

# Literary Device Detectives Review

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## Understanding Literary Devices

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Answer the following questions based on what you learned about literary devices.

1. What is symbolism in literature?

- A. A way to tell a story
- B. Using objects to represent deeper meanings
- C. A type of dialogue

2. How does foreshadowing enhance a story? Give an example if you can.

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3. Imagery helps readers visualize and feel the story.

- True       False

4. Irony creates a contrast between \_\_\_\_\_ and reality.

5. Which literary device uses descriptive language to create mental images?

- A. Symbolism
- B. Imagery
- C. Foreshadowing

6. What did you find most interesting about literary devices today and why?

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7. Understanding literary devices can help us read more superficially.

- True       False

8. The verse Proverbs 25:11 teaches us that a word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in settings of \_\_\_\_\_.

9. What is the main purpose of using literary devices in writing?

- A. To confuse the reader
- B. To enhance the meaning of the text
- C. To make the story longer

10. Can you think of examples of symbols in stories you've read? List at least two.

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Answer Key

1. Using objects to represent deeper meanings 2. Foreshadowing gives hints about what will happen later, building suspense. For example, if a storm is mentioned early, it might mean trouble is coming. 3. True 4. expectations 5. Imagery 6. I found symbolism interesting because it gives objects deeper meanings. It makes stories more engaging and thoughtful. 7. False 8. silver 9. To enhance the meaning of the text 10. In 'The Great Gatsby', the green light symbolizes Gatsby's hopes. In 'Harry Potter', the lightning bolt scar symbolizes Harry's connection to his past.