

Year 7 Creative Piece: **GOTHIC** Knowledge Lexicon



ADJECTIVES BETTER THAN "CREEPY"

eerie	disturbing	frightful
mysterious	disconcerting	fearful
strange	foreboding	spectral
uncanny	sinister	unearthly
fearful	threatening	ghastly
odd	unsettling	macabre
menacing	alarming	loathsome
ominous	shuddersome	funereal
ghoulish	dire	sepulchral

ADJECTIVES BETTER THAN "OLD"

ancient	aged	decrepit
antique	venerable	hoary
archaic	antiquated	
timeworn	time-weathered	

ADJECTIVES BETTER THAN "DARK"

lightless	sombre	dismal
darkened	shadowy	dreary
dim	tenebrous	night-veiled
dingy	bedimmed	unilluminated
gloomy	shaded	unlit
crepuscular	murky	ebony

ADJECTIVES BETTER THAN "SMELLY"

foul	fetid	noisome
rank	foul-smelling	stench
rancid	reeking	evil-smelling
putrid	malodorous	fetid

ADJECTIVES BETTER THAN "EVIL" OR "NASTY"

satanic	vile	abhorrent
hateful	murderous	dreadful
malevolent	sinister	ghastly
nefarious	wicked	grisly
villainous	hellish	abominable
corrupt	dire	ghoulish
malicious	ominous	despicable
devilish	threatening	repulsive
depraved	baneful	loathsome
vicious	cruel	

"DIRTY" OR "ROTTING"

dusty	squalid	stale
filthy	sooty	stagnant
grimy	festering	fetid
murky	unswept	crumbling
polluted	cobwebbed	decomposing
stained	feculent	noxious
defiled	loathsome	decayed
foul	miry	decaying
smudged	rotting	corrupted
spattered	mouldy	mouldering
sullied	rancid	purifying

ADJECTIVES BETTER THAN "SAD"

melancholic	disconsolate	funereal
depressive	doleful	dispirited
depressing	forlorn	oppressive
dismal	low-spirited	saddening
mournful	lugubrious	dreary
sombre	morose	
sorrowful	pensive	
cheerless	miserable	
dejected	grim	
despairing	bleak	
despondent	joyless	

STRONG GOTHIC COLOURS

black	obsidian	fuchsia
ebon	crimson	scarlet
sable	magenta	ashen
jet	burgundy	emerald

GOTHIC HAIR & CLOTHES

bedraggled	dishevelled	lace
unkempt	velvet	silken
disarrayed	silk	crepe
begrimed	satin	muslin

Lexicon Card			

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Lexicon Choice Sheet

Word	Dictionary Definition	Example Sentence
misguided	mistaken, wrong, misled	It would be a <u>mistaken</u> idea to think that our planet can suffer pollution for ever.
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