

Creating Word Banks



Writers try to convey complex and nuanced ideas through the use of words. You can do this when you write, too. One good strategy to avoid choosing overused words is to create a word bank. This way, you'll have lots of good words to choose from!

Look at the word at the top of each column and list ten other words you could use that are more descriptive.

said	sad	went
whispered	depressed	sauntered

