

# Unit 14 Lesson 2 Thank You , M'am

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DID YOU READ PGS.262-267, Classics for Young Readers, Vol 6???









### Student Expectations...

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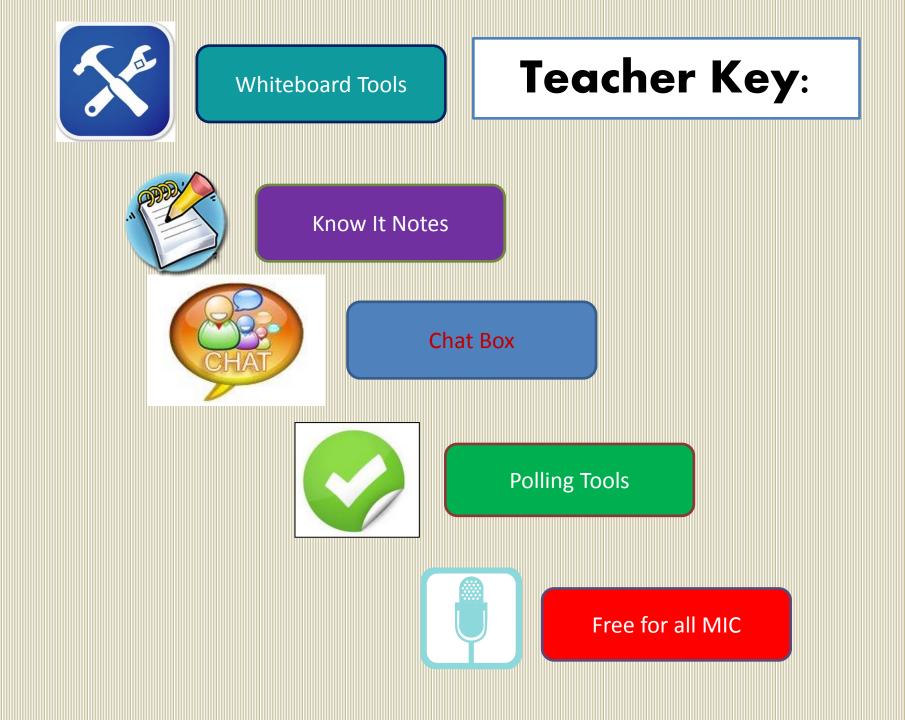
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✓I will BE HERE! respond when my name is called, use polling tools, complete classwork, notes, and chat to participate!
✓I will choose my attitude!
✓I will demonstrate respect and follow directions for my classmates and teachers to help make their day!

✓I will have **fun** learning!

talk

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# Welcome to the Coffee Room



Move yourself back when you are ready to participate. ③

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#### **Objectives**

- Define key vocabulary.
- Identify elements of plot.
- Identify character traits/motivations and theme.

## **Essential Question:**

#### Is there a reoccurring theme from our last Unit??

# Language Skills GUM - Unit 12

#### Comparison of Adjectives/Adverbs: pgs. L360-363

→ <u>Regular Comparisons</u>: How an adjective or an adverb forms its comparative or superlative degrees usually depends on the <u>number of syllables</u> in the word.

#### → One-Syllable Modifiers:

- → Comparative = add –er Ex: short = shorter
- → Superlative = add –est Ex: short = shortest

→<u>Two-Syllable Modifiers</u> = many follow the SAME rule as One-Syllable, however, some words don't SOUND right with –er or –est.

Comparative = add *more* before the adjective/adverb Ex: harmless = more harmless
 Superlative = add *most* before the adjective/adverb Ex: harmless = most harmless

→<u>Three-Syllable Modifiers</u> = add *more* to comparative words and *most* to superlative words
→Ex: serious = more serious; most serious

# Language Skills GUM - Unit 12 • YOU CAN DO IT!!!

- 1. Which is the (quicker, quickest) of your three favorite animals.
- 2. I think Africa is the (more interesting, most interesting) continent on the Earth.
- 3. Of all the animals in Africa, the giraffe is (taller, tallest).



#### Thank You M'am VOCABULARY



1. presentable a. bare

2. barren

b. worthy of being seen by others



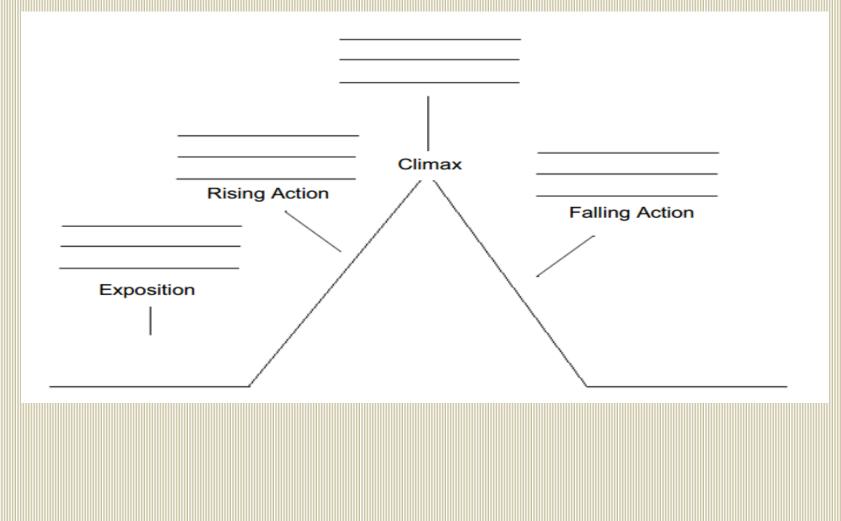




What causes Roger to change his toward Mrs. Jones ??



#### **Plot Mountain**





# CLIMAX

Rising Action Falling Action

Resolution

Exposition

	Fill in the blanks
Mrs. Joi	nes and Roger meet when he tries to her.
Bas is	ed on their interaction, it is clear that Mrs. Jones and the boy is weak.
	Ars. Jones stands up to Roger, and the boy is uite
	At her apartment, Mrs. Jones has Roger wash his face and offers to him.

#### **POPCORN READING!!**

DIRECTIONS: Read two sentences then "**popcorn**" a classmate to read two more sentences and so on.....



"Then, Roger, you go to that sink and wash your face," said the woman, whereupon she turned him loose—at last. Roger looked at the door—looked at the woman—looked at the door—and went to the sink.

Let the water run until it gets warm," she said. "Here's a clean towel."

"You gonna take me to jail?" asked the boy, bending over the sink.

"Not with that face, I would not take you nowhere," said the woman. "Here I am trying to get home to cook me a bite to eat and you snatch my pocketbook! Maybe, you ain't been to your supper either, late as it be. Have you?"

"There's nobody home at my house," said the boy.

"Then we'll eat," said the woman, "I believe you're hungry-or been hungry-to try to snatch my pockekbook."



Why do you think the woman is being so kind to the boy after what he's done? What does this say about her?



"I wanted a pair of blue suede shoes," said the boy.

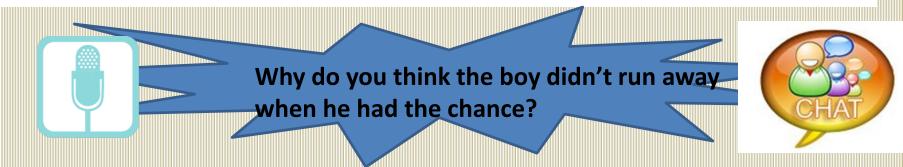
"Well, you didn't have to snatch my pocketbook to get some suede shoes," said Mrs. Luella Bates Washington Jones. "You could of asked me."

"M'am?"

The water dripping from his face, the boy looked at her. There was a long pause. A very long pause. After he had dried his face and not knowing what else to do dried it again, the boy turned around, wondering what next. The door was open. He could make a dash for it down the hall. He could run, run, run, run, run, run?

The woman was sitting on the day-bed. After a while she said, "I were young once and I wanted things I could not get."

There was another long pause. The boy's mouth opened. Then he frowned, but not knowing he frowned.



The woman said, "Um-hum! You thought I was going to say but, didn't you? You thought I was



going to say, but I didn't snatch people's pocketbooks. Well, I wasn't going to say that." Pause. Silence. "I have done things, too, which I would not tell you, son—neither tell God, if he didn't already know. So you set down while I fix us something to eat. You might run that comb through your hair so you will look presentable."

In another corner of the room behind a screen was a gas plate and an icebox. Mrs. Jones got up and went behind the screen. The woman did not watch the boy to see if he was going to run now, nor did she watch her purse which she left behind her on the day-bed. But the boy took care to sit on the far side of the room where he thought she could easily see him out of the corner of her eye, if she wanted to. He did not trust the woman *not* to trust him. And he did not want to be mistrusted now.

"Do you need somebody to go to the store," asked the boy, "maybe to get some milk or something?"

What's happening with the boy? Are we seeing a change in him?

# 6 How do Rodger and Mrs. Jones act differently than one might expect?



#### **ANSWERS: DELETE SLIDE FOR NOTES**

Answers will vary. Roger is different because he does not act like a boy who would do something as bold as attempt to steal a woman's purse. He is quiet and easily overpowered. He is even agreeable and willing to be helpful once he feels that Mrs. Jones trusts him. Mrs. Jones is different because she is not meek and easily intimidated. In fact, she is quite strong. She is also very generous and open with a person who tried to steal from her. This shows an uncommon kindness and sense of compassion in the woman.

5. What does the fact that Roger and Mrs. Jones act differently than one might expect teach readers?

Students should demonstrate their understanding that the behavior of the characters reminds readers that one cannot judge people based on outward appearances or isolated incidents.

# What could the theme of this story be?

- a) You cannot judge people based on appearance or isolated incidents.
- b) Women should not go walking alone at night.
- c) Boys will be boys





# HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!!

 Where did this holiday come from???? What do you think???

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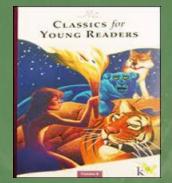


Valentine's Day

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#### <u>Homework</u>

#### • WHAT DO I DO NOW?



- READ Part 1 of "The Circuit" on pgs. 268-271 for TUESDAY.
- Convict and the Bishop QUIZ is open in Sapphire until TONIGHT@ 11:59 PM. Use the study guide given in class and kmail to help you on the quiz.
- HAVE A GREAT PRESIDENT'S DAY WEEKEND!!!



