“The Lottery”

1. Identify the tone, mood, and atmosphere.
2. Make a list of details that indicate all is not well despite the tone used to tell the story.
3. There is a huge section dedicated to the description of the black box. Re-read this section and explain what the black box symbolizes.
4. Find an example of each of the following and explain the significance to the story as a whole.

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| **Literary Device** | **Example with page number** | **Significance** |
| Diction |  |  |
| Imagery |  |  |
| Situational Irony |  |  |

1. Identify the theme of the story. Make sure it is written in a proper theme statement. Defend your theme with details from the text.