NOVA SCOTIA ENGLISH 11 · UNIT B

Reading and Viewing — Practice Test

Nova Scotia English 11 • 25 questions

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1 **What is meant by theme?**

- A A main idea or message explored in a text
- B The place where a story happens
- C The author's name
- D The first chapter

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2 **A novel repeatedly explores friendship under pressure. What is explored?**

- A Setting
- B Theme
- C Plot
- D Title

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3 **What is meant by character?**

- A A book cover
- B A place in a story
- C A person or figure in a story
- D A chapter title

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4 **A story follows Maya as she learns to trust others. Who is a character?**

- A Maya
- B The cover
- C The town
- D The title

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5 **What is meant by setting?**

- A The time and place where a story happens
- B The ending
- C The main idea
- D The author

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6 **A story takes place in a coastal town in winter. What is described?**

- A Character
- B Setting
- C Theme
- D Plot

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7 **What is meant by plot?**

- A The author biography
- B The number of pages
- C The sequence of events in a story
- D The cover of a book

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8 **Events in a story move from a problem to a climax to a resolution. What is this?**

- A Setting
- B Theme
- C Genre
- D Plot

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9 **What is meant by conflict?**

- A A struggle or problem faced by a character
- B A happy event only
- C A description of a place
- D A title

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10 **A character must choose between loyalty and honesty. What is faced?**

- A Setting
- B Conflict
- C Dialogue
- D Summary

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11 **What is meant by inference?**

- A A summary of the title
- B A direct quotation
- C A conclusion drawn from clues in a text plus what a reader already knows
- D A guess with no clues

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12 **A character packs a bag and checks the bus times, and a reader concludes she plans to leave. What is made?**

- A A prediction with no clues
- B A quotation
- C A summary
- D An inference

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13 **What is meant by prediction?**

- A A reasonable guess about what will happen next, based on clues
- B A description of a cover
- C A fact from the past
- D A summary of the ending

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14 **Clues suggest a storm is coming, so a reader expects trouble on the journey. What is made?**

- A A quotation
- B A prediction
- C A fact
- D A summary

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15 **What is meant by point of view?**

- A Where a story is sold
- B What a story costs
- C Who tells a story and how much they know
- D How long a story is

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16 **A story is told by one character who knows only her own thoughts. What is this?**

- A No narrator
- B A summary
- C A title
- D Limited point of view

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17 **What is meant by dialogue?**

- A Words spoken by characters in a story
- B Description of a place
- C The author notes
- D A chapter heading

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18 **Quoted speech between two characters moves the scene forward. What is this?**

A Narration only

B Dialogue

C Setting

D Summary

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19 **What is meant by imagery?**

A A table of contents

B A photograph in a book

C Language that creates pictures or sensations in a reader's mind

D A map in a book

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20 **Words describe the smell of rain and the cold wind on a road. What is used?**

A Title

B Dialogue

C Plot

D Imagery

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21 **What is meant by simile?**

A A comparison using like or as

B A long sentence

C A comparison without like or as

D A repeated sound

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22 **A writer says a runner moved like the wind. What figure is used?**

- A Alliteration
- B A simile
- C A metaphor
- D Irony

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23 **What is meant by metaphor?**

- A A repeated letter sound
- B A question
- C A comparison that says one thing is another, without like or as
- D A comparison using like

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24 **A writer calls hope a light in a dark room. What figure is used?**

- A A simile
- B A rhyme
- C A summary
- D A metaphor

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25 **What is meant by foreshadowing?**

- A Clues that hint at what will happen later in a story
- B A summary of the ending
- C A description of the past only
- D A character list

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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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