

4th Grade CCSS Language Arts Terms Matching 10

Write the word that best matches each definition or clue.

1. HYPERBOLE Great exaggeration used to make a point.
2. CONNOTATION The feelings and associations that a word suggests.
3. ALLITERATION Repetition of a single consonant letter.
4. FIGURATIVE LANGUAGE Language not meant to be taken literally.
5. SIMILE Using "like" or "as" to make a comparison between two unlike things.
6. ONOMATOPOEIA The formation of a word from a sound associated with what is named.
7. SUMMARIZE State the central idea and important supporting details.
8. METAPHOR Making a comparison between two unlike things without using "like" or "as".
9. CENTRAL IDEA What the passage or text is mainly about.
10. DENOTATION The dictionary definition of a word.
11. INFERENCE A conclusion based on past knowledge and new information.
12. PERSONIFICATION The attribution of human qualities or capabilities to animals, objects, or ideas.
13. SUPPORTING DETAILS Information that helps to explain the central idea.

denotation	central idea	figurative language	hyperbole
onomatopoeia	inference	alliteration	simile
supporting details	summarize	personification	metaphor
connotation			