



Subject: Grade 8 English: Home Language
Topic: Visual Literacy: Cartoons
Total: 31 Marks

Name: _____
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This image refers to question: 1, 2, 3, 4

The Wizard of Id

Brant Parker & Johnny Hart



Question 1: True/False

2 marks

The Wizard's body language in frame 3 shows that he is sympathetic towards Cinderella.

TRUE

FALSE

This image refers to question: 2

Definitions

Imagery: Descriptive writing that appeals to the senses.

Simile: Comparing two unlike things using *like* or *as*.

Metaphor: Comparing two unlike things without using *like* or *as*.

Alliteration: Repetition of beginning consonant sounds.

Hyperbole: A major exaggeration or overstatement.

Onomatopoeia: A word that sounds like its meaning.

Personification: Giving human traits or characteristics to something that isn't human.

Question 2: Text Input

3 marks

What figure of speech is used in frame 2, "BLAM!"?

Onomatopoeia or alliteration

Question 3: Multiple Choice

4 marks

In frame 3, the Wizard says that Cinderella should have read the terms and conditions.

What is the Wizard implying?

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| A | If Cinderella read the terms and conditions, she would have been prepared for the pumpkin. |
| B | If Cinderella read the terms and conditions, she would have been grateful for the pumpkin. |
| C | If Cinderella read the terms and conditions, she would have stayed at home. |
| D | If Cinderella read the terms and conditions, she would have had a back-up plan. |

This image refers to question: 4

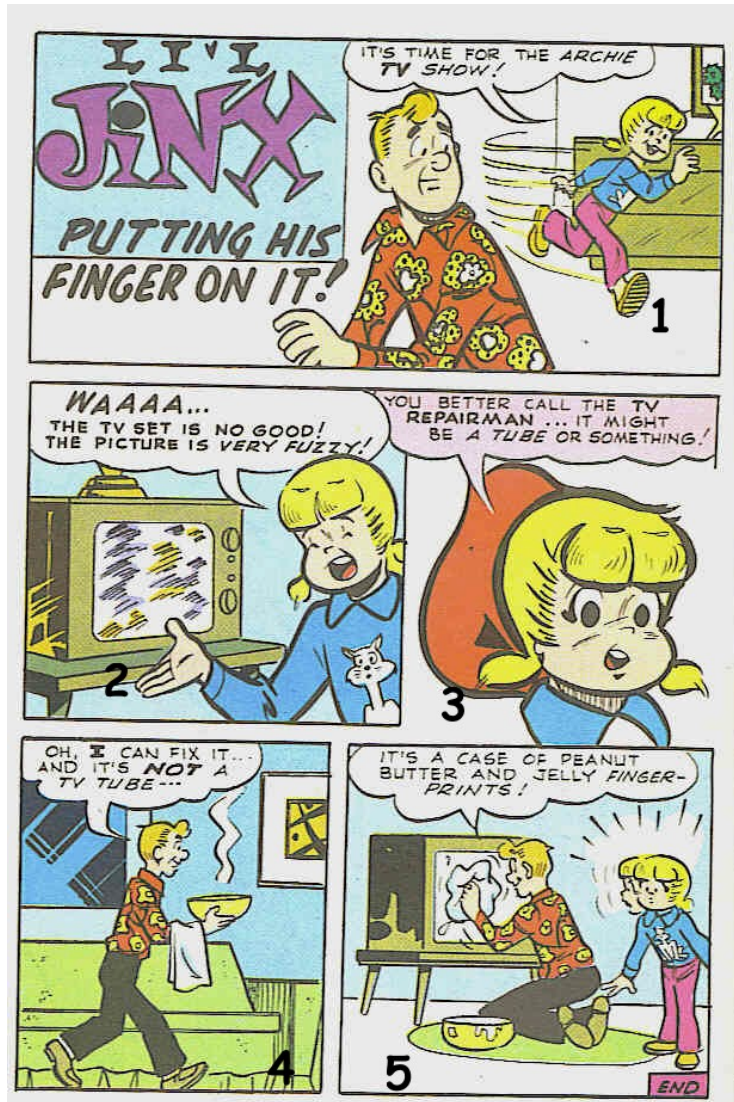


Question 4: Text Input

3 marks

How many stepsisters does Cinderella have?

This image refers to question: 5, 6, 7, 8, 9



Question 5: Multiple Choice

4 marks

Which emotion is expressed by the girl's facial expression in frame 1?

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| A | excitement |
| B | sadness |
| C | fear |
| D | shock |

This image refers to question: 6



Question 6: True/False

2 marks

The meaning of the word 'fuzzy' in frame 2 is **unclear**.

TRUE

FALSE

Question 7: Text Input

3 marks

Provide the full name of the **abbreviation** 'TV' used in frames 1 to 4.

Question 8: Please Fill In The Blanks

4 marks

The intention of the cartoon is to (1) . This done through the (2) of the characters.

Possible Answers: educate | entertain | actions | background

1

2

This text refers to question: 9

Punctuation terms and definitions:

Full stop (.) - used at the end of a sentence and for abbreviations

Comma (,) - used to separate parts of a sentence, items on a list or additional information from the rest of the sentence

Question mark (?) - used to indicate a question

Exclamation mark (!) - used to indicate that something has been said with great energy

Quotation marks (" __ ") - used to indicate direct speech or someone else's words

Ellipsis (...) - used to indicate that something has been left unsaid or is incomplete

Question 9: Please Fill In The Blanks

4 marks

Which TWO punctuation marks are used in frame 2 of the cartoon?

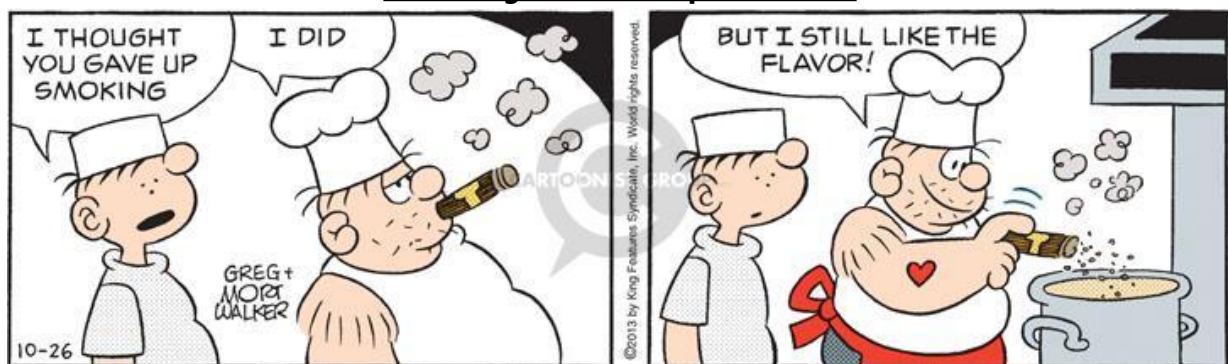
(1) and (2) .

Answer in the order in which they appear.

Possible Answers: full stops | exclamation marks | question marks | ellipsis

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Question 10: True/False

2 marks

It is normal for chefs to tip ashes into the pot as seen in frame 2.

TRUE

FALSE

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