

# Useful Participles for Describing Feelings

Verb	Present Participle	Past Participle	Verb	Present Participle	Past Participle
aggravate	aggravating	aggravated	excite	exciting	excited
alarm	alarming	alarmed	fascinate	fascinating	fascinated
amaze	amazing	amazed	frighten	frightening	frightened
amuse	amusing	amused	humiliate	humiliating	humiliated
annoy	annoying	annoyed	infuriate	infuriating	infuriated
appall	appalling	appalled	inspire	inspiring	inspired
astonish	astonishing	astonished	insult	insulting	insulted
astound	astounding	astounded	interest	interesting	interested
bewilder	bewildering	bewildered	intimidate	intimidating	intimidated
bore	boring	bored	intrigue	intriguing	intrigued
calm	calming	calmed	mislead	misleading	misled
captivate	captivating	captivated	mystify	mystifying	mystified
challenge	challenging	challenged	overwhelm	overwhelming	overwhelmed
charm	charming	charmed	please	pleasing	pleased
comfort	comforting	comforted	puzzle	puzzling	puzzled
compel	compelling	compelled	refresh	refreshing	refreshed
confuse	confusing	confused	relax	relaxing	relaxed
convince	convincing	convinced	reward	rewarding	rewarded
depress	depressing	depressed	satisfy	satisfying	satisfied
devastate	devastating	devastating	shock	shocking	shocked
disappoint	disappointing	disappointed	sicken	sickening	sickened
disgust	disgusting	disgusted	startle	startling	startled
distract	distracting	distracted	surprise	surprising	surprised
distress	distressing	distressed	tempt	tempting	tempted
disturb	disturbing	disturbed	terrify	terrifying	terrified
embarrass	embarrassing	embarrassed	threaten	threatening	threatened
enchant	enchanting	enchanted	tire	tiring	tired
encourage	encouraging	encouraged	welcome	welcoming	welcomed
entertain	entertaining	entertained	worry	worrying	worried