NOVA SCOTIA ENGLISH 10 · UNIT B · 25 QUESTIONS

Reading and Viewing — Practice Test

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1 **The term for the most important point of a passage or image is**

- A Main idea
- B An inference
- C Theme
- D Point of view

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2 **Main idea means**

- A a conclusion drawn from clues + what the reader already knows
- B the most important point of a passage or image
- C the central message or lesson of a text
- D the position from which a story or report is told

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3 **The term for a fact or example that backs up a main idea is**

- A A prediction
- B Bias
- C A supporting detail
- D Tone

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4 **A supporting detail means**

- A a fact or example that backs up a main idea
- B a guess about what will happen next based on clues
- C a one-sided view that favours one side of an issue
- D the writer's attitude shown through word choice

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5 **The term for a conclusion drawn from clues plus what the reader already knows is**

- A An inference
- B Theme
- C Point of view
- D Mood

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6 **An inference means**

- A the central message or lesson of a text
- B a conclusion drawn from clues + what the reader already knows
- C the position from which a story or report is told
- D the feeling a text creates for the reader

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7 **The term for a guess about what will happen next based on clues is**

A Bias

B Tone

C A prediction

D A simile

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8 **A prediction means**

A a one-sided view that favours one side of an issue

B the writer's attitude shown through word choice

C a comparison using like or as

D a guess about what will happen next based on clues

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9 **The term for the central message or lesson of a text is**

- **A** Theme
- **B** Point of view
- **C** Mood
- **D** A metaphor

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10 **Theme means**

- **A** the position from which a story or report is told
- **B** the central message or lesson of a text
- **C** the feeling a text creates for the reader
- **D** a comparison that says one thing is another

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11 **The term for a one-sided view that favours one side of an issue is**

- A Tone
- B A simile
- C Bias
- D Personification

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12 **Bias means**

- A the writer's attitude shown through word choice
- B a comparison using like or as
- C giving human qualities to a nonhuman thing
- D a one-sided view that favours one side of an issue

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13 **The term for the position from which a story or report is told is**

- A Point of view
- B Mood
- C A metaphor
- D Fact

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14 **Point of view means**

- A the feeling a text creates for the reader
- B the position from which a story or report is told
- C a comparison that says one thing is another
- D a statement that can be checked as true

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15 **The term for the writer's attitude shown through word choice is**

- A A simile
- B Personification
- C Tone
- D Opinion

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16 **Tone means**

- A a comparison using like or as
- B giving human qualities to a nonhuman thing
- C a statement of personal belief or feeling
- D the writer's attitude shown through word choice

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17 **The term for the feeling a text creates for the reader is**

A Mood

B A metaphor

C Fact

D Skimming

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18 **Mood means**

A a comparison that says one thing is another

B the feeling a text creates for the reader

C a statement that can be checked as true

D reading quickly to find the general idea

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19 **The term for a comparison using like or as is**

A Personification

B Opinion

C A simile

D Scanning

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20 **A simile means**

A giving human qualities to a nonhuman thing

B a statement of personal belief or feeling

C looking quickly for a specific piece of information

D a comparison using like or as

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21 **The term for a comparison that says one thing is another is**

A A metaphor

B Fact

C Skimming

D A context clue

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22 **A metaphor means**

A a statement that can be checked as true

B a comparison that says one thing is another

C reading quickly to find the general idea

D a nearby word or phrase that helps explain an unknown word

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23 **The term for giving human qualities to a nonhuman thing is**

- A Opinion
- B Scanning
- C Personification
- D Connotation

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24 **Personification means**

- A a statement of personal belief or feeling
- B looking quickly for a specific piece of information
- C the feeling or idea linked to a word beyond its plain meaning
- D giving human qualities to a nonhuman thing

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25 **The term for a statement that can be checked as true is**

A Fact

B Skimming

C A context clue

D Denotation

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ANSWER KEY

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

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