

Week 15



Uncanny

Word Class	Adjective
Meaning	Strange and difficult to explain
Examples	1. I had an uncanny feeling I was being watched.
	2. They say dogs have an uncanny way of sensing bad people.
	3. Barb's uncanny resemblance to my Auntie Jane is scary.
Synonyms for this word	Weird Extraordinary Eerie Mysterious

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late 16th century