8th Grade Literary Terms Quiz 5

1. B A brief story in prose or verse that teaches a moral or gives a practical lesson about how to live one's life.

A.figure of speech B.fable C.dialect D.drama

2. C The repetition of the same or very similar consonant sound in words that are close together.

A.dialogue B.figure of speech C.alliteration D.dialect

3. B The feelings and associations that a word suggests.

A.dialect B.connotation C.denotation D.allusion

4. D A word or phrase that describes on thing in terms of something else and is not literally true.

A.alliteration B.allusion C.dialogue D.figure of speech

5. B A prose account that is made up rather than true.

A.autobiography B.fiction C.denotation D.connotation

6. C The story of a real person's life, written by another person.

A.connotation B.conflict C.biography D.dialogue

7. C The literal dictionary definition of a word.

A.flashback B.conflict C.denotation D.dialogue

8. D A person or animal who takes part in the action of a story, play, or other literary work.

A.alliteration B.figure of speech C.fiction D.character

9. B A reference to a statement, a person, a place, or an event from literature, history, religion, mythology, politics, sports, or science.

A.flashback B.allusion C.drama D.conflict

10. C A way of speaking that is characteristic of a particular region or group of people.

A.biography B.connotation C.dialect D.denotation

11. C A conversation between two or more characters.

A.dialect B.biography C.dialogue D.drama

12. C A story written to be performed for an audience.

A.connotation B.conflict C.drama D.fable

13. D The story of a person's life, written by that person.

A.alliteration B.drama C.connotation D.autobiography

14. D A struggle or clash between opposing characters or opposing forces.

A.allusion B.autobiography C.drama D.conflict

15. C An interruption in the action of a plot to tell what happened at an earlier time.

A.denotation B.alliteration C.flashback D.autobiography