

5th Grade CCSS Language Arts Terms Matching 10

Write the word that best matches each definition or clue.

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

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