

## Spelling list: A variety of tones

Variety of tones in English

cynical

contemptuous      She gave her father a **contemptuous** look.

flippant

ironic

joking      My uncle is always **joking** .

mocking

ridiculing

sarcastic

accusing

anxious      Mum's illness has made the family very **anxious** .

bitter      Who is so lonely but feels **bitter** and doesn't believe he can make friends?

condemnatory

critical      He was **critical** of her work.

disappointed      I am so **disappointed** we lost our hockey match.

disgusted

embarrassed      I was so **embarrassed** by the bruise on my chin.

furious      He was **furious** when he found out the truth.

irritated

outraged

nervous

If someone is edgy, they are **nervous** .