



INGLÉS

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OBJETIVOS:

- To enhance students' linguistic repertoire by using strong adjectives.

CONTENIDOS DE LA SEMANA:

- Strong adjectives

Online dictionaries: <https://www.wordreference.com/>, <https://www.lexico.com/es>

Hi-diddly-ho, dear student! How is it going? It's been a whole week without seeing us. I'm pretty sure that you miss your school and teachers, but it's very important that you and your family stay at home safely.

Last week, we learnt about some modal verbs and their uses. This week we're going to review the vocabulary of strong adjectives to improve our English repertoire.

Remember that you can print this worksheet or write the answers in your notebook (cuaderno). If you have a question, don't hesitate and send me a message (email or Instagram)

Fasten your seatbelt! Here we go!

- Look at the photos. How would you describe these pictures? hot, angry, hungry or dirty



Well done!

Picture 1: He's very **angry**

Picture 2: It's very **hot**

Picture 3: The soccer shoes are very **dirty**

Picture 4: He's very **hungry**

- We use **very** to emphasize the quality of the adjective. Its function is to intensify the characteristic of the person or thing we're describing.
- However, using **very** all the time it's very boring (told ya!) That's why we have something called: **Strong adjectives**
- So instead of saying:
*He's very **angry**.* we can say *He's **furious**.*
*It's very **hot**.* we can say *It's **boiling**.*
*The soccer shoes are very **dirty**.* we can say *The soccer shoes are **filthy**.*
*He's very **hungry**.* we can say *He's **starving**.*
- Click to see more examples of strong adjectives:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1L9wZZDgAE>
- Extra practice? Click on the link:
<https://www.tolearnenglish.com/exercises/exercise-english-2/exercise-english-84300.php>
- Take a look to these lists

Regular	Strong
Angry	Furious
Small	Tiny
Afraid	Terrified
Good	Delicious
Hungry	starving
Big	enormous
Cold	Freezing
Dirty	Filthy
Happy	Excited
Funny	Hilarious
Sure	Positive
surprised	amazed

EXTREME ADJECTIVES

Angry	➤	Furious	Bad	➤	Terrible
Big	➤	Huge	Nice	➤	Lovely
Clean	➤	Spotless	Funny	➤	Hilarious
Crowded	➤	Packed	Hot	➤	Boiling
Dirty	➤	Filthy	Hungry	➤	Starving
Good	➤	Excellent	Old	➤	Ancient
Happy	➤	Elated	Pretty	➤	Gorgeous
Ugly	➤	Hideous	Scary	➤	Terrifying
Cold	➤	Freezing	Small	➤	Tiny
Long	➤	Endless	Tired	➤	Exhausted

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- **Reading comprehension.** Read the text and complete the exercises.

Angie: As a child, I always wanted to be a model. I used to look at all of the **beautiful** women in the magazines and on television. And I used to think it looked so exciting. To spend all day wearing beautiful clothes and going to exciting locations for photo shoots. And I've always loved fashion, so the idea that I could go to fashion shows in Paris. New York. etc, was just **amazing** for me. What I didn't realize is that actually being a model is really, really hard work. The hours are very long, especially when you have to travel. Sometimes. We travel for fifteen hours or more and when we arrive we need to start work straightaway. And the problem is that you need to look good all the time. But often, you're feeling **terrible**.

Pauline: I have a passion for food, so being a restaurant critic seemed like the perfect job for me. I could spend my days sitting in some of the best restaurants, eating **delicious** food and get paid for it. The only problem, which I didn't realize at the time, is that actually you can get bored of eating restaurant food. I used to eat three-course meals every day, or sometimes twice a day. And I would often cook at home. So I put on loads of weight. I was **furious!** I used to spend hours in the gym, doing exercise to try and work off the food I was eating. But it was **impossible**. So, in the end, I gave it up.

Monty: I used to work in a bank, so when I lost my job I decided it was time to do something that I would really enjoy. To follow a dream, if you like. I had this wonderfully romantic idea of owning my own vineyard, making wine and spending my life in the beautiful Tuscan countryside. But the reality is very different. I had no idea how tiring the job would be. For a start, there're no holidays. For five months of the year, you don't even have weekends. You work seven days a week and you're **exhausted** all the time. And the other problem is the weather. Bad weather can ruin everything. So, in the winter, you have to get up at two o'clock in the morning when it's **freezing** outside, to turn on the frost control. And in September, a bad storm can ruin the grapes in just a few minutes. At least when I worked in an office. I didn't use to worry about the weather. Having said that, I love my life. And the science of making wine is absolutely **fascinating**. I wouldn't change my job for anything.

1. Read the text and find the strong adjectives in **bold**. Match them to the adjectives below.

1. Good: wonderful, _____, brilliant
2. Bad: awful, _____
3. Big: enormous
4. Small: tiny
5. Tired: _____
6. Hot: boiling
7. Cold: _____
8. Tasty: _____
9. Angry: _____
10. Interesting: _____
11. Pretty: _____
12. Difficult _____

- Well done! Now please answer the worksheet on the next page



Strong adjectives

Name:..... Ill grade:.....

Date:.....

a Complete the adjective for each picture.



1 She's absolutely
freezing.



2 It's d_____!



3 They're really
e_____.



4 He's h_____.



5 It's absolutely
en_____.



6 They're
f_____.

b Complete the sentences with a strong adjective.

- 1 **A** Are you **sure** the meeting is today?
B Yes, I'm absolutely positive.
- 2 **A** Is your boyfriend's apartment **small**?
B Yes, it's really _____.
- 3 **A** Were your parents **angry** about your test scores?
B Yes, they were _____.
- 4 **A** Is your sister **afraid** of insects?
B Yes, she's absolutely _____ of them.
- 5 **A** Were you **surprised** when you passed your driving test?
B Yes, I was really _____.
- 6 **A** Were the kids **hungry** when they arrived?
B Yes, they were absolutely _____.

- It's time to sing. Get your guitar and go to your balcony (if you have one)

Click on the song and do the exercises:

<https://open.spotify.com/track/78kkknD87Eor8RDGY9Gyuv?si=42Cspv1vQ4SqFQX9aBmGjw>

Hand in My Pocket – Alanis Morissette

I'm _____ but I'm happy, I'm poor but I'm kind
 I'm short but I'm _____, yeah
 I'm _____ but I'm grounded, I'm sane but I'm overwhelmed
 I'm _____ but I'm hopeful, baby
 What it all comes down to
 Is that everything's gonna be _____, _____, _____
 'Cause I've got one hand in my pocket
 And the other one is giving a _____ five

I feel drunk but I'm _____, I'm young and I'm underpaid
 I'm tired but I'm working, yeah
 I _____ but I'm restless, I'm here but I'm really gone
 I'm wrong and I'm sorry baby

What it all comes down to
 Is that everything is going to be _____ alright
 'Cause I've got one hand in my pocket
 And the other one is flicking a cigarette

What it all comes down to
 Is that I haven't got it all figured out just yet
 'Cause I've got one hand in my pocket
 And the other one is giving a _____ sign

I'm _____ but I'm focused, I'm green but I'm wise
 I'm _____ but I'm friendly, baby
 I'm _____ but I'm laughing, I'm _____ but I'm chicken shit
 I'm sick but I'm _____ baby

And what it all boils down to
 Is that no one's really got it figured out just yet
 I've got one hand in my pocket
 And the other one is playing the piano

And what it all comes down to, my friends, yeah
 Is that everything is just _____, _____, _____
 I've got one hand in my pocket
 And the other one is hailing a taxi cab



Alanis Nadine Morissette (born June 1, 1974) is a Canadian alternative rock singer-songwriter, guitarist, record producer, and actress. Morissette has sold more than 60 million albums worldwide. She is known for her powerful and emotive mezzo-soprano voice. She was dubbed by Rolling Stone as the "Queen of alt-rock angst. Her most famous album was *Jagged Little Pill* which was released in 1995. It included hits like: Ironic, You Ought'a Know and One hand in My Pocket.

See you soon kids and don't forget to wash your hands for 30 seconds!