

Understanding Dialogue

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Review Questions on Character Speech

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Answer the questions below based on what you learned about dialogue in stories.

1. Dialogue is when we see exactly what a character is ____.

2. Why do we use quotation marks in dialogue?

3. Dialogue helps us understand characters better.

True False

4. What do quotation marks indicate in a story?

- A. The end of a sentence
- B. Words spoken by a character
- C. The title of the book

5. Pleasant words are like a ____, sweet to the soul.

6. How can a character's words be kind and meaningful?

7. Characters never speak in stories.

True False

8. What is one reason characters' words are interesting?

- A. They are written in bold
- B. They help tell the story
- C. They have no meaning

9. We know someone is speaking in a story when we see ____ marks around their words.

10. What is one thing we learn from dialogue in a story?

Answer Key

1. saying 2. To show exactly what someone said. 3. True 4. Words spoken by a character 5. honeycomb 6. They can encourage or help others. 7. False 8. They help tell the story 9. quotation 10. We learn about the characters' feelings.