

The Tone List

Here is a list of tones that students may find in poems and stories.

abrasive	cutting	joking
abusive	cynical	joyful
accepting	despairing	light-hearted
admiring	detached	loving
adoring	devil-may-care	mistrustful
affectionate	disbelieving	mocking
amused	discouraged	mysterious
angry	disrespectful	naïve
anxious	distracted	neutral
apologetic	doubtful	nostalgic
apprehensive	dramatic	peaceful
approving	dreamy	pessimistic
argumentative	ecstatic	pitiful
awe-struck	enthusiastic	playful
bantering	fanciful	proud
begrudging	fearful	questioning
biting	fond	reflective
bitter	forceful	reminiscing
boastful	frightened	resigned
bored	ghoulish	respectful
bristling	giddy	restrained
calm	grim	reverent
candid	guarded	sad
caressing	guilty	sarcastic
childish	happy	satirical
child-like	harsh	satisfied
clipped	haughty	seductive
cold	heavy-hearted	self-critical
complimentary	hollow	self-pitying
condescending	horrified	self-satisfied
confident	humorous	sentimental
confused	indifferent	serious
contemptuous	indignant	
conversational	indulgent	
critical	ironic	

Mood List

Here is a list of mood that students may find in poems and stories.

Aggravated	Exhausted	Rejected
Alone	Frustrated	Rejuvenated
Amused	Giddy	Relaxed
Angry	Giggly	Relieved
Annoyed	Gloomy	Restless
Anxious	Good	Rushed
Apathetic	Grateful	Sad
Ashamed	Groggy	Satisfied
Awake	Grumpy	Shocked
Bewildered	Guilty	Sick
Bittersweet	Happy	Silly
Blissful	Hopeful	Sleepy
Bored	Hyper	Stressed
Calm	Impressed	Surprised
Cheerful	Indifferent	Sympathetic
Chipper	Infuriated	Thankful
Cold	Irate	Tired
Confused	Irritated	Touched
Content	Jealous	Uncomfortable
Cranky	Jubilant	Weird
Crazy	Lazy	
Crushed	Lethargic	
Curious	Listless	
Cynical	Lonely	
Dark	Loved	
Depressed	Mad	
Determined	Melancholy	
Devious	Mellow	
Dirty	Mischievous	
Disappointed	Moody	
Discontent	Naughty	
Drained	Not Specified	
Ecstatic	Numb	
Energetic	Optimistic	
Enraged	Peaceful	
Enthralled	Pessimistic	
Envious	Pleased	
Excited	Refreshed	