

Figurative Language Quiz 3

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