

5 Writing a Review

Adjectives – ‘-ing’ adjectives / ‘-ed’ adjectives

Date:

Grade:

Kung fu is **amazing**.
I'm very **interested** in it. Let me show you.



You fall like a turtle.
It's so **amusing**!



Grammar Explained



Teaching Video

- a) We use adjectives to describe people and things. Two common forms of adjectives are the **‘-ing’** form and the **‘-ed’** form.

‘-ing’ adjectives boring exciting interesting touching

‘-ed’ adjectives bored excited interested touched

- b) We use **‘-ing’ adjectives** to describe things or people that give us such feelings.

The film was **disappointing**. I fell asleep while watching it.

The magicians are **amazing**. They can do lots of tricks.

We had a **terrifying** experience in the haunted house.

It is **relaxing** to watch the sunset.

- c) We use **‘-ed’ adjectives** to describe people’s feelings.

I felt **touched** when Mum gave me a gift.

The kids are **amused** because they see a silly clown.

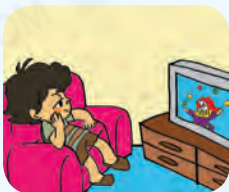
A Cody is writing profiles for his family members. Circle the correct answers.

Mrs Kim is my mum. She is ① interested / interesting in taking photos. She always carries a camera with her. She visited a lot of ② interested / interesting places when she was young.

Mr Kim is my dad. He never feels ③ bored / boring when he writes. His books are never ④ bored / boring .

Connie is my sister. She is timid and she feels ⑤ frightened / frightening easily. She doesn't watch horror films as they are ⑥ frightened / frightening .

B Members of the Kim family are doing different activities at the weekend. Look at the pictures and fill in the blanks with the given adjectives.



1. Cody feels _____ when he watches *Clown Town* on TV. He thinks the clown is _____.
(annoying / annoyed)



2. The story about the lost puppy is very _____.
Connie is _____ every time she reads it.
(touching / touched)



3. Dad is _____ with the spaghetti. It is a _____ dish. (disappointing / disappointed)



4. Mum is watching an _____ play in the theatre. She is so _____ by the funny jokes.
(amusing / amused)

C Mr Kim is writing comments on some films. Complete his comments with the correct form of the given verbs.

amaze amuse bore disappoint excite relax surprise touch



Fight Street by Kevin Smith



- I felt very **e.g.** _____ excited _____ when I watched the big explosion scene.
- The plot is excellent. There weren't any ① _____ moments.
- The special effects are ② _____. The zombies looked very real.
- The background music is too loud and doesn't match the scenes. It was quite ③ _____.

Goodbye in December by Katherine Lee



- The opening music is soft and gentle. It made me feel ④ _____.
- I was ⑤ _____ when the characters make a mess in the kitchen. That is a very funny scene.
- The dialogue is meaningful and it moved me. I was ⑥ _____.
- This film has a ⑦ _____ ending. I didn't expect it to end this way.



Proofreading

D Underline the mistakes in the numbered lines and write the correct answers on the lines.

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| 1. Mum thinks romances are moved. She often cries | 1. _____ |
| 2. because she is touching by the characters. Dad | 2. _____ |
| 3. thinks they are bore. When he reads the storylines, he | 3. _____ |
| 4. feels very boring. Mum and Dad always argue about | 4. _____ |
| 5. this and I think it is so amused to watch them argue. | 5. _____ |



Daily Life Grammar



E Mrs Kim is reading a film review. Complete the film review with the correct form of the given verbs.

amaze bore disappoint excite amuse
frighten move surprise tire

Lost at the Airport (20XX)

Director: James Brown **Duration:** 115 mins

Actors: Mike Johnson, Holly Campbell, Alex Marco and Susan Lee

Summary:

The Jackson family goes on holiday to Canada. Everyone feels ① _____ and looks forward to the trip. At the airport, Kenny walks away alone and gets lost. His family members forget about him and fly off. They are 🎲 ② _____ by the fantastic sights of Niagara Falls. Meanwhile, Kenny is ③ _____ because he can't find his family. He is ④ _____ and hungry after walking around the airport all day. How can he get back to his family?



Comments:

The story is ⑤ _____ with lots of laughter. The way Kenny gets back to his family is very creative. You will be 🎲 ⑥ _____ when you see it. Also, I was ⑦ _____ by the ending when the family gets together again. I cried a lot. Although Kenny's family members feel ⑧ _____ about his bad behaviour, they still forgive him. I never felt 🎲 ⑨ _____ while I was watching the film. A must-see for all ages this summer!

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