

# 6th Grade Language Arts CCSS Terms Matching 11

Write the word that best matches each definition or clue.

1. FALLING ACTION The elements of plot after a story's climax and before the resolution.
2. RESOLUTION When the conflict is resolved at the end of the story.
3. CAUSE That which makes something happen.
4. EXPOSITION The background information of the characters and setting explained at the beginning of the story.
5. CLIMAX The decisive moment or turning point when the rising action of the play is reversed to falling action.
6. EVIDENCE Text that comes from the story used to support analysis.
7. THEME The main idea or underlying meaning a writer explores in a novel, short story, or other literary work.
8. RISING ACTION A related series of incidents in a literary plot that build toward the point of greatest interest.
9. ANALOGY A similarity between like features of two things.
10. EFFECT The result or consequence.
11. PLOT The sequence of events that make up a story.
12. MOOD The feeling created by the atmosphere of a story.
13. POINT OF VIEW The vantage point from which a story is presented.
14. CONFLICT A struggle between two opposing forces.
15. CHARACTERS People, animals, or creatures in a story or drama.

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