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## Mood Worksheet

### Catch the Feeling



**Directions:** The term *mood* refers to the feeling that is created in the reader. Read the passages. Find the mood. Explain why you believe this.

1. The storm raged. Lightning cracked. Wendy the Witch stirred her brew. She was feeling a tad bit evil tonight. She felt like casting a curse on someone. The rain pounded the tin roof of her shack as she searched for her toad warts.

What is the mood of this paragraph? \_\_\_\_\_ This paragraph feels spooky \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you believe this? (Use the text)

2. There were five seconds left on the clock. Lawrence jumped and shot just as the buzzer rang. The ball rolled went in and the crowd exploded. Confetti rained in the arena. The whole city celebrated. There would be a parade around the city this week.

What is the mood of this paragraph? \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you believe this? (Use the text)

3. "Class, it's time to hand in your homework," said Mrs. Shelby. Eric opened his folder. He flipped through the pages. He looked in his other folders. He couldn't find it. "Class, if you don't turn it in now, it's going to be late."

What is the mood of this paragraph? \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you believe this? (Use the text)

4. Tommy sprawled on the couch. He ate a handful of chips. The TV blared. He wanted to change the channel. The remote was too far away. Maybe he would go outside to play today, he thought. But maybe it was hot. Tommy stayed on the couch.

What is the mood of this paragraph? \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you believe this? (Use the text)