

a Write synonyms for the strong adjectives.

**Strong adjectives**

- 1 The island's **tiny** – only 16 square kilometres.
- 2 The food in Lipsi was **delicious**.
- 3 Her father's **furious**. She crashed his car.
- 4 I'm **terrified** of flying. I never travel by plane.
- 5 I've been working all day. I'm **exhausted**.
- 6 It's going to be **boiling** tomorrow – about 40°!
- 7 Can I have a sandwich? I'm **starving**.
- 8 The flat's **enormous**. It's got five bedrooms.
- 9 I'm not going to swim. The water's **freezing**.
- 10 Your car's **filthy**. Why don't you wash it?
- 11 That's a **great** idea! Let's do it.
- 12 This book's **awful**. I can't finish it.

**Normal adjectives**

- = very small  
= very tasty  
= very \_\_\_\_\_  
= very \_\_\_\_\_

b Cover a. Complete the responses with a strong adjective.

- 1 Are you hungry? Yes, I'm starving \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 Was your mother angry? Yes, she was \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 Is her flat small? Yes, it's \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 Are you tired? Yes, I'm \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 Is the floor dirty? Yes, it's \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 Are you afraid of spiders? Yes, I'm \_\_\_\_\_ of them.