

Name _____ “Neat People vs. Sloppy People”

Britt uses both **examples** and **generalizations** (a statement about a group of people or things that is based on only a few people or things in that group) in her essay. Give examples of each below, citing the paragraph numbers in parentheses:

Example

Generalization

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Why do you think she uses both?



Annotate the excerpt below:

Neat people are no good to borrow from. Neat people buy everything in expensive little single portions. They get their flour and sugar in two-pound bags. They wouldn't consider clipping a coupon, saving a leftover, reusing plastic nondairy whipped cream containers, or rinsing off tin foil and draping it over the unmoldy dish drainer. You can never borrow a neat person's newspaper to see what's playing at the movies. Neat people have the paper all wadded up and in the trash by 7:05 AM.

What emoji do you think best describes her tone in this paragraph?



How does she create that tone in this paragraph?

How does this paragraph help Britt to convey her overall message that sloppy people get a bad rep?

