

4th Grade CCSS Language Arts Terms Matching 4

Write the word that best matches each definition or clue.

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

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