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Upset (disgustado)

Empty	adjective
A void (un vacío)	Noun
Emptiness	

It is dope! (la ostia!) (Great=colloquial)

To hover (sobre volar)

Phrase verb.

sleep (dormir)
be asleep (estar dormido)
To be awake (despierto).
be sleepy (tener sueño)
fall asleep (caer dormido)

Present	past	Participle
Sleep	Slept	Slept

When I go on Facebook...

Deep (profundo)

Jonny Depp

To front campaign

False Friend
1. Paedophile (pederasta)
2. pedestrian (peaton)

To disappear into thin air. (disappear completely)

To yield (cosecha/ proporcionar/ ceder (territory); conceder)

I had am/was lucky
I have (noun) luck
had

[divélep] develop (desarrollar)

drip and drab (in small scattered or sporadic amounts)
(de poca monta / Con cuentagotas)

To watch paint dry. (a waste of time)

Present	past	Participle
fall	fell	fallen
Caer		
Present	past	Participle
Feel	felt	felt
(sentir)		

To slip (resbalar)
To slide (deslizarse)
A slide (tobogan)
To sleep (dormir)

To go bust
go
To become bankrupt
be
(quiebra)
To file for bankruptcy (la bancarrota, la quiebra)

Rather:	
1. to talk about Preference ≈prefer I would rather play football. I would prefer to play football.	
We use a past tense after would rather when we speak about the actions of other people, even though that action may be in the present or future.	<i>I'd rather you took a taxi (instead of walking) – it's not safe on the streets at night. The film is quite violent. I'd rather our children didn't watch it.</i>
2. It is rather expensive. = quite (bastante).	
3. Which shirt, or rather design, would you choose? ≈more precisely. ≈(osea)	
4. Filled with chocolate rather than cream. instead (en vez de)	

Adverbs of degree

- A To make adjectives and other adverbs stronger.
 • extremely/very/really/remarkably
 The castle is **really/remarkably** popular.
 It's **a/an very/extremely** popular attraction.
- B To make adjectives and adverbs less strong.
 • rather/fairly/pretty (positive and negative adjectives)
 The city wall is **rather/fairly/pretty** long.
 My town is **rather/fairly/pretty** small.
 It's **rather a/a rather/a fairly/a pretty small** town.
 (fairly a, pretty a)
 It's **a fairly/a pretty small** town.
- a bit/a little (negative adjectives only)
 London's **a bit/a little** expensive.
 London's **a bit of an** expensive city. (before a noun phrase)
- quite
 The palace is **quite** interesting.
 It's **quite an** interesting palace.
 (a quite interesting castle)
- C To emphasise ungradable adjectives.
 • absolutely
 The temperatures were **absolutely** freezing.
 (very freezing, a bit freezing)
 There's an **absolutely** gorgeous view from the top.
 (very gorgeous).

- 4 Read the information about adverbs in the box and decide which answer A, B, C or D best fits each space.
- 1 It was a simple idea.
 A bit B little C quite D remarkably
- 2 Karl's got a fast car.
 A pretty B very C quite D extremely
- 3 Everybody thinks he is crazy.
 A a little B a little of C a bit of D quite a
- 4 Goya's paintings are well-known.
 A a bit B absolutely C very D rather a
- 5 This is an important day.
 A fairly B rather C extremely D pretty
- 6 Your new dress looks very
 A very B wonderful C marvellous D beautiful
- 7 The weather was wonderful.
 A very B absolutely C extremely D remarkably
- 5 Use the adjectives in the list below, and adverbs of degree, to talk about:
- a place you have visited
 - a person you know well
 - a good film or book.
- dull interesting lively fantastic

Let's **rock** and roll (go)
 I'm **ready** to roll. (start)
 Let's get **the ball rolling**.
 this show **on the road**.

Rocket (el cohete) science
 used to say that you do not think that something is very difficult to do or to understand:
 "Come on, it's only a crossword, **it's not rocket science**."
 "Drugs equals crime. It doesn't take a rocket scientist to figure that one out."
 (no es fisica quantica)

He's **asking her to forgive (perdonar) him**.
 To **forgive (perdonar) yourself** for something you've done.
 You can't **apologise to yourself**.
Crouch (agacharse; ponerse en cuclillas)
 To **crunch (el crujido)**

To have **fond memories of** a certain period in your life.
 (nostalgia)
 I'm not **particularly fond of** heavy metal music.
 (≈keen on ≈ interested in)
 I have **taken a liking to** it.
 I am really **fond of** her.
 (coger cariño)
 to have fond memories of **+object**.

Ballet
Buffet
Chalet
parquet
[goomei] Gourmet
Bouquet (el ramo)

	Gradable (not extreme)	Ungradable (extreme)
Adverb	Extremely remarkably very vitaly deeply really	Absolutely =Utterly =completely
	Immensely fairly =Rather =somewhat	totally =utterly=entirely
	<div> <div>←</div> <div>really pretty quite</div> <div>→</div> </div>	
Adjective		Alive dead
	big →	huge
	small →	tiny
	scared →	terrified
	pretty →	gorgeous
	beautiful	
	good nice lovely →	amazing marvelous wonderful fantastic
	bad →	awful terrible
	hot →	boiling
	cold →	freezing
	important →	essential
	angry →	furious

Sub	wont	that me / him / her	to + verb (+object)
	need	/us /them	
	would like	that	
	make	you	verb (+object)
	que	tu	Hagas
	"I want you to do the homework"		
	"I can't make you stop smoking."		

To entice (tentar, seducir)

Empathetic ≈ sympathetic (empático).

My house has a terrace.

To have your work cut out for you.
(a lot of work)

I'm not cut out to be a singer.
for being

(no tengo madera)

To cut out +object
(to eliminate)

To have a	gut-feeling	about	+object (instinct)
	hunch		
a feeling or guess based on intuition rather than fact.			
"I have a hunch that someone is telling lies" (corazonada)			
My instinct tells me that...			

make	research	on about +object.
To do conduct	study	
carry out		

Bacteriae

