

Words to Substitute

a	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• accused• acknowledged• acquiesced• added• addressed• ad-libbed• admitted• admonished• advised• advocated• affirmed• agreed• alleged• allowed	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• announced• answered• apologized• approved• argued• articulated• assented• asserted• assumed• assured• attacked• attested• averred• avowed
b	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• babbled• balked• bargained• bantered• barked• bawled• beckoned• began• begged• bellowed	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• blabbed• blasted• blubbered• blurted• boasted• boomed• bragged• brayed• breathed• bubbled

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c	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• cackled• called• cautioned• charged• chanted• chattered• cheered• chided• chimed in• chirped• chuckled• cited	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• concluded• condescended• confessed• confided• consented• consoled• contested• contended• continued• contradicted• conveyed• cooed
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • choked • claimed • commanded • commented • complained • conceded 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corrected • counseled • countered • cracked • cried • croaked • crowed
d	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • dared • debated • decided • declared • declined • decreed • decried • deduced • defended • deferred • delivered 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • demanded • demurred • denied • denounced • described • dictated • directed • disclosed • divulged • drawled • droned

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e	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • echoed • elaborated • emitted • emphasized • encouraged • enjoined • enunciated 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • estimated • exclaimed • exhorted • explained • exploded • expressed
f	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • faltered • feared 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • foretold • fumed
g	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • gabbled • gasped • giggled • gossiped • granted • grinned 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • groaned • growled • grumbled • grunted • guessed • gurgled
h	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • haggled • hedged 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • hissed • hollered

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> held (forth) hesitated hinted 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> howled hummed
i	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> imparted implied implored indicated informed injected insinuated 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> insisted instructed interjected interrupted intimidated invited itemized
j	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> jawed jested joked 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> joshed judged justified

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l	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> lamented laughed lectured 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> lied lisped listed
m	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> made known maintained mentioned mimicked moaned 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> mumbled murmured mused muttered
n	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> nagged narrated 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> noted notified
o	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> objected observed orated 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ordered outlined
p	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> panted pattered persisted persuaded pestered phrased piped pleaded pointed out 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> prayed preached predicted proclaimed professed promised prompted pronounced proposed

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> pondered positioned praised prattled 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> propounded protested proved puffed
q	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> quibbled quipped 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> quizzed quoted

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r	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> rambled ranted reaffirmed reasoned recalled recommended referred refused refuted regretted reiterated rejoiced rejoined related relayed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> reflected remarked remembered reminded repeated replied reported reprimanded responded restated resumed retorted roared returned ruled
s	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> sanctioned sang scoffed scolded screamed screeched scolded shared shot back shouted shrieked sighed snapped snarled sneered snickered 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> soothed sounded specified speculated spewed spied spoke sputtered squawked squeaked squealed stammered stated stipulated stormed stressed

- sniffed
- snorted
- sobbed

- stuttered
- submitted
- suggested
- supposed

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t	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • talked • tattled • taught • taunted • teased • testified 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • thanked • thought • threatened • thundered • told • twitted
u	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • urged 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • uttered
v	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • verbalized • vocalized 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • voiced • vowed
w	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • wailed • warbled • warned • went on • wept • wheezed • whimpered • whined 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • whispered • whistled • whooped • wished • wondered • wondered aloud • wrangled
y	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • yapped • yawned 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • yelled • yelped