

## Story – The Rollercoaster Ride

(Less Common Emotion Words)

- Read the story to get the main idea.
- Then, cross out the wrong word form in the sentence.
- Should the word end with +ED (emotion) or +ING (experience, thing)?

Example: We watched a horrified / horrifying movie last night.

Some people think it is thrilled / thrilling to go on the fast rides in amusement parks. When I was a small child, I was frightened / frightening of **all** the rides – even the slow ones! My sister was amused / amusing when I didn't want to join her on the rides at the PNE. She was fascinated / fascinating with the speed. My parents were a little worried because I was so cautioused / cautious. On the other hand, I liked the colors and thought the designs of the machines were fascinated / fascinating.

One summer day, I was feeling depressed / depressing, so my sister wanted to surprise me. We had to walk there, and I was very suspicioused / suspicious. She covered my eyes with a cloth, so I couldn't see where we were going. It was frightened / frightening! When we arrived at Ride.Land? a local amusement park near our house, I was disappointed / disappointing. Why did we have to go THERE?"

My sister was upset / upsetting that I didn't want to go on any rides. To make her happy, I agreed to go on the rollercoaster. It didn't look too scary, so I felt optomisticed / optimistic. I wanted to be couraged / courageous. However, I wanted to change my mind as soon as I saw that it was very long and high! I felt overwhelmed / overwhelming with fear! My sister was determined / determining that I should ride it. I carefully sat beside her. The rollercoaster made loud horrified / horrifying noises, so I closed my eyes. It started to move slowly and then faster and faster!

I couldn't believe it! I was thrilled / thrilling that the ride was very smooth. That day, I became more couraged / courageous and even went on two other rides that looked frightened / frightening to me.

My sister smiled all the way home because she had had a satisfied / satisfying day. My parents felt optomisticed / optimistic that I will not be helplessed / helpless when I face problems in the future. I was glad that I was alive and was able to try new things!

**Your turn to talk:** Have you tried to overcome a fear? Explain.