

Creative Writing Fundamentals

English Literature And Creative Writing · Practice Test · 12 Questions

1. What is the term for a character who remains unchanged throughout the course of a story?

- A) Dynamic character
- B) Static character
- C) Protagonist
- D) Antagonist

2. Which literary device uses the repetition of initial consonant sounds in neighboring words?

- A) Metaphor
- B) Hyperbole
- C) Alliteration
- D) Personification

3. What part of a plot structure introduces the background information, setting, and characters?

- A) Exposition
- B) Climax
- C) Falling action
- D) Resolution

4. Which narrative point of view uses the pronouns 'I' and 'me'?

- A) Third-person limited
- B) Third-person omniscient
- C) Second-person
- D) First-person

5. What do you call a comparison between two unlike things that does NOT use 'like' or 'as'?

- A) Simile
- B) Metaphor
- C) Onomatopoeia
- D) Imagery

6. What is the term for the 'turning point' or highest point of tension in a narrative?

- A) Rising action
- B) Exposition
- C) Climax
- D) Falling action

7. What literary term refers to the author's attitude toward the subject matter or audience?

- A) Tone
- B) Theme
- C) Setting
- D) Symbolism

8. Which technique gives human qualities to non-human objects or abstract ideas?

- A) Alliteration
- B) Hyperbole
- C) Personification
- D) Irony

9. What is the central message or underlying idea explored in a piece of creative writing?

- A) Plot
- B) Setting
- C) Conflict
- D) Theme

10. What kind of irony occurs when the audience knows something that the characters in the story do not?

- A) Verbal irony
- B) Situational irony
- C) Dramatic irony
- D) Cosmic irony

11. Which element of a story refers to the time and place in which the events occur?

- A) Setting
- B) Point of view
- C) Dialogue
- D) Motivation

12. What is an extreme exaggeration used for emphasis or effect?

- A) Oxymoron
- B) Hyperbole
- C) Allusion
- D) Euphemism