

A Thesaurus *of the mysterious & the unexpected*

amazing *adjective (verb: amaze)*

The discs moved across the sky at an amazing speed.

Alternatives: astonishing, extraordinary, remarkable, surprising

beast *noun*

The butchering beast is waiting to get you.

Alternatives: animal, creature, monster

bellow *verb/noun*

"I'll eat you on toast!" bellowed the ogre. The ogre let out a deep bellow.

Alternatives: howl, roar, shout, yell

confuse *verb (noun: confusion)*

When a compass goes wrong it is easy to become confused.

Alternatives: baffle, muddle, mystify, puzzle

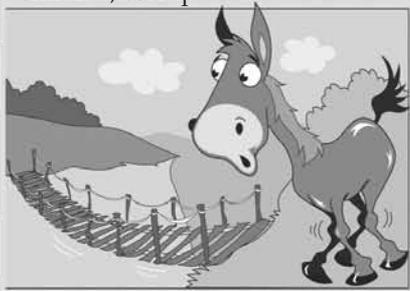
crooked *adjective*

1. The donkey was scared to cross the crooked bridge.

Alternatives: bent, twisted, uneven

2. Everyone suspected that the woman was crooked.

Alternatives: dishonest, criminal, corrupt



curiosity *noun (adjective: curious)*

He looked in to satisfy his curiosity.

Alternatives: interest, inquisitiveness, need to know, nosiness

dangerous *adjective (noun: danger)*

The Bermuda Triangle is a dangerous place for boats and planes.

Alternatives: hazardous, perilous

disappear *verb (noun: disappearance)*

The city of Atlantis disappeared into the sea.

Alternatives: fade, vanish

disturb *verb (noun: disturbance; adjective: disturbing/disturbed)*

His sleep was disturbed by a muffled sound.

Alternatives: agitate, bother, interrupt, pester



fake *noun (adjective: faked; verb: fake)*

Are the photos of Bigfoot just fakes?

Alternatives: counterfeit, forgery

fang *noun*

The vampire bit her with his fangs.

Alternatives: tooth, incisor

ghastly *adjective*

The troll gurgled ghastly groans.

Alternatives: awful, dreadful, frightful, horrible, terrible

horror *noun (verb: horrify; adjective: horrifying/horrified)*

To his horror, he saw that the tree had turned silver and gold.

Alternatives: dismay, shock

lurk *verb*

The bogeyman lurks in his lair.

Alternatives: hide, loiter, skulk

murky *adjective*

In the murky gloom the vampire leaves his tomb.

Alternatives: cloudy, dark, dim, foggy, dingy

mystery *noun (adjective: mysterious)*

Crop circles remain a mystery.

Alternatives: enigma, puzzle, secret



ogre *noun*

The ogre's mouth was as big as a cave.

Alternatives: fiend, monster, troll

perilous *adjective*

The bogeyman's lair is a perilous place.

Alternatives: dangerous, hazardous, terrifying, unsafe

petrified *adjective (verb: petrify)*

The child was too petrified to speak.

Alternatives: frightened, horrified, scared stiff, terrified

strange *adjective*

Columbus experienced strange things in the Bermuda Triangle.

Alternatives: curious, odd, peculiar, unusual, weird

spirit *noun*

1. The bridge was haunted by spirits of children.

Alternatives: ghost, phantom
2. Although she was scared, the girl showed great spirit.

Alternatives: bravery, courage, determination, liveliness

tomb *noun*

The vampire sleeps in a tomb.

Alternatives: crypt, grave, mausoleum, vault

unexpected *adjective*

There was an unexpected twist in the tale.

Alternatives: sudden, surprising, unforeseen

unidentified *adjective*

Unidentified flying objects have been spotted in the sky.

Alternatives: unknown, unnamed

warn *verb (noun: warning)*

'Don't touch him!' warned the man.

Alternatives: alert, caution