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

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