CONNECTICUT ENGLISH 12 · UNIT 4 · 25 QUESTIONS

Language and Style — Practice Test

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1 **Which term matches this description: the level of formality in language**

A Register

B Dialect

C Accent

D Idiom

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2 **Which term matches this description: a variety of a language spoken in a region**

A Accent

B Dialect

C Idiom

D Slang

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3 **Which term matches this description: a way of pronouncing a language**

A Idiom

B Slang

C Accent

D Formal language

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4 **Which term matches this description: an expression whose meaning is not literal**

A Slang

B Formal language

C Informal language

D Idiom

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5 **Which term matches this description: very informal language used by a group**

A Slang

B Formal language

C Informal language

D Technical language

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6 **Which term matches this description: language suited to serious occasions**

A Informal language

B Formal language

C Technical language

D Figurative language

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7 **Which term matches this description: relaxed language suited to casual occasions**

A Technical language

B Figurative language

C Informal language

D Literal language

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8 **Which term matches this description: precise language of a subject area**

A Figurative language

B Literal language

C Oxymoron

D Technical language

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9 **Which term matches this description: language using figures of speech**

A Figurative language

B Literal language

C Oxymoron

D Paradox

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10 **Which term matches this description: language meaning exactly what it says**

A Oxymoron

B Literal language

C Paradox

D Pun

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11 **Which term matches this description: two contradictory words placed together**

A Paradox

B Pun

C Oxymoron

D Irony

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12 **Which term matches this description: a statement that seems contradictory but may be true**

A Pun

B Irony

C Sarcasm

D Paradox

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13 **Which term matches this description: a joke using words with more than one meaning**

A Pun

B Irony

C Sarcasm

D Understatement

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14 **Which term matches this description: language meaning the opposite of what is said**

A Sarcasm

B Irony

C Understatement

D Overstatement

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15 **Which term matches this description: ironic language meant to mock**

A Understatement

B Overstatement

C Sarcasm

D Allusion

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16 **Which term matches this description: presenting something as less than it is**

A Overstatement

B Allusion

C Symbolism

D Understatement

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17 **Which term matches this description: presenting something as more than it is**

A Overstatement

B Allusion

C Symbolism

D Motif

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18 **Which term matches this description: a brief reference to a known work or event**

A Symbolism

B Allusion

C Motif

D Register

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19 **Which term matches this description: using symbols to represent ideas**

A Motif

B Register

C Symbolism

D Dialect

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20 **Which term matches this description: a recurring element in a work**

- A Register
- B Dialect
- C Accent
- D Motif

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21 **Which statement about Register is correct**

- A the level of formality in language
- B a variety of a language spoken in a region
- C a way of pronouncing a language
- D an expression whose meaning is not literal

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22 **Which statement about Dialect is correct**

A a way of pronouncing a language

B a variety of a language spoken in a region

C an expression whose meaning is not literal

D very informal language used by a group

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23 **Which statement about Accent is correct**

A an expression whose meaning is not literal

B very informal language used by a group

C a way of pronouncing a language

D language suited to serious occasions

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24 **Which statement about Idiom is correct**

A very informal language used by a group

B language suited to serious occasions

C relaxed language suited to casual occasions

D an expression whose meaning is not literal

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25 **Which statement about Slang is correct**

A very informal language used by a group

B language suited to serious occasions

C relaxed language suited to casual occasions

D precise language of a subject area

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ANSWER KEY

1. A
2. B
3. C
4. D
5. A
6. B
7. C
8. D
9. A
10. B
11. C
12. D
13. A
14. B
15. C
16. D
17. A
18. B
19. C
20. D
21. A
22. B
23. C
24. D
25. A

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