, variety; diversity, distinction, contradistinction; alteration. shade of difference
<b>a lot, alot</b>	sufficiency, adequacy, enough, sufficient, plenty; abundance; amplitude, galore, profusion; affluence, outpouring; flood, great quantity, considerable, fair, above par; big, huge; herculean, cyclopean; ample; abundant (enough), full, intense, plenary, vast, immense, enormous, extreme; inordinate, excessive, extravagant, exorbitant, stupendous,
<b>said</b>	declared, exclaimed, questioned, replied, repeated, bellowed, shouted, responded, whispered, asked, mentioned, remarked, commented, uttered, announced, called, cried, responded, demanded, asked, stated, shouted whispered, questioned
<b>laughed</b>	snickered, giggled, roared, chuckled, chortled, crowed, guffawed, cackled, howled, tittered, hee-hawed, bellowed
<b>ran</b>	hurried, raced, scurried, dashed, galloped, trotted, bolted, darted, sped, jogged, sprinted, rushed
<b>walked</b>	staggered, traveled, trudged, strutted, marched, hiked, shuffled, sauntered, lumbered, paraded, ambled, strolled
<b>saw</b>	glimpsed, noticed, observed, sighted, spotted, stared at, glanced at, eyed, gazed at, spied, examined, watched
<b>sad</b>	downcast, depressed, woeful, gloomy, miserable, sorrowful, unhappy, dejected, forlorn, melancholy, crestfallen, mournful
<b>pretty</b>	beautiful, lovely, glamorous, attractive, elegant, cute, exquisite, gorgeous, stunning, handsome, striking, fair
<b>little</b>	teeny, diminutive, compact, microscopic, petite, wee, small, tiny, minuscule, miniature, slight, minute

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<b>big</b>	towering, huge, large, great, gigantic, mammoth, enormous, tremendous, massive, giant, colossal, immense
<b>happy</b>	glad, jovial, jubilant, joyful, thrilled, cheerful, merry, contented, pleased, delighted, jolly, elated
<b>smart</b>	witty, bright, quick-witted, knowledgeable, intelligent, clever, ingenious, sharp, brainy, brilliant, gifted, wise