

Definitions :

- 1: the quality of somebody's voice, especially expressing a particular emotion (*drama, oracy in all lessons*)
- 2: the general character and attitude of something such as a piece of writing, or the atmosphere of an event (*English, history, ICT*)
- 3: the quality of a sound, especially the sound of a musical instrument or one produced by electronic equipment (*music, technology*)
- 4: a shade of a colour (*art*)
- 5: how strong and tight your muscles or skin are (P.E)

tone

Etymology and historical meaning of the term **tone**:

Middle English: from Old French *ton*, from Latin *tonus*, from Greek *tonos* 'tension, tone', from *teinein* 'to stretch'.

Used in a sentence:

- 1: *He used a conversational tone with his friends*
- 2: *the book had a very nostalgic tone*
- 3: *the trumpet had a rich, full tone*
- 4: *the autumn leaves were warm tones of brown and orange*
- 5: *to improve your muscle tone ,you should exercise*



Questions:

- How does this link with the theme of the week:
Setting High Standards
- Can you think of any synonyms for the word tone?
- Could you use words of the same family (verbs, nouns) in sentences?

Why should we set high standards?



What high standards do we have at Isleworth and Syon School?

How can we ensure that these standards are upheld?

Why do we need these standards?

What are your own high standards?

Do you have high expectations for yourself?