

Sentence Emphasis Quiz

Choose the appropriate letter which signifies the sentence emphasis device used in each of the following sentences

A. chiasmus

B. anadiplosis

C. inverted

D. antistrophe

E. anaphora

F. convoluted

- ___ 1) But if thought corrupts language, language can also corrupt thought.
- ___ 2) Crippling poor the family was.
- ___ 3) To philosophize is to understand; to understand is to explain oneself.
- ___ 4) I didn't like the swimming pool; I didn't like the swimming instructor; and I didn't like swimming.
- ___ 5) Americans, I believe, will never forget Elvis.
- ___ 6) The Renaissance created Antiquity at least as much as Antiquity created the Renaissance.
- ___ 7) On the floor lay the weapon.
- ___ 8) Remarkable is it truly!
- ___ 9) Life is only a game; it is a hard, tough game.
- ___ 10) Hard work is the key to success; hard work is the key to your future.
- ___ 11) You always try to be a hero; a hero doesn't act that way.
- ___ 12) He eats American; he talks American; he will be American.
- ___ 13) She, if the need came, meant to be as good as her word.
- ___ 14) The hearts of Americans they conquered.
- ___ 15) It's not the size of the dog in the fight; it's the size of the fight in the dog.
- 16) Construct a balanced sentence about food.
- 17) Construct a parallel sentence about religion.
- 18) Construct a chiasmus with love and hate as the key terms.
- 19) Construct an anaphora using crime as the repeated word.
- 20) Construct any inverted sentence.

