Ser/Estar + Caliente, Frío, Friolento, and Calenturiento

**Persona o animal** **Cosa**

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| Ser Caliente | Hot (vulgar), passionate (sexual connotation; characteristic) | Warm (normally of warm temperature\_ |
| Ser frío | Cold (having a cold personality) | Cold (normally of cold temperature) |
| Ser friolento | Sensitive to cold | N/A |
| Estar frío | Cold (to the touch) | Cold (to the touch), (having a low temperature at a given time) |
| Estar calenturiento | Feverish | N/a |

Changes in meaning of some adjectives for **SER** and **ESTAR**

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|  | WITH SER | WITH ESTAR |
| Aburrido | Boring | Bored |
| Borracho | A drunk (ard) | Drunk |
| Bueno | Good | Good (inanimate reference) or (when refereeing a person has a sexual connotation she/he is hot) |
| Callado | Quiet | Silent |
| Cansado | Tiring | Tired |
| Complete | Exhaustive, total | Not lacking anything |
| Consciente | Conscientious | Aware of, conscious |
| Despierto | Alert, bright | Awake |
| Divertido | Amusing | Amused |
| Entretenido | Entertaining | Occupied (involved) |
| Interesado | (a) mercenary (person) | Interested |
| Listo | Witty, clever | Ready |
| Malo | Bad | Sick |
| Nuevo | Brand-new | Like new |
| Seguro | Sure to happen, safe (reliable) | Certain, sure (about something) |
| Verde | Green (in color) | Unripe |
| Vivo | Lively, witty; bright (color) | alive |

ADJETIVES, PAST PARTICIPLES AND IDIOMATIC EXPRESSIONS THAT ARE USED WITH **ESTAR** ONLY

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| Asomado (a la ventana) | Looking out (the window) |
| Arrodillado | Kneeling |
| Ausente | Absent |
| Colgado | Hanging |
| Content | In a happy mood |
| De acuerdo | In agreement |
| De buen (mal) humor | In a good (bad) mood |
| De guardia | On duty, on call |
| De moda (pasado de moda) | Fashinable (our of style, unfashionable) |
| De pie, parado | Standing |
| De vacaciones | On vacation |
| Descalzo | Barefoot |
| Escondido | Hiding |
| Presente | Present |
| Satisfecho | Satisfied |
| Sentado | sitting |

COMMON COMBINATIONS OF PAST PARTICIPLE/ADJECTIVE AND PREPOSITION THAT REQUIRE **SER**

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| Aficionado a | Fond of | Idéntico a | Identical to |
| Amigo de | Fond of | Parecido a | Similar to |
| (in)capaz de | (in)capable of, (un)able to | (im)possible de +inf | (im)possible to |
| Enemigo de | Opposed to | Responsible de | Responsible for |
| Fácil de + inf | Easy to | (def.art) + último en | The last one to |

COMMON COMBINATIONS OF PAST PARTICIPLE/ADJECTIVE AND PRESPOSITION THAT REQUIRE **ESTAR**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Acostumbrado a | Used to | Enemistado con | Estranged from, an enemy of |
| Ansioso por (de) | Anxious to | Libre de | Free from |
| Cansado de | Tired of | Listo para | Ready to |
| Cubierto de | Covered with | Loco de | Crazy with |
| Decidido a | Determined to | Loco por | Most anxious to |
| (des)content de (con) | (un)happy with | Lleno de | Filled with |
| Disgustado con | Annoyed with | Peleado con | Not on speaking terms with |
| Dispuesto a | Willing to, determined to | Rodeado de | Surrounded by |
| Enamorado de | In love with | Vestido de | Dressed in, dressed as |
| Encargado de | In charge of |  |  |