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Karie and Kelly are identical twins, but they don't always get along. Kelly has a very bad temper, and Karie is always trying to provoke it, to get Kelly in trouble. Sometimes they are downright hostile to each other. But they are also each other's sanctuary. If one of them has a real problem, the other is right there to help. And don't be the person that tries to give one of them a hard time, or you'll end up with double trouble on your hands!

DIRECTIONS: Circle whether the word has a positive or negative connotation. Then write a definition for each word.

1. *Provoke* positive negative _____

2. *Hostile* positive negative _____

3. *Sanctuary* positive negative _____

4. Which of the following might you *provoke*? punishment a good grade dessert

5. Which of the following might be hostile towards each other?

A. two countries at war B. two children playing a board game

6. Which of the following might be considered a sanctuary? jail home a story