



WORDS OF THE WEEK!



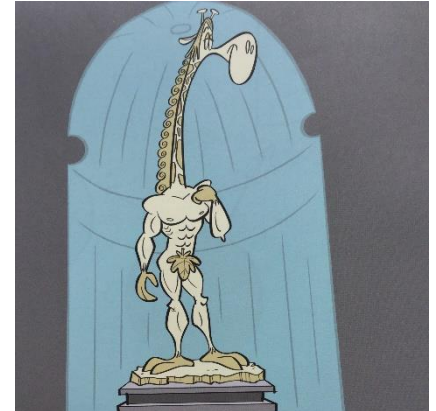
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statuesque

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like someone who looks as impressive as a statue



putrid

adj. rotten and decayed
like a very old sandwich



shimmering

adj. gleaming or glistening
like a precious pearl when it catches the light

cluttered

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word pairs
cluttered room
cluttered office
cluttered desk


SYNONYMS
messy
littered
untidy

etymology
Used in **1.3%** of stories

“
In the center of the room, a long wooden table was cluttered with scrolls, notebooks, books, computers, papers, and a large bowl filled with jelly beans, which seemed kind of out of place.
”

“
Shang High's room was hopelessly cluttered. He searched and searched, but he couldn't find...
”

tell a story



dense

adj. thick, solid, or heavy
like a cloud so thick you need a knife to cut through it

word pairs
dense clouds
stone forest
dense fog


SYNONYMS
thick
heavy
solid

etymology
Dense is from the Latin word *densus*, which means "thick or crowded".

Used in **14.6%** of stories

“
It was an overcast day. The clouds were so dense that you could cut them with a knife...
”

tell a story



statuesque

adj. tall, beautiful, and dignified
like someone who looks as impressive as a statue

word pairs
statuesque figure
statuesque model
statuesque goddess


SYNONYMS
tall and dignified
beautiful
striking

etymology
Statuesque comes from the Latin word *statu*, which means "to stand".

Used in **1.5%** of stories

“
Shang High gazed up at the marble giraffe and wondered if he could ever look so statuesque...
”

tell a story



putrid

adj. rotten and decayed
like a very old sandwich

word pairs
putrid food
putrid smell
putrid meat


SYNONYMS
rotten
disgusting
decayed

etymology
Putrid comes from the Latin word *putris*, which means "rotten or crumbling".

Used in **1.2%** of stories

“
Bogart loved putrid food. The more rotten, the better...
”

tell a story



shimmering

adj. gleaming or glistening
like a precious pearl when it catches the light

word pairs
shimmering beauty
shimmering water
shimmering surface

SYNONYMS
gleaming
glistening
sparkling

etymology
Shimmering comes from the Old English word *shimern*, which means "shine" or "glitter".

Used in **6.8%** of stories

“
Or was bewitched by the shimmering beauty of the pearl...
”

tell a story

