

## 45 Ways to avoid using the word 'very'

Avoid saying very:	Rather say:	Avoid saying very:	Rather say:
afraid	<b>terrified</b>	neat	<b>immaculate</b>
angry	<b>furious</b>	old	<b>ancient</b>
bad	<b>atrocious</b>	poor	<b>destitute</b>
beautiful	<b>exquisite</b>	pretty	<b>beautiful</b>
big	<b>immense</b>	quiet	<b>silent</b>
bright	<b>dazzling</b>	risky	<b>perilous</b>
capable	<b>accomplished</b>	roomy	<b>spacious</b>
clean	<b>spotless</b>	rude	<b>vulgar</b>
clever	<b>brilliant</b>	serious	<b>solemn</b>
cold	<b>freezing</b>	small	<b>tiny</b>
conventional	<b>conservative</b>	strong	<b>unyielding</b>
dirty	<b>squalid</b>	stupid	<b>idiotic</b>
dry	<b>parched</b>	tasty	<b>delicious</b>
eager	<b>keen</b>	thin	<b>gaunt</b>
fast	<b>quick</b>	tired	<b>exhausted</b>
fierce	<b>ferocious</b>	ugly	<b>hideous</b>
good	<b>superb</b>	valuable	<b>precious</b>
happy	<b>jubilant</b>	weak	<b>feeble</b>
hot	<b>scalding</b>	wet	<b>soaked</b>
hungry	<b>ravenous</b>	wicked	<b>villainous</b>
large	<b>colossal</b>	wise	<b>sagacious</b>
lively	<b>vivacious</b>	worried	<b>anxious</b>
loved	<b>adored</b>		