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Viewpoint Transform Answer Key

Student responses will vary. A correct response should include:

- The same place described from both perspectives.
- The **optimistic traveler** description using positive tone words such as **bright**, **welcoming**, **open**, **cheerful**, **glowing**, **promising**.
- The worried explorer description using cautious tone words such as shadowed, uneasy, sharp, distant, uncertain, hidden.
- A clear explanation showing understanding of tone change.
- Two identified words or phrases that reveal the shift.

Example contrasting phrases:

- Traveler: warm sunlight across the path
- Explorer: dark corners that hide movement

Teacher's Guide

• Differentiation Tips:

- Provide tone word lists labeled positive and cautious for students who need support.
- Offer sentence frames such as I notice..., I hesitate because..., or The place seems...
- o Allow verbal rehearsal before writing for students who need processing time.

Engagement Ideas:

- Have students read both descriptions aloud and let classmates guess the point of view.
- o Invite students to illustrate the same place twice based on each tone.
- Encourage pairs to compare their tone words and discuss how small changes shift perspective.

• Extension Ideas:

- Ask students to add a third point of view such as an impatient visitor or a creature that lives there.
- Challenge advanced writers to turn one description into a narrative opening paragraph.
- Create a class chart of strong tone-shifting words and phrases.

