

# 5th Grade CCSS Language Arts Terms Matching 3

Write the word that best matches each definition or clue.

1. DYNAMIC CHARACTER A character who undergoes an important change.
2. STATIC CHARACTER A character who remains basically unchanged.
3. FABLE A brief story in prose or verse that teaches a moral or gives a practical lesson about how to live one's life.
4. STANZA A group of lines in a poem that look like a paragraph.
5. SECOND PERSON Narration that uses the pronoun "you."
6. FIRST PERSON The narrator is a person in the story telling the story from their own point of view. The narration usually utilizes the pronoun "I."
7. NARRATOR A person telling a story.
8. IDIOM An expression, word, or phrase that has a figurative meaning understood by native speakers.
9. THIRD PERSON The narrator exists outside the events of the story, and relates the actions of the characters by referring to their names or by the third-person pronouns "he", "she", or "they."
10. DIRECT CHARACTERIZATION The narrator or characters in the story tell readers exactly what is needed to know about the characters.
11. EXPLICIT Stated clearly and in detail.
12. INDIRECT CHARACTERIZATION The readers find out about characters through thoughts, comments, or actions of the characters.
13. DIALOGUE A conversation between two or more characters.
14. ANALOGY A similarity between like features of two things.

second person

stanza

direct characterization

dynamic character

analogy

idiom

static character

first person

narrator

fable

explicit

dialogue

indirect characterization

third person