



Color Symbolism in The Great Gatsby

Mrs. Webb - English III



Yellow

joy, happiness or fake (like fake gold)
or old, decaying (like fall leaves)



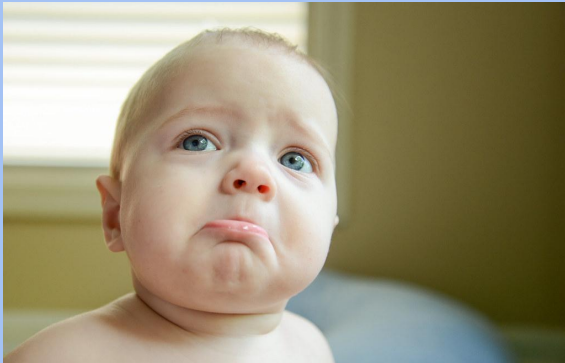
White

Pure, vacant, shallow, empty



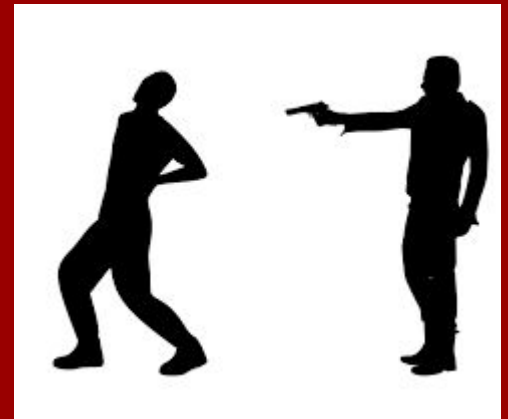
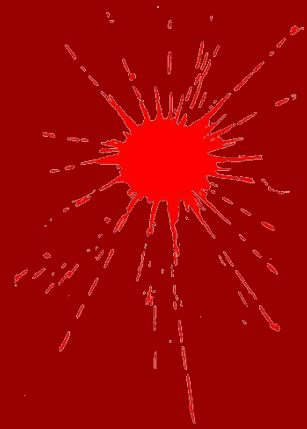
Blue

sad, emotional, lonely or calm, tranquil



Red

passion, anger, rage, violence, blood,
arrogance or hearts and love



Green

money, greed, jealousy or “go!” or spring,
HOPE, new growth or inexperience



Gray

depression, lack of hope, dull, dreary,
bleak, lifeless



Gold

Wealth, desire, high social status

