

**SEMANTICS**  
**METONYMY**  
**QUIZ 5**

**I. Choose the correct option**

1. A statement or situation containing apparently contradictory or incompatible elements, but on closer inspection may be true. \_\_\_\_\_
2. A figure of speech used for the purpose exaggeration. It mainly from the basis of several jokes. \_\_\_\_\_
3. It is the language peculiar to a group of people and has a special meaning of its own. \_\_\_\_\_
4. A figure of speech that mentions a part of something to suggest the whole or contrary. \_\_\_\_\_
5. A figure of speech that uses a concept closely related to the thing actually meant. \_\_\_\_\_
6. Sweet smell of success, a dime a dozen, and jump for joy. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Catherine is a real Cinderella (works a lot around the house, cooking and cleaning) \_\_\_\_\_
8. The trees converged in a velvet meadow. \_\_\_\_\_
9. The tree watches him sleep. \_\_\_\_\_
10. You are what you eat. \_\_\_\_\_



**II. Match the definitions with the correct concept**

Repeated consonant sound at the beginning or within words

A resemblance of a sound in words or syllable

A figurative reference within a text to sb or sth thing outside the text

A poem in the form of a story that has a second meaning

The use of words to describe something, to create a mental picture of it

The representation of inanimate objects or abstract ideas as living beings

A word that imitates or suggests the source of the sound that it describes

A figure of speech in which a comparison is expressed.

It states a fact or draws a verbal picture by the use of comparison.

A word using that say something other than what we mean actually

☐ Allegory

☐ Allusion

☐ Assonance

☐ Alliteration

☐ Personification

☐ Imagery

☐ Irony

☐ Simile

☐ Onomatopoeia

☐ metaphor

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III. Complete the following:

1. **Assonance:** Thy \_\_\_\_\_ come, thy will be done.
2. **Simile** How does it feel, how does it feel to be without a home, like a complete unknown, like a rolling \_\_\_\_\_?
3. **Metonymy.** The pen is \_\_\_\_\_ than the sword
4. **Metonymy.** I can't do it on my own. Could you please give me a \_\_\_\_\_?
5. **Simile:** I was so tired that I \_\_\_\_\_ like a dog.
6. **Simile:** I really need to have my eyes tested. I'm getting as blind as a \_\_\_\_\_.
7. **Idiom.** He sang at the top of his \_\_\_\_\_.
8. **Idiom.** Just hold your \_\_\_\_\_ till we have an official communication, then you can let the news out
9. **Alliteration.** Black bug bit a big \_\_\_\_\_ bear
10. **Hyperbole:** I'm so hungry that I could eat a \_\_\_\_\_

