

## VOCABULARY

### 1. Assuage (verb)

**Meaning;** To pacify or soothe



**Synonyms:** soften, appease

**Antonyms:** irritate, provoke

### 2. Eerie (adjective)

**Meaning;** strange, weird, fear-inspiring



**Synonyms:** ghostly, haunting

**Antonyms:** ordinary, entertaining

### 3. Cumbersome (adjective)

**Meaning;** Burdensome or hindering



**Synonyms:** complex, inefficient

**Antonyms:** systematic, efficient

4. **Wallow (verb)**

**Meaning;** To live or exist in filth or in a sickening manner.



**Synonyms:** bask

**Antonyms:** eschew

5. **Scrunch (verb)**

**Meaning;** To crumple and squeeze to make more compact.



**Synonyms:** compress

**Antonyms:** expand

6. **Abstract (verb)**

**Meaning;** to remove something from somewhere.



**Synonyms:** remove, extract

**Antonyms:** incorporate, add

7. **Bash (verb)**

**Meaning;** To strike heavily



**Synonyms:** hit, beat

**Antonyms:** protect, guard