100 Synonyms for Said

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How to Use 100 Synonyms for Said: When teaching narrative writing, students (like adults - and even some authors!) will overuse "said" when adding dialogue tags. 100 Synonyms for Said will help students use other descriptors, such as *shrieked*, *gloated*, or *quipped*. The best way to introduce 100 Synonyms for Said is to have student highlight ten words they feel comfortable using - then use them! Have students keep 100 Synonyms for Said in their notebooks for easy access. They will be sure to *screeeeeeech* with joy!!!

About the Author:

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 Acknowledged 	35. Directed	67.Prompted
2. Added	36. Disclosed	68.Pronounced
Admitted	37. Divulged	69.Proposed
 Affirmed 	38. Elaborated	70. Protested
5. Agreed	39. Exclaimed	71. Questioned
6. Announced	40. Explained	72. Quibbled
7. Answered	41. Exploded	73. Quipped
8. Argued	42.Expressed	74. Quoted
9. Asked	43. Fumed	75. Ranted
10. Asserted	44.Gasped	76. Recommended
11. Begged	45. Gloated	77. Rejoiced
12. Blurted	46. Hinted	78.Remarked
13. Boasted	47. Implied	79. Reminded
14. Bragged	48. Implored	80. Requested
15. Broke in	49. Interjected	81. Responded
16. Challenged	50. Interrupted	82. Retorted
17. Charged	51. Jeered	83. Revealed
18. Chuckled	52. Jested	84. Scoffed
19. Claimed	51. Joked	85. Scolded
20. Commented	52. Maintained	86. Shouted
21. Complained	53. Mumbled	87. Shrieked
22. Concluded	54. Muttered	88. Shrugged
23. Confided	55. Narrated	89. Snapped
24. Confirmed	56.Objected	90. Sneered
25. Contended	57. Observed	91. Stammered
26. Continued	58.Offered	92. Stated
27. Contributed	59. Ordered	93. Stressed
28. Countered	60.Persisted	94. Suggested
29. Cried	61. Persuaded	95. Teased
30. Debated	62.Pleaded	96. Told
31. Declared	63.Pledged	97. Urged
32. Demanded	64. Pointed out	98. Wept
33. Denied	65.Predicted	99. Whispered
34. Described	66.Proceeded	100. Yelled