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<b><u>abstract</u></b>	Consider a concept without thinking of a specific example consider abstractly or theoretically. <i>The novel was too <b>abstract</b> and esoteric to sustain much attention.</i>
<b><u>allusion</u></b>	The practice of making allusions. <i>The use of <b>allusion</b>.</i>
<b>artful</b>	Not straightforward or candid; giving a false appearance of frankness- David Cannadine. <i>An <b>artful</b> choice of metaphors.</i>
<b>circumlocution</b>	The use of many words where fewer would do, especially in a deliberate attempt to be vague or evasive. <i>His admission came after years of <b>circumlocution</b>.</i>
<b>circumlocutory</b>	Using many words where fewer would do, especially in a deliberate attempt to be vague or evasive; long-winded. <i>He has a meandering <b>circumlocutory</b> speaking style.</i>
<b>complexity</b>	The state or quality of being intricate or complicated. <i>An issue of great <b>complexity</b>.</i>
<b><u>elusive</u></b>	Difficult to describe. <i>A cabal of conspirators each more <b>elusive</b> than the archterrorist.</i>
<b>euphemism</b>	A mild or indirect word or expression substituted for one considered to be too harsh or blunt when referring to something unpleasant or embarrassing. <i>The jargon has given us downsizing as a <b>euphemism</b> for cuts.</i>
<b>grammar</b>	A book on grammar. <i>It was not bad <b>grammar</b> just dialect.</i>
<b>impalpable</b>	Incapable of being perceived by the senses especially the sense of touch- James Jeans. <i><b>Impalpable</b> shadows.</i>

<b><u>innuendo</u></b>	An allusive or oblique remark or hint, typically a suggestive or disparaging one. <i>She s always making sly <b>innuendoes</b>.</i>
<b><u>insidious</u></b>	Beguiling but harmful. <i><b>Insidious</b> pleasures.</i>
<b><u>intangible</u></b>	An intangible thing. <i><b>Intangible</b> assets such as good will.</i>
<b>intricacy</b>	Details, especially of an involved or perplexing subject. <i>The <b>intricacy</b> of the procedure.</i>
<b>jargon</b>	A colorless (or pale yellow or smoky) variety of zircon. <i>Legal <b>jargon</b>.</i>
<b>nuance</b>	Give nuances to. <i>He was familiar with the <b>nuances</b> of the local dialect.</i>
<b><u>obscure</u></b>	Make obscure or unclear. <i>Those who do not appreciate Kafka s work say his style is <b>obscure</b>.</i>
<b>orthography</b>	The study of spelling and how letters combine to represent sounds and form words. <i>A spoken language which has as yet no sanctioned <b>orthography</b>.</i>
<b><u>parse</u></b>	Resolve (a sentence) into its component parts and describe their syntactic roles. <i>A user question input is <b>parsed</b> into an internal conceptual representation.</i>
<b><u>rhetoric</u></b>	Loud and confused and empty talk. <i>All we have from the Opposition is empty <b>rhetoric</b>.</i>
<b>sentence</b>	Pronounce a sentence on somebody in a court of law. <i>Ten army officers were <b>sentenced</b> to life imprisonment.</i>
<b><u>sly</u></b>	Marked by skill in deception. <i><b>Sly</b> as a fox.</i>
<b><u>spelling</u></b>	The process or activity of writing or naming the letters of a word. <i>The books and <b>spelling</b> in my class were too simple.</i>
<b><u>subtlety</u></b>	The quality of being difficult to detect or analyze. <i>The textural <b>subtlety</b> of Degas.</i>
<b><u>syntax</u></b>	A set of rules for or an analysis of the syntax of a language. <i>Generative <b>syntax</b>.</i>
<b>typo</b>	A typographical error.

- undercurrent** An underlying feeling or influence, especially one that is contrary to the prevailing atmosphere and is not expressed openly.  
*Racial **undercurrents**.*
- undertone** A subdued emotional quality underlying an utterance; implicit meaning.  
*Spoke in **undertones**.*
- vague** Thinking or communicating in an unfocused or imprecise way.  
*Their descriptions of human behavior become **vague** dull and unclear.*
- vocabulary** A list of difficult or unfamiliar words with an explanation of their meanings, accompanying a piece of specialist or foreign-language text.  
*He introduced a wide **vocabulary** of techniques.*