

COLORLESS AND COLORFUL WORDS

- GOOD:**
- Fine (=very good)
 - Valid (argument) / efficient / effective
 - Positive
 - Suitable ['su:təbl, 'sju:təbl] / appropriate [ə'prəʊpriət]
 - Beneficial (to)
 - A boon (noun)
- BAD:**
- Evil ['i:vəl] / harmful (fort)
 - Detrimental (to sth) [nuɪsəbl, préjudiciable]
 - Appalling (consternant)
 - Invalid / inaccurate [ɪn'ækjʊrət](arguments)
 - Unsuitable
 - Useless
- IMPORTANT:**
- Large [lɑ:dʒ] (number / proportion / amount)
 - Significant (problem, part, rise)
 - Crucial ['kru:ʃl], vital (part, role)
 - Serious / major ['meɪdʒə(r)] (problem, issue, question, crisis)
 - Considerable [kən'sɪdərəbl] (growth, progress)
 - Profound / radical (change)
 - Leading / influential / prominent (person, businessman, politician)
- BIG:**
- Large (a large house / object / amount / problem)
 - Major (a major issue)
 - Significant
 - Sizeable ['saɪzəbl] (a sizeable amount of = une quantité assez grande de)
 - Foremost (au premier plan, plus éminent) → "first and foremost"
 - Prominent
- SMALL:**
- Minor ['maɪnə(r)]
 - Secondary ['sekəndrɪ,]
 - Insignificant
 - Poor / limited
- MAKE:**
- To create / invent / develop [dɪ'veləp]
 - To set up / establish
- THINK:**
- To assume / to suppose (theory)
 - To claim / to argue ['ɑ:gju:] (when putting forward one's opinion)
 - To consider
 - To reckon (estimer)
- LIKE:**
- To enjoy / to take pleasure in sth OR in doing sth
 - To be fond of / to be keen on sth OR doing sth (sports, activities...)
 - To appreciate [ə'pri:ʃɪət]
- PROBLEM:**
- Question / issue
 - Difficulty
 - Dilemma [daɪ'lemə]
 - Disadvantage / drawbacks (negative aspect of something)
- INTERESTING:**
- Fascinating / captivating (fort)
 - Thought-provoking / stimulating / entertaining
 - Innovative (new and therefore attractive)