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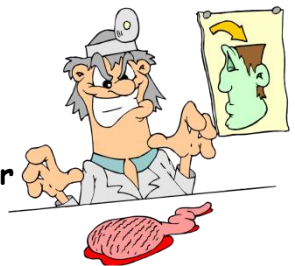
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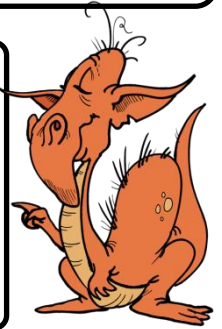
- afraid of
- angry about / at
- bad at
- busy
- Clever at
- Crazy about
- disappointed about
- excited about

- impressed by
- interested in
- keen on
- like
- famous for
- fond of
- glad about
- good at

- sick of
- sorry about
- tired of
- worried about
- worth
- near
- proud of

Sample Sentences

- I can't come now. I'm **busy** repairing the tap.
- The students are **tired of** studying for the exam.
- She will enter the competition. It's **worth** trying.
- My father is **good at** solving crossword puzzles.



After these adjectives , we use the infinitive forms of the Verbs

- amazed
- amazing
- angry
- astonished
- astonishing
- awkward
- brave
- Careless
- Clever
- cowardly
- crazy
- delighted
- difficult
- disappointed

- disgusted
- easy
- extraordinary
- funny
- generous
- glad
- happy
- hard
- honest
- horrified
- impossible
- kind
- nice
- odd

- pointless
- relieved
- ridiculous
- rude
- sad
- selfish
- silly
- sorry
- strange
- stupid
- surprised
- wicked
- wise

Sample Sentences

- It's **impossible** to breathe under water.
- She was **horrified** to see a rat in the bedroom.
- I find it **difficult** to drive a lorry or bus.
- The boss was **happy** to see all the work done.
- This problem is not **easy** to solve. Give me some more time.

