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<b>aggressive</b>	Tending to spread quickly. <i>An <b>aggressive</b> basketball player.</i>
<b>baleful</b>	Having a harmful or destructive effect. <i>The <b>baleful</b> influence of Rasputin.</i>
<b>daunting</b>	Discouraging through fear. <i>A <b>daunting</b> task.</i>
<b>degrading</b>	Used of conduct; characterized by dishonor. <i>The prisoners were subjected to cruel and <b>degrading</b> treatment.</i>
<b>disappointed</b>	Disappointingly unsuccessful. <i>I m <b>disappointed</b> in you Mary.</i>
<b>endanger</b>	Put (someone or something) at risk or in danger. <i>The pollution is <b>endangering</b> the crops.</i>
<b>forbidding</b>	An official prohibition or edict against something. <i><b>Forbidding</b> thunderclouds.</i>
<b>foreboding</b>	Ominously prophetic. <i>A steadily escalating sense of <b>foreboding</b>.</i>
<b>formidable</b>	Inspiring fear or respect through being impressively large, powerful, intense, or capable. <i>The <b>formidable</b> army of brains at the Prime Minister s disposal.</i>
<b>frustrating</b>	Discouraging by hindering. <i>It can be very <b>frustrating</b> to find that the size you want isn t there.</i>
<b>humiliating</b>	Causing awareness of your shortcomings. <i>A <b>humiliating</b> defeat.</i>
<b>insulting</b>	Expressing extreme contempt. <i>Their language is <b>insulting</b> to women.</i>
<b>intimidate</b>	Make timid or fearful. <i>The forts are designed to <b>intimidate</b> the nationalist population.</i>

<b>intimidating</b>	Having a frightening, overawing, or threatening effect. <i>Public speaking is an <b>intimidating</b> experience.</i>
<b>menace</b>	Something that is a source of danger. <i>He <b>menaced</b> the bank manager with a stick.</i>
<b>menacing</b>	Threatening or foreshadowing evil or tragic developments. <i>Our officers encountered <b>menacing</b> looks from teenagers.</i>
<b>minatory</b>	Threatening or foreshadowing evil or tragic developments. <i>He is unlikely to be deterred by <b>minatory</b> finger wagging.</i>
<b>omen</b>	Indicate as with a sign or an omen. <i>The raven seemed a bird of evil <b>omen</b>.</i>
<b>ominous</b>	Giving the worrying impression that something bad is going to happen; threateningly inauspicious. <i>A dead and <b>ominous</b> silence prevailed.</i>
<b>roar</b>	Make a loud noise, as of animal. <i>Her remarks brought a <b>roar</b> of laughter from the old man.</i>
<b>sad</b>	Of things that make you feel sad Christina Rossetti. <i>The show is tongue in cheek anyone who takes it seriously is a bit <b>sad</b>.</i>
<b>sinister</b>	Stemming from evil characteristics or forces; wicked or dishonorable. <i>There was something <b>sinister</b> about that murmuring voice.</i>
<b>stressful</b>	Extremely irritating to the nerves. <i>Corporate finance work can be <b>stressful</b>.</i>
<b>tedious</b>	So lacking in interest as to cause mental weariness. <i><b>Tedious</b> days on the train.</i>
<b>threat</b>	A statement of an intention to inflict pain, injury, damage, or other hostile action on someone in retribution for something done or not done. <i>His <b>threat</b> to kill me was quite explicit.</i>
<b>threatening</b>	Threatening or foreshadowing evil or tragic developments. <i>Taylor was in custody on a charge of <b>threatening</b> behaviour.</i>
<b>unhappy</b>	Not happy. <i>An <b>unhappy</b> coincidence.</i>
<b>unpleasant</b>	Disagreeable to the senses, to the mind, or feelings. <i><b>Unpleasant</b> odors.</i>
<b>unsatisfied</b>	Not having been satisfied. <i>The compromise left all sides <b>unsatisfied</b>.</i>
<b>villain</b>	The person or thing responsible for specified problems, harm, or damage. <i>A pantomime <b>villain</b>.</i>

