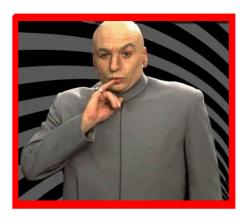


sardonic: adjective

- definition
- part of speech
- related forms
- synonyms
- antonyms (on your own)



WoW#19 Day 2

Remember to:

sardonic

-use the correct form of the word in each response.
-underline the word in each sentence

- -Describe a character in literature / film / television who can be characterized as sardonic. Explain.
- -In what situation would a person treat others sardonically? Explain.
- -When can a person's sardonicism get them in trouble? Explain.





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Both the example and non-example should be designed to present situations that have similar features and require your thinking that zeros in on the meaning of the word sardonic.

Non-example

Although McCandless disagreed with Ronald Franz's lifestyle, he was always respectful when expressing his perspective.

Example

McCandless completely disagreed with his parents's when they offered to by him a new car. He ranted about their dependence on "things, things, things."



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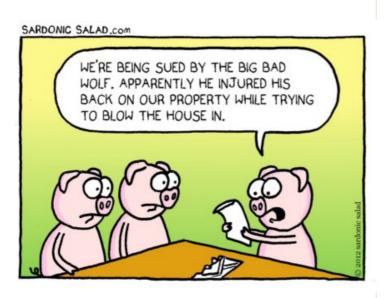
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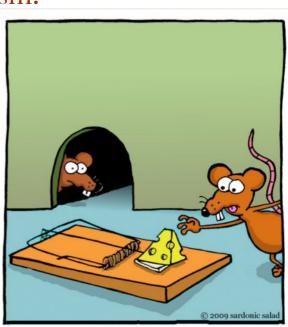
Example

When George Harris's
former employer
encouraged him to return
to his master and obey the
law, George scornfully
replied that the laws
mentioned do not apply to
him because he was a
slave, and according to
these laws, a slave does not
count.

WoW#19: Day 4

Choose one comic strip and explain its sardonicism:





THE RISK WAS HIGH, BUT RODNEY KNEW SUCCESS WOULD MAKE HIM A LEGEND.

WoW#19 Day 4

Explain why this a sardonic poem.

"Men"

by Dorothy Parker
They hail you as their morning star
Because you are the way you are.
If you return the sentiment,
They'll try to make you different;
And once they have you, safe and sound,
They want to change you all around.
Your moods and ways they put a curse on;
They'd make of you another person.
They cannot let you go your gait;
They influence and educate.
They'd alter all that they admired.
They make me sick, they make me tired.