

Choosing words

Choosing the right words for your writing is important.

Some words don't tell us very much.

We had a **good** time at the party.

Other words are more powerful and tell us much more.

We had a **fantastic** time at the party.



1 Draw a line to match each word with a more interesting alternative. The first one has been done for you.



- a hungry
- b tired
- c nice
- d nasty
- e scary
- f dry
- g wet
- h funny

- hilarious
- terrifying
- parched
- horrible
- starving
- lovely
- exhausted
- drenched



2 Rewrite these sentences, choosing a better word to replace the words in bold.

a It is **hot** today.

b We **got** some crisps at the shop.

c Kate **made** some biscuits.

d The mouse was **small**.

e We had lunch and **then** we went to the cinema.

