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Denotation vs Connotation

Directions: Choose 5 words from the list provided below. For each word, write down its denotation (the dictionary definition). Then write down at least three connotations (feelings, ideas, or associations) that come to mind when you think of the word.

Example: Ambition

Denotation: A strong desire to achieve something.

Connotations: Motivation, drive, greed, ruthlessness.

Word List

Luxury
Courage
Discipline
Youth
Innovative

Isolation
Tolerance
Pride
Revenge

Word #1: _____

Denotation: _____

Connotations: _____

Word #2: _____

Denotation: _____

Connotations: _____

Word #3: _____

Denotation: _____

Connotations: _____

Word #4: _____

Denotation: _____

Connotations: _____

Word #5: _____

Denotation: _____

Connotations: _____

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