

*THE FIVE SENSES*  
*Plus*  
*Emotion*

# SIGHT

angular  
ashen

brazen  
bright  
brilliant  
broad  
bubbling  
bulky  
bumpy  
bushy

cascading  
clear  
cluttered  
coarse  
colossal  
colorless  
curved

dainty  
dark  
dazzling  
decorated  
dim  
dotted  
drenched  
dripping  
dull  
dusty

elegant

feathery  
fiery  
flat  
fluffy  
flushed  
foamy  
foggy  
furrowed

gigantic  
glassy  
glimmering  
glowing  
graceful  
  
hairy  
hazy  
hideous  
immense  
immeasurable

jutting  
  
knobbed  
lacy  
lean  
leathery  
lopsided  
lustrous

matted  
messy  
metallic  
muddy  
minute  
muscular

narrow  
neat  
ornate

pale  
petite  
pointed  
powered  
prickly  
pulpy

radiant  
ruffled

scummy  
shaggy  
shining  
sleek  
sparkling  
spiky  
splintered  
spongy  
steamy  
stubby  
shimmering  
stunning  
spotty  
sunlit  
swollen

tangled  
tawny  
tidy  
translucent  
transparent  
turbulent  
unstained  
twinkling

vibrant  
wavy  
whirling  
wrinkled

## **Shapes**

flat  
round  
domed  
curved  
wavy  
globular  
scalloped  
ruffled  
frilled  
crimped

crinkled  
flared  
oval  
conical  
cylindrical  
tubular  
hollow  
rotund  
chubby  
portly  
fat  
swollen  
lumpy  
clustered  
padded  
tufted  
top-heavy  
pendulous  
jutting  
irregular  
proportioned  
angular  
triangular  
hexagonal  
square  
pyramidal  
split  
broken  
spindly  
skinny  
thin  
wiry  
shapely  
winged  
shapeless  
tapering  
branching  
twiggy

# APPEARANCE WORDS

dotted  
freckled  
spotted  
blotched  
wrinkled  
patterned  
mottled  
flowery  
striped  
bright  
clear  
shiny  
glowing  
glossy  
shimmering  
fluid  
sparkling  
iridescent  
glassy  
flashy  
glazed  
sheer  
transparent  
translucent  
opaque  
muddy  
grimy  
young  
drab  
dingy  
narrow  
congested  
dull  
dark  
dismal  
rotted

old  
used  
worm  
untidy  
shabby  
messy  
cheap  
robust  
tired  
stately  
arid  
awkward  
crooked  
loose  
curved  
straight  
orderly  
formal  
crisp  
lithe  
flat  
stout  
wide  
rigid  
tidy  
serene  
jammed  
packed  
bruised  
tied  
stretched  
tall  
erect  
lean  
slender  
supple

lively  
muscular  
perky  
strong  
frail  
pale  
small  
miniature  
shy  
opulent  
bold  
exotic  
energetic  
arrogant  
regal  
elegant  
huge  
massive  
showy  
dazzling  
overloaded  
cluttered  
jeweled  
sturdy  
hardy  
healthy  
fragile  
sickly  
tiny  
timid  
nervous  
wild  
dramatic  
irresistible  
ramshackle  
imposing

exhausted  
large  
immense  
gigantic  
decorative  
frightened  
lavish  
tantalizing  
fiery  
fresh  
scrubbed  
handsome  
calm  
radiant  
blazing  
clean  
pleasant  
crowded

# COLOUR WORDS

## **Reds**

pink  
salmon  
rose  
coral  
raspberry  
strawberry  
cherry  
crimson  
cardinal  
vermillion  
ruby  
garnet  
wine  
maroon  
burgundy

## **Purples**

lavender  
lilac  
orchid  
mauve  
plum  
mulberry  
magenta  
violet

## **Whites**

snow  
milky  
marble  
cream

## **Yellows**

peach  
apricot  
butter  
buttercup  
lemon  
canary  
gold  
topaz  
ochre  
sulphur  
mustard  
butterscotch  
orange  
tangerine  
persimmon

## **Grays**

ashen  
dove  
steel  
silver  
platinum

## **Blacks**

jet  
ebony  
licorice  
charcoal

## **Blues**

sky  
sapphire  
azure  
porcelain  
turquoise  
aqua  
aquamarine  
peacock  
cobalt  
royal  
navy

## **Greens**

celery  
mint  
apple  
lime  
kelly  
emerald  
olive  
pistachio  
chartreuse

## **Browns**

sandy  
almond  
amber  
tawny  
hazel  
cinnamon  
nutmeg  
chocolate  
coffee  
copper  
rust  
ginger  
bronze  
walnut  
mahogany  
beige  
buff

# SOUND

banging	crying	mooring	silent
barking		mumbling	splashing
bawling	deafening	muted	squawking
beating	dripping	muttering	snapping
belching	droning		snarling
bellowing		noisy	snoring
blaring	euphonious		stormy
blasting	exploding	outcry	stuttering
bleating			
boisterous	fizzing	peaceful	tapping
booming		peeping	tearing
blustering	gagging	peircing	tinkling
brash	gaspng	pinging	thudding
burping	giggling	plopping	thumping
bursting	grating		ticking
buzzing	growling	quacking	tranquil
	grunting		tuneful
cacaphony	gurgling	racket	twittering
chattering	gushing	rapping	
cheering		rasping	uproar
chiming	harmonic	rattling	
chirping	hissing	rythmic	wailing
clamouring	honking	ringing	warbling
clanging	howling	ripping	wheezing
clapping	humming	rumbling	whimpering
clicking	husking	rustling	whining
clinking			whispering
commotion	jangling	scratching	whizzing
cooing	jingling	screaming	whooping
coughing		screeching	whistling
crackling	lyric	serene	
crashing	mellow	singing	yelp
croaking	melodious	slamming	
crunching	moaning	shouting	

# HEARING WORDS

## **Loud Sounds**

crash  
thud  
bump  
boom  
thunder  
bang  
smash  
explode  
roar  
scream  
screech  
shout  
yell  
whistle  
whine  
squawk  
bark  
bawl  
bluster  
blare  
grate  
slam  
clap  
stomp  
stamp  
noise  
discord  
jamgle  
rasp  
clash  
clamour  
tumult  
riot

racket  
brawl  
bedlam  
pandemonium  
hubbub  
blatant  
deafening  
raucous  
earsplitting  
piercing  
rowdy  
disorderly  
thwack  
splat  
rattle

## **Soft Sounds**

sigh  
murmur  
whisper  
whir  
rustle  
twitter  
patter  
hum  
mutter  
snap  
hiss  
crackle  
bleat  
peep  
buzz  
zing  
gurgle  
swish

rush  
tinkle  
hush  
still  
speechless  
mute  
faint  
inaudible  
melody  
resonant  
harmonious  
musical  
fizzle  
wheeze  
tap

## **Speech Sounds**

stutter  
stammer  
giggle  
guffaw  
laugh  
sing  
yell  
scream  
screech  
snort  
bellow  
growl  
chatter  
murmur  
whisper  
whimper  
talk  
drawl

# TASTE & SMELL

acidic  
acid  
alkaline  
appetizing  
aromatic

balmy  
biting  
bitter (sweet)  
bland  
burnt  
buttery

cold  
crisp

delectable  
delicious  
delicate  
doughy

earthy  
fetid  
fishy  
foul  
flowery  
fragrant  
fresh  
fruity

gamy  
garlicky

harsh  
heartly  
hot

lemony  
luscious  
medicinal  
mellow  
mildewed  
minty  
moist

moldy  
musty

noxious  
oily  
over ripe

peppery  
perfumed  
pickled  
piney  
plastic  
poignant  
pungent  
putrid

rancid  
rank  
raw  
reeking  
repugnant  
rich  
ripe  
rotten  
rubbery

salty  
seasoned  
savory  
scented  
sharp  
sour  
spicy  
spoiled  
stagnant  
stale  
stench  
succulent  
sugary  
sweaty  
sweet

tangy  
tart  
tasteless  
tough

vile  
vinegary  
unappetizing  
unpalatable

zesty

**Bitter rancid taste**(or  
smell) **of fear**  
(or of failure, defeat,  
loss or tragedy)

**Tangy, tart taste**(or  
smell) **of joy** (or  
triumph, happiness,  
success, or victory)

# TOUCH

abrasive

biting  
blustery  
boiling  
bubbly  
bulky  
bumpy  
burning  
bushy

clammy  
coarse  
cool  
cottony  
corrugated  
crinkly  
crisp  
cushioned

damp  
delicate  
downy  
drenched  
dripping  
dry  
dusty  
dull

feathery  
fine  
furm  
fluffy  
foamy

freezing  
furry  
fuzzy  
frigid

glassy  
gluey  
gnarled  
grainy  
greasy  
gritty  
gushy

hairy  
hard  
heavy  
hot  
humid  
icy  
jagged

knobbed  
knotted

lacy  
leathery  
lukewarm  
lumpy

matted  
metallic  
moist  
mushy

numbing  
oily

piercing  
plastic  
pointed  
powdery  
prickly  
pulpy

rocky  
rough  
rubbery  
rugged

sandy  
scalding  
scorching

scaly  
scratchy  
scummy  
shaggy  
sharp  
silky  
slick  
slimy  
slippery  
sloppy  
smooth  
smothering  
soapy  
sopping  
soft  
soupy

spiky  
splintered  
spongy  
steamy  
steely  
sticky  
stifled  
stinging  
stony  
stubby  
swirling

tangled  
tender  
tepid  
thick  
tickling  
tough

velvety  
warm  
waxy  
wet  
wiry  
wooly

**Sharp and  
spicy touch  
of spring** (or  
of joy, triumph,  
happiness,  
success, or  
victory)



# EMOTION WORDS

excited  
thrilled  
overjoyed  
ecstatic  
pleased  
delighted

agitated  
aroused  
flustered  
edgy  
disconcerted  
impatient  
restless  
impassioned  
fervent  
zealous

angry  
irate  
irritated  
furious  
fuming  
enraged  
aggravated  
inflamed  
provoked  
disturbed  
annoyed  
frustrated  
bothered

serious  
sullen  
solemn  
somber  
grim  
grave

nervous  
apprehensive  
tense  
restless  
worried  
unsettled  
uneasy  
anxious  
concerned

scared  
alarmed  
frantic  
terrified  
horrified  
petrified  
fretful  
panicked  
frenzied  
hysterical

delirious  
crazed

refreshed  
pacified  
calm  
relaxed  
soothed  
peaceful

fatigued  
exhausted  
exasperated  
drained  
drowsy  
groggy  
indifferent  
apathetic

composed  
collected  
tranquil  
placated  
appeased  
subdued

cocky  
confident  
sure  
self-reliant  
proud  
smug  
resolute  
firm  
decided  
determined

helpless  
hopeless  
reliant  
dependent  
despondent  
lost

dissatisfied  
disappointed  
dejected  
depressed  
downhearted  
discouraged  
gloomy  
mournful

envious  
jealous

eager  
impatient

impulsive  
  
hesitant  
reluctant  
undecided  
uncertain

dubious  
doubtful  
unsure  
suspicious

embarrassed  
abashed

betrayed  
deceived  
mislead  
deluded  
tricked

surprised  
startled  
stunned

puzzled  
confused  
baffled  
bewildered

reflective  
thoughtful  
engrossed  
preoccupied  
pensive  
oblivious