

Figurative Language Quiz 1

1. D Comparing two things using "like" or "as."
A.hyperbole B.irony C.symbol D.simile
2. A The repetition of vowel sounds.
A.assonance B.symbol C.analogy D.hyperbole
3. C A play on words using double meaning for fun.
A.oxymoron B.analogy C.pun D.hyperbole
4. B A person, place, or object which has a meaning in itself but suggests another meaning as well.
A.imagery B.symbol C.oxymoron D.assonance
5. B A comparison of two things based on their being alike in some way.
A.oxymoron B.analogy C.imagery D.metaphor
6. D Comparing two things without using "like" or "as."
A.assonance B.idiom C.personification D.metaphor
7. B Two contradictory words joined together.
A.imagery B.oxymoron C.personification D.metaphor
8. B An overused phrase or expression used so often that it's no longer original, interesting, or effective.
A.symbol B.cliche C.idiom D.analogy
9. D Giving human qualities to inanimate objects.
A.irony B.assonance C.analogy D.personification
10. B A symbolic narrative in which the characters and events are symbols that stand for a spiritual, historical, or political situation.
A.metaphor B.allegory C.imagery D.simile
11. A Descriptive language that creates a picture in your mind.
A.imagery B.analogy C.metaphor D.oxymoron
12. C The repetition of beginning sounds.
A.pun B.personification C.alliteration D.imagery
13. A The formation of a word from a sound associated with what is named.
A.onomatopoeia B.cliche C.analogy D.metaphor
14. C Extreme exaggeration.
A.simile B.symbol C.hyperbole D.allegory
15. B 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.
A.pun B.irony C.cliche D.simile
16. A A commonly used phrase or expression whose literal meaning is different from its figurative meaning.
A.idiom B.analogy C.symbol D.irony