Vocabulary List 10: Tone/Attitude Words Pt. 3

All are adjectives

1. wistful—yearning or longing; slight regret
2. subtle—hinting about something
3. melodramatic—overdone or exaggerated
4. lackadaisical—sluggishly, without spirit
5. puzzled—confused
6. irate—incredibly annoyed or angry
7. pedantic—bookish; display of knowing facts and details
8. enthusiastic—excited about the topic
9. abrasive—rude, irritating to others
10. apologetic—feeling sorry about something

These tones can apply to people, their tone/attitude, or text/words/speech

The abrasive man....

My mother's puzzled tone...

Reading the derisive text message...

Grammatical component:

Write one sentence per word, and use a complex sentence.

IC no comma DC.
The boy started crying because the irate man yelled at his dog.

DC with Comma IC.

Because the irate man yelled at the dog, his son started crying.