Journalistic Writing

I am learning to develop a rich understanding of words associated with feeling surprised.



Introduce new vocabulary

Identify word pairs and synonyms

Apply vocabulary in sentences

In this lesson, you will need:

• Exercise book or paper • Pen or pencil

Brain





Key vocabulary

Synonym

A word that means exactly or nearly the same as another word, like <u>merry</u> and <u>happy.</u>

Adjective

A describing word



Word that often appear together. Like a <u>bright sun</u> or <u>bright moon</u> or <u>bright light</u>.

Noun

A person, place or thing.

Our first surprised word

What is happening this picture?

I can see...

I notice a...

I think the character is feeling...

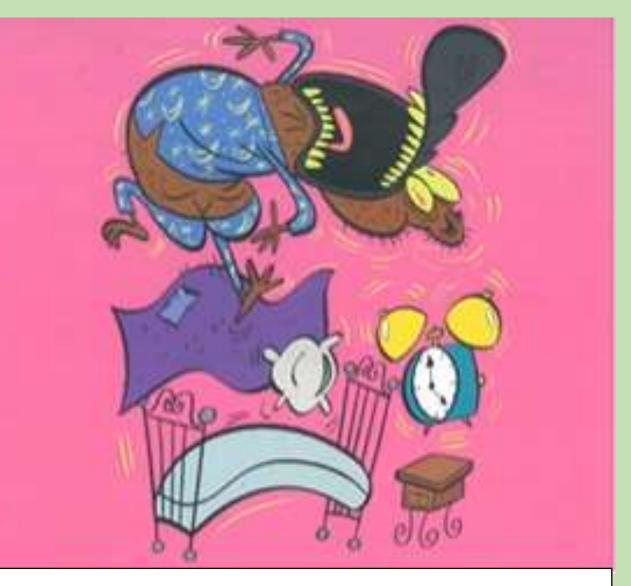
I would describe this character as...



Adjective

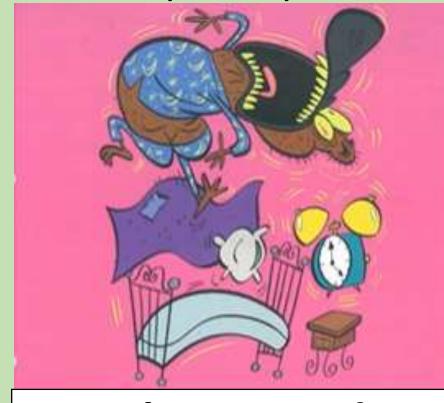
-frightened, startled or disturbed; how you feel when you get woken up suddenly by a loud noise.

Think about the root word alarm. How is it link to the meaning of alarmed?



alarmed

Which words are synonyms?



alarmed

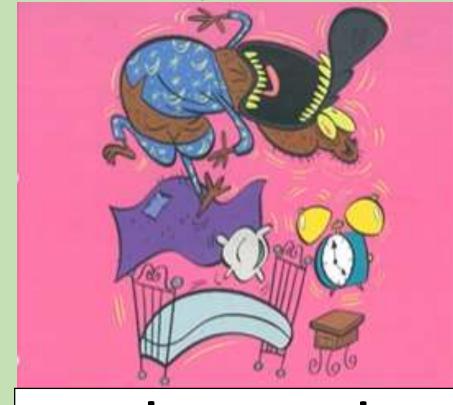
Disturbed Animal Burglar Voice

Startled



"I was a little **alarmed** when I saw a Mr Howard Carter entering the Pharaohs tomb as I knew there were rumours of a curse on the tomb"

Word pairs

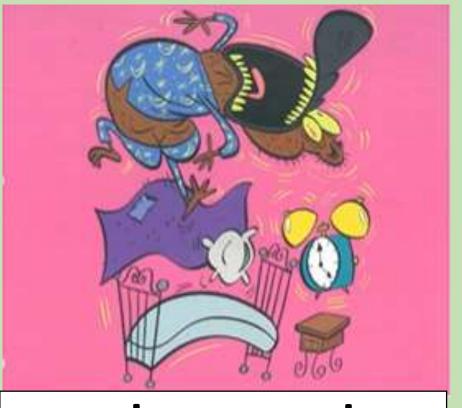


Animal alarmed Burglar alarmed Voice alarmed Look alarmed **Expression** alarmed Policeman alarmed

alarmed

What does alarmed mean?

-frightened, startled or disturbed; how you feel when you get woken up suddenly by a loud noise.



alarmed

What is happening this picture?

I can see...

I notice a...

I think the character is feeling...

I would describe this character as...



Adjective

-surprising or amazing when something is so incredible you can't believe what you're seeing.

Think about the root word astonish. How is it link to the meaning of astonishing?



astonishing

Which words are synonyms?



astonishing

beauty Spectacle amount discovery speed Achievement Amazing

Success Fact Awesome Surprising sight

"Seeing all the ancient artefacts in the pharaohs tomb was quite an **astonishing** sight!"

Word pairs

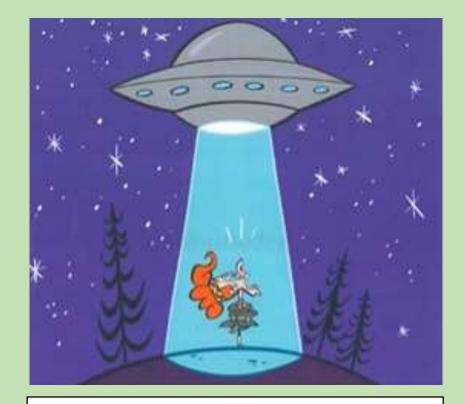


Beauty Astonishing Spectacle Astonishing Amount Astonishing Discovery Astonishing Speed Astonishing **Success** Astonishing Fact Astonishing Achievement astonishing



What does astonishing mean?

-surprising or amazing when something is so incredible you can't believe what you're seeing.





What is happening this picture?

I can see...

I notice a...

I think the character is feeling...

I would describe this character as...



Adjective

-surprised or frightened; like the feeling you get when someone jumps out at you.

The early meaning of startle was to move quickly. How does that relate to the meaning of the word?

When you are startled, you move suddenly or jump.



Which words are synonyms?



startled



"When the archaeologist peered through the hole in the chamber, he let out a startled cry of excitement".

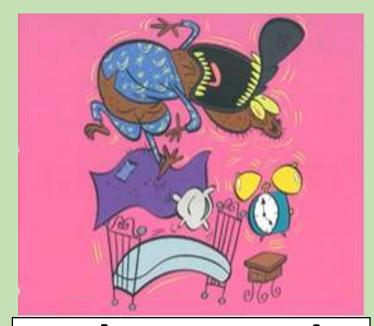
Word pairs



Creature **Startled Startled Startled Startled** Cry **Startled** Startled **Startled**

Eyes Glance Laugh Rabbit Deer

Can you remember each word?



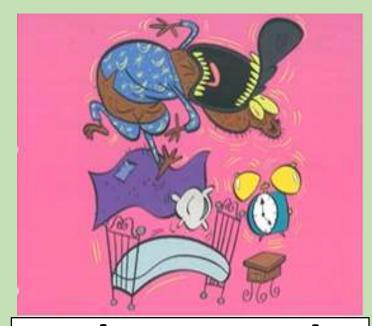




astonishing



Come up with a definition for each word!

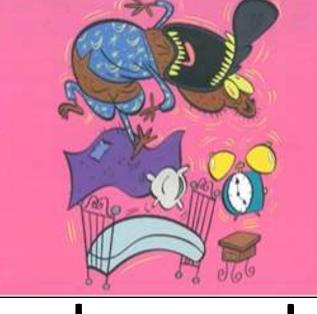






astonishing





alarmed

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astonishing



According to a local witness, Mr Carter was heard letting out a <u>startled</u> cry moments after he peered through the chamber.

Startled

Astonishing

Alarmed

"It was quite <u>astonishing</u> how quickly it all happened!" one witness exclaimed.

Startled

Astonishing

Alarmed

Write a sentence, using the word **alarmed**, **astonishing** or **startled**.

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One witness reported, " ____

When I saw _____

Congratulations!

You have completed your lesson!



If you would like to, please share your work with your parent or carer.

Remember each week your class teacher would like to see one piece of work you are most proud of. Could it be this learning?