

Suffocating

Encimoso(a) (adj. and n.)

Much like a stuffy sinus congestion, someone who is *encimoso(a)* doesn't let you breathe. This type is always looking over your shoulder, breathing down your neck, or crowding upon your personal space. *Mi perro es muy encimoso porque por donde volteo, ahí está* = My dog is so suffocating because wherever I turn, there he is.

Tacky

Cursi (adj. and n.)

Cursi means "of poor taste," "tacky," or "cheesy." That tacky fluorescent pink sweater with black polka dots would be considered *cursi* among other things. So would that guy who is always trying to win over his love interest with sappy love poems.

Teasing

Carrilludo(a), Llevado(a) (adj. and n.)

An older sister who picks on or makes fun of her younger brother can be described as *carilluda* or *llevada*.

Thick-skinned

Conchudo(a) (adj. and n.)

Hardened and callous are the traditional definitions in English, but Spanish has taken it one step further to also include people who are plain lazy, too comfortable to lift a finger, and too thick-skinned to give a damn about their behavior.