

A stereotype is a category, or a group, that we put people into. Our brains do this naturally all the time. When we see someone, we automatically group them - boy, girl, old, young, etc. Stereotyping often has a negative connotation because people sometimes assume that all people in one group are exactly the same.

Essential Question

What examples of stereotyping have you seen in your life?

Essential Question

What is the most important lesson you've learned in life so far? How did you learn this lesson? Why is it important?

Essential Question

How would your life be different if you lived somewhere other than South Carolina?

Essential Question

In general, what do you think is the most important part of a story?
Why?

Describe a hero.

Describe a villain.

Is there anything that heroes and
villains can have in common?