CONNOTATIVE WORDS

STUDENT HANDOUT

Lesson 1

Directions: Record connotative words from the text and mark whether they have a positive or negative connotation. Then provide the denotation (literal meaning) of the word.

Word	Positive	Negative	Denotation
mansion	✓		house
clunker		✓	car

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CHARACTER DESCRIPTIONS

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Lesson 2

Protagonist

Word	Positive	Negative	Description

Antagonist

Word	Positive	Negative	Description

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SETTING AND TONE

STUDENT HANDOUT

Lesson 3

Directions: Draw a picture of the story's setting, based on the words that show the tone. Label the picture with the words from the text. Then answer the question.

