

# Character Traits Word Wall

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Words to Sort

# Character Traits Word Wall Sort by Synonyms

Use the word wall headings on pages 4 – 11 to help group character traits with similar meanings. This will help build character trait vocabulary in students – instead of using the word “funny” to describe a character, students have other options like “hysterical” or “comical.”

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A blank template is provided for both the color and black and white version so that you can hand-write additional words in.

# Character Traits Word Wall

## Sort by Synonyms

### Funny

comical

hysterical

hilarious

entertaining

humorous

silly

amusing

witty

### Funny

comical

hysterical

hilarious

entertaining

humorous

silly

amusing

witty

### Mad

irritated

annoyed

displeased

exasperated

frustrated

furios

outraged

angry

**Nice**

**Mean**

**Happy**



**Sad**

**Smart**

**Tricky**

**Funny**

**Mad**

**Scared**



**Nice**

**Mean**

**Happy**



Sad

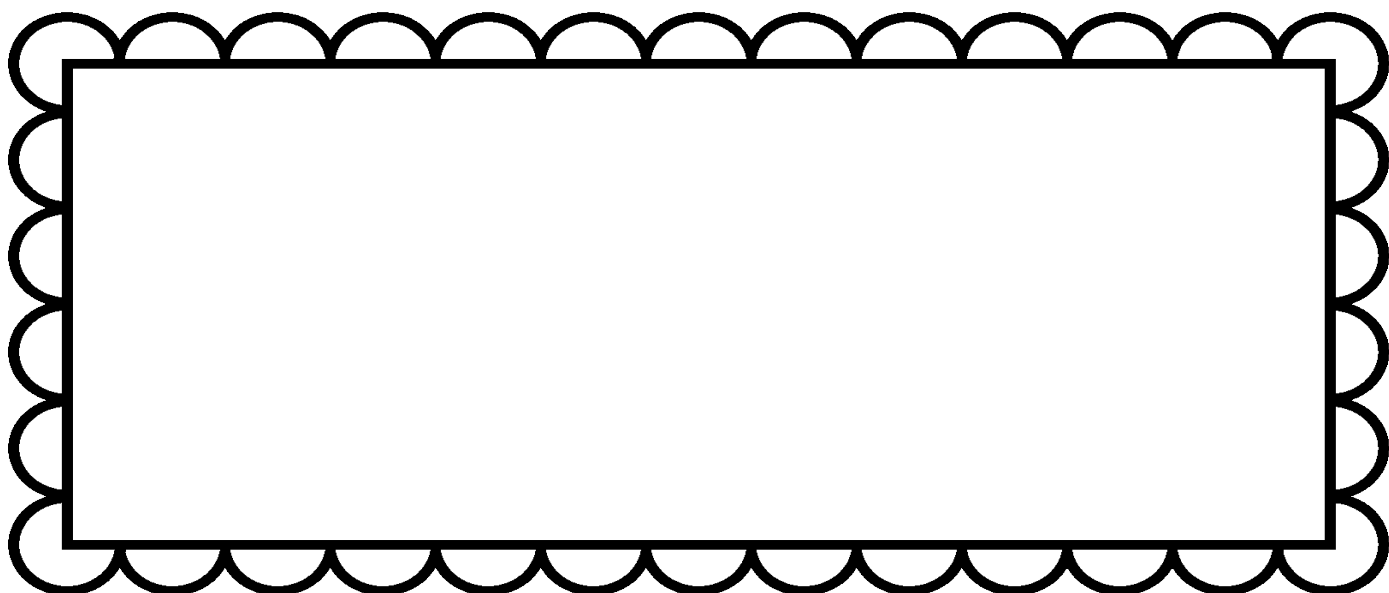
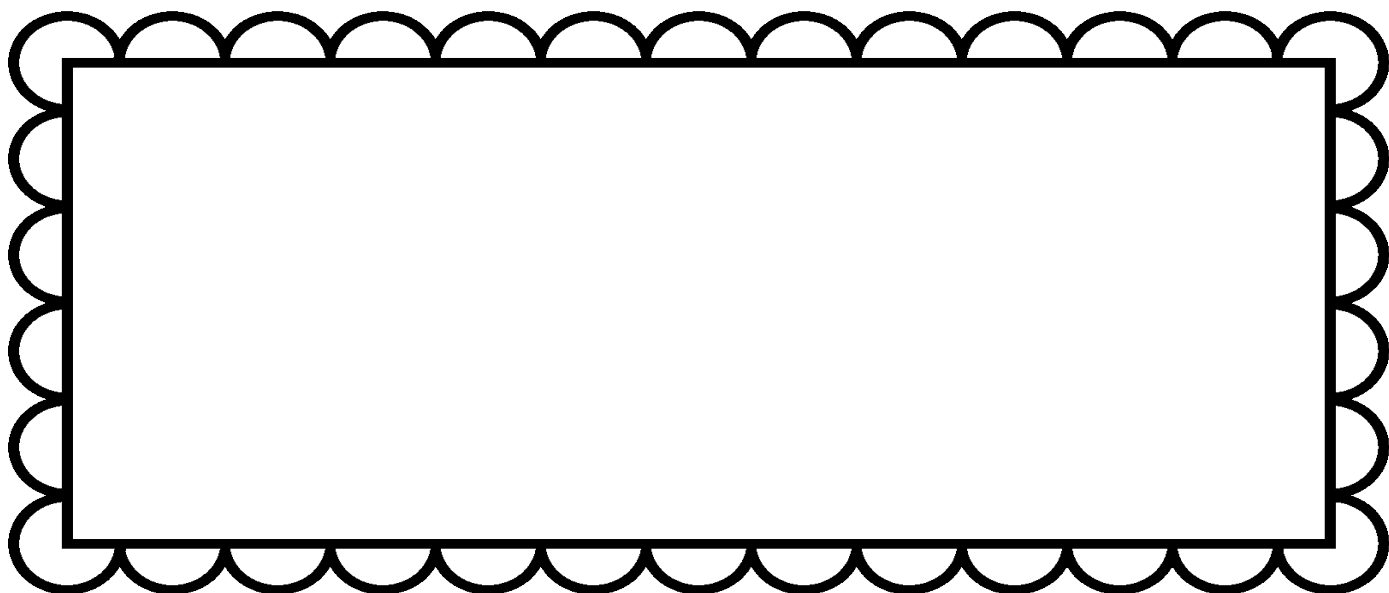
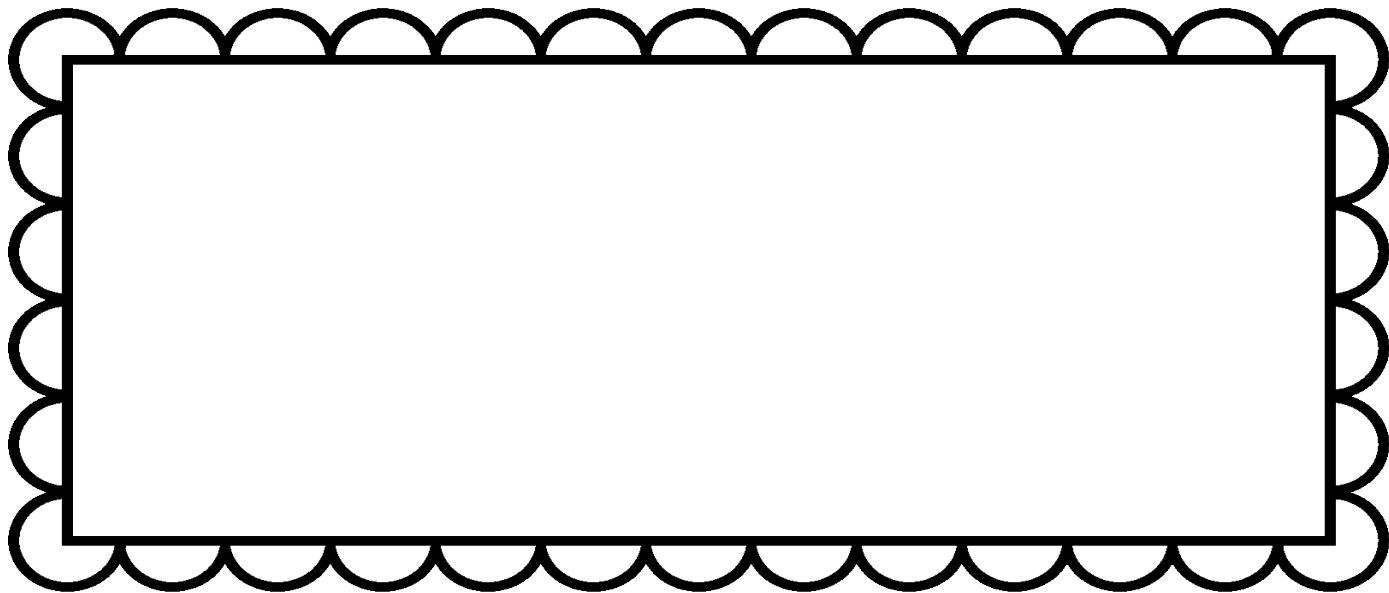
Smart

Tricky

**Funny**

**Mad**

**Scared**



# Character Traits Word Wall Sort by "Shades of Meaning"

Use the word wall headings on pages 14 – 26 to help order character traits with similar meanings based on their connotation. For example, order the synonyms for the word "funny" from "Most Funny" to "Least Funny."

This activity will be much more meaningful to students if they get a say in how the words are ordered. Encourage them to defend their reasoning as you sort the words as a class or in small groups.

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Print Headings in Color

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# Character Traits Word Wall

## Sort by "Shades of Meaning"

### The Most Funny

hysterical

hilarious

comical

humorous

amusing

entertaining

witty

silly

### The Least Funny

### The Most Mad

outraged

furious

exasperated

angry

irritated

frustrated

annoyed

displeased

### The Least Mad

**The Most  
Nice**

**The Least  
Nice**

**The Most  
Mean**

The Least  
Mean

The Most  
Happy

The Least  
Happy



The Most  
Sad

The Least  
Sad

The Most  
Smart



The Most  
Funny

The Least  
Funny

The Most  
Mad

The Least  
Mad

The Most  
Scared

The Least  
Scared



**The Most  
Nice**

**The Least  
Nice**

**The Most  
Mean**



The Least  
Mean

The Most  
Happy

The Least  
Happy

The Most  
Sad

The Least  
Sad

The Most  
Smart

The Least  
Smart

The Most  
Tricky

The Least  
Tricky

The Most  
Funny

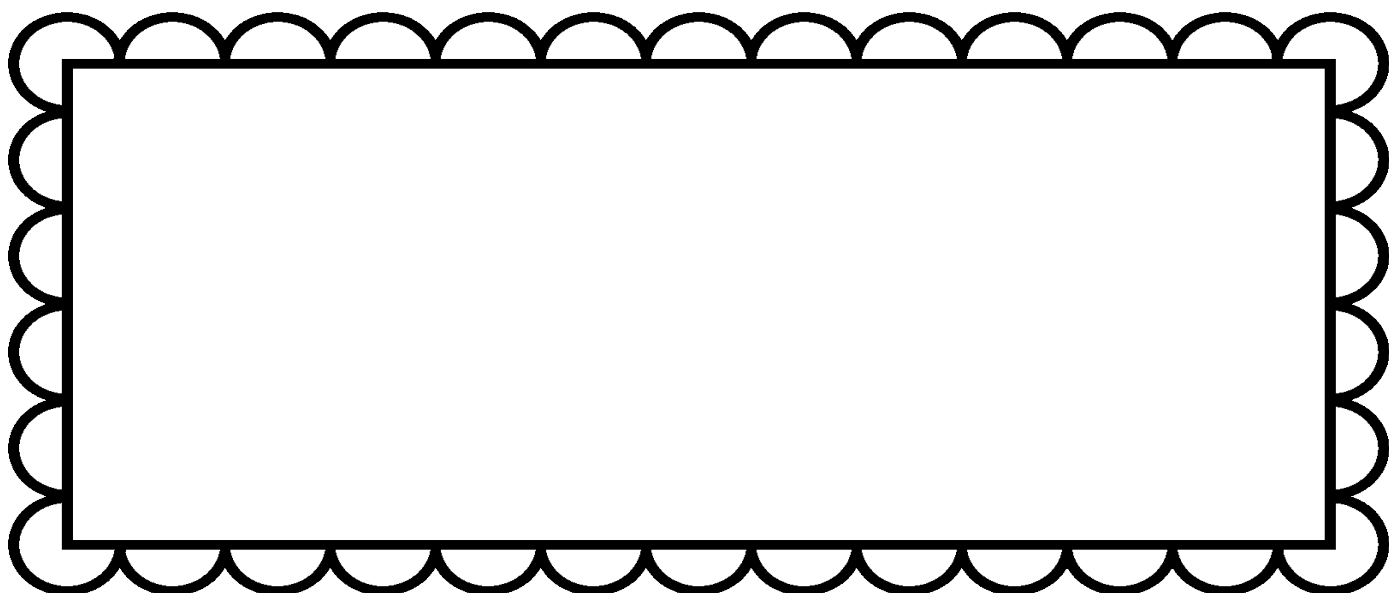
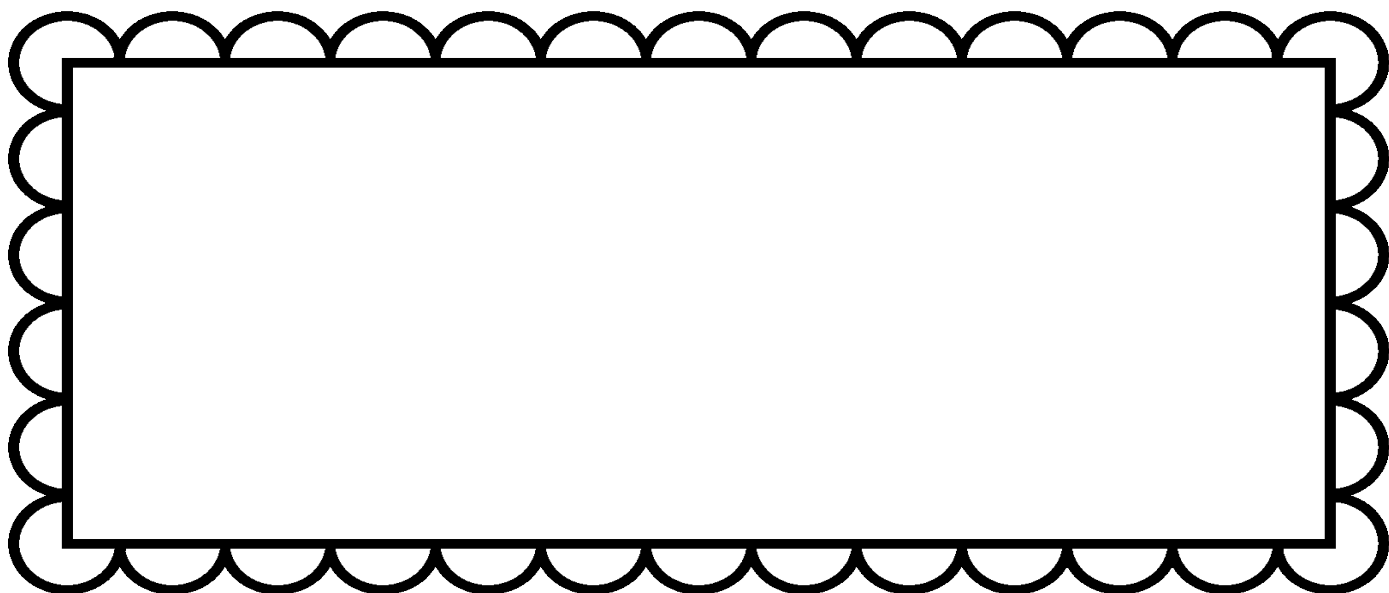
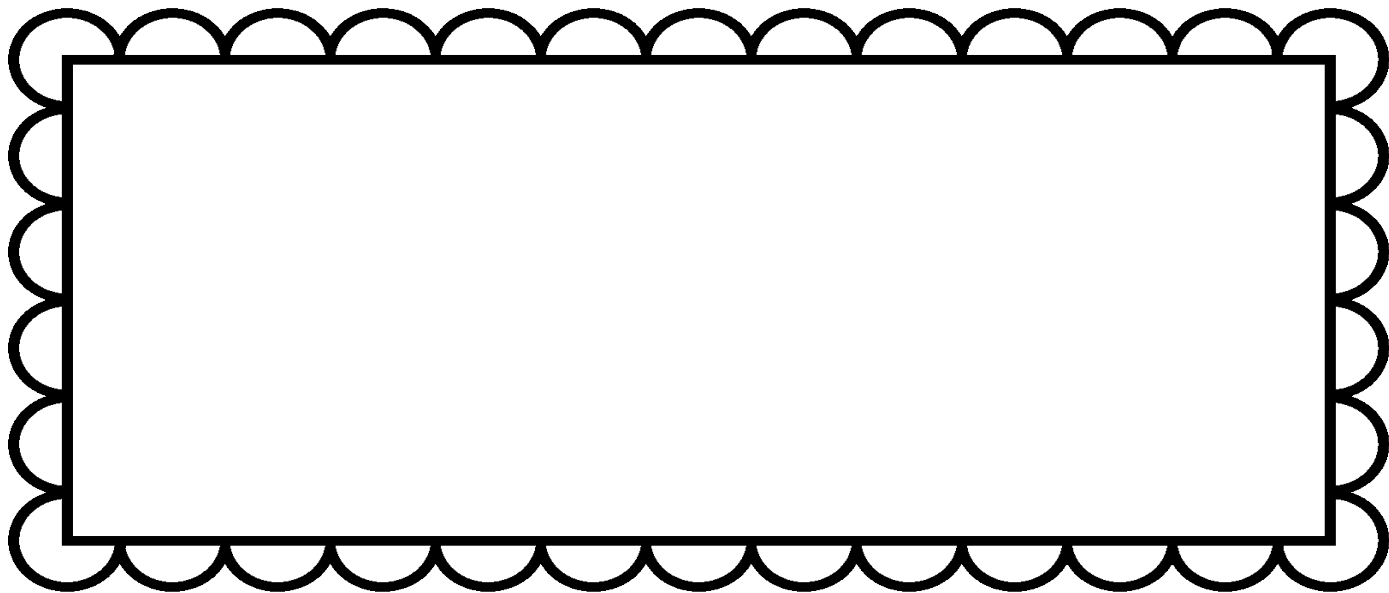
The Least  
Funny

The Most  
Mad

The Least  
Mad

The Most  
Scared

The Least  
Scared



# Character Traits Word Wall

## Words to Sort

Each of the pages in this section goes with one of the Word Wall Headings. Use each page to “Sort by Synonym” (pages 2 – 11) or “Sort by Shades of Meaning” (pages 12 – 26).

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- Words to Go With Tricky: Page 33
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- Words to Go With Mad: Page 35
- Words to Go With Scared: Page 36



helpful

friendly

kindhearted

compassionate

pleasant

thoughtful

agreeable

courteous

wicked

rude

thoughtless

impolite

cruel

hateful

unfriendly

unkind

cheerful

joyful

excited

satisfied

content

delighted

pleased

glad

depressed

serious

gloomy

miserable

unhappy

discouraged

sorrowful

mournful

intelligent

brilliant

clever

bright

skillful

wise

brainy

sharp

dishonest

deceitful

sneaky

secretive

sly

untrustworthy

shrewd

devious



amusing

hysterical

humorous

comical

hilarious

silly

entertaining

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annoyed

outraged

furious

frustrated

angry

displeased

irritated

terrified

panicked

nervous

afraid

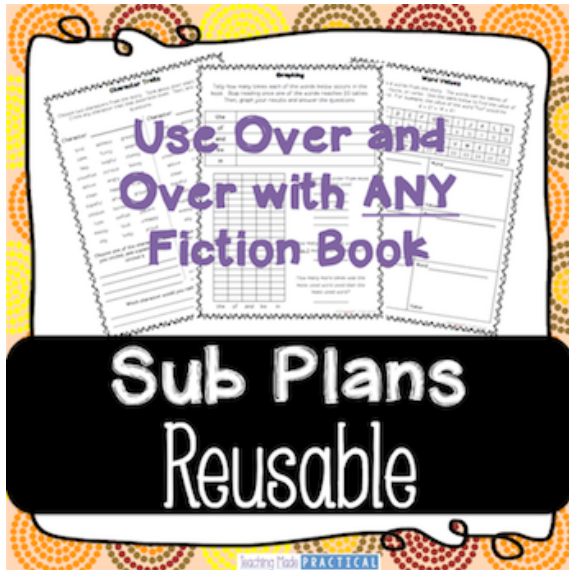
alarmed

frightful

fearful

petrified


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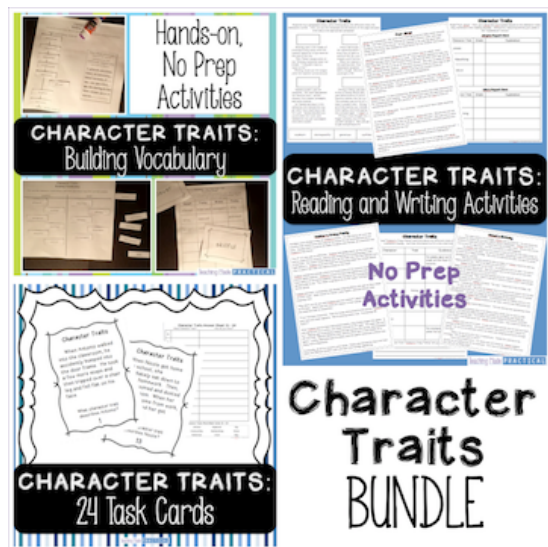
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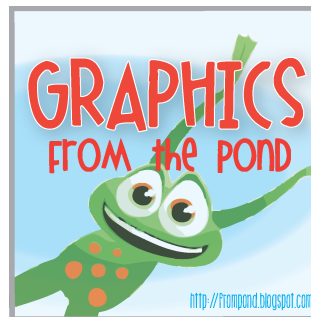


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