

Figurative Language Matching 4

Write the word that best matches each definition or clue.

1. _____ A person, place, or object which has a meaning in itself but suggests another meaning as well.
2. _____ A symbolic narrative in which the characters and events are symbols that stand for a spiritual, historical, or political situation.
3. _____ Descriptive language that creates a picture in your mind.
4. _____ The use of words that mean the opposite of what you really mean, especially in order to be funny. A situation in which the opposite of what is expected happens.
5. _____ The formation of a word from a sound associated with what is named.
6. _____ Extreme exaggeration.
7. _____ The repetition of beginning sounds.
8. _____ The repetition of vowel sounds.
9. _____ Comparing two things using "like" or "as."
10. _____ Giving human qualities to inanimate objects.
11. _____ A play on words using double meaning for fun.
12. _____ An overused phrase or expression used so often that it's no longer original, interesting, or effective.
13. _____ A comparison of two things based on their being alike in some way.
14. _____ A commonly used phrase or expression whose literal meaning is different from its figurative meaning.
15. _____ Comparing two things without using "like" or "as."

simile	personification	imagery	hyperbole	pun
metaphor	alliteration	onomatopoeia	allegory	idiom
assonance	cliche	analogy	symbol	irony