**Quiz**

Below are listed some Literary Terms that you have seen, studied, and discussed in prior classes. Find the answer in the multiple choice section that best fits the concept of the term and write it in the space provided. Remember to find the best answer.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_1. imagery

1. using images instead of words in a written story
2. saying or writing something other than what is meant
3. making word pictures appealing to the five senses
4. describing images in a descriptive essay

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_2. foreshadowing

1. the shadow of the characters in the story
2. the writer’s hints as to what is going to happen
3. dark and gloomy setting and theme
4. bad things that are going to happen in the story

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_3. alliteration

1. how well a person can read, write, and speak
2. repeating first sounds of words in a series
3. speaking clearly or using the right words in writing
4. sounds in the words that are spelled like they sound

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_4. onomatopoeia

1. words that are spelled the way they sound
2. repeating middle sounds in words
3. funny sounds in poetry that do not mean anything
4. all the above

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_5. personification

1. the main character is what the story is about
2. the person in the story is telling the story
3. giving lifelike qualities to inanimate objects
4. none of the above

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_6. metaphor

1. when comparisons do not fit or make any sense at all
2. a comparison that does not use like or as in the phrasing
3. a comparison that uses like or as in the wording
4. an very large comparison that cannot be put into words

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_7. simile

1. a comparison that does not use like or as
2. a comparison that is humorous or makes one smile
3. a comparison that gets lost in the wording
4. a comparison that uses like or as in the description

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_8. symbol

1. a literary device that uses objects instead of words
2. a literary device that replaces the main idea
3. a literary device that merely reflects the intent of the writer
4. a literary device that uses something to represent something else

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_9. motif

1. the real reason behind why the writer wrote the story
2. the repetition of symbols in a story or poem
3. the repetition of thematic phrases or lines in a story or poem
4. the French word for style of writing for a story

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_10. theme

1. the time and place in which a story takes place
2. the reason behind the writing of a story or poem
3. the big ideas or central messages in a story or poem
4. the imitation of a work of literature

Answer Key

1. c
2. b
3. b
4. b
5. c
6. b
7. d
8. d
9. b
10. c