

16 Boring Words & What to Use Instead



Instead of **pretty** use:

beautiful
lovely
glamorous
attractive
elegant
cute

exquisite
gorgeous
stunning
handsome
striking
fair



Instead of **smart** use:

witty
bright
quick-witted
knowledgable
intelligent
clever

ingenious
sharp
brainy
brilliant
gifted
wise



Instead of **big** use:

towering
huge
large
great
gigantic
mammoth

enormous
tremendous
massive
giant
colossal
immense



Instead of **little** use:

teeny
diminutive
compact
microscopic
petite
wee

small
tiny
miniscule
miniature
slight
minute



Instead of **funny** use:

farcical
jocular
amusing
humorous
witty
comical

hysterical
sidesplitting
hilarious
laughable
silly
nonsensical



Instead of **laughed** use:

snickered
giggled
roared
chuckled
chortled
crowed

guffawed
cackled
howled
tittered
hee-hawed
bellowed



Instead of **saw** use:

glimpsed
noticed
observed
sighted
spotted
stared at

glanced at
eyed
gazed at
spied
examined
watched



Instead of **said** use:

called
cried
responded
demanded
asked
stated

shouted
whispered
remarked
questioned
replied
exclaimed



Instead of **nice** use:

kind	congenial
benevolent	agreeable
thoughtful	courteous
gracious	warm
considerate	cordial
decent	humane



Instead of **like** use:

love	prefer
admire	cherish
appreciate	care for
fancy	favor
adore	enjoy
idolize	treasure



Instead of **ran** use:

hurried	bolted
raced	darted
scurried	sped
dashed	jogged
galloped	sprinted
trotted	rushed



Instead of **walked** use:

staggered	shuffled
traveled	sauntered
trudged	lumbered
strutted	paraded
marched	ambled
hiked	strolled



Instead of **sad** use:

downed	unhappy
depressed	dejected
woeful	forlorn
gloomy	melancholy
miserable	crest fallen
sorrowful	mournful



Instead of **happy** use:

glad	merry
joyful	contented
jubilant	pleased
joyful	delighted
thrilled	jolly
cheerful	elated



Instead of **bad** use:

evil	abhorrent
atrocious	brutal
obscene	despicable
terrible	sinister
dreadful	nasty
vile	wicked



Instead of **good** use:

great	splendid
pleasant	superb
marvelous	grand
delightful	terrific
superior	amazing
wonderful	excellent