

Lesson 26: Quiz 1 - Reading Comprehension

Directions: Answer the questions based on Dora's descriptive essay.

1. The title of this story sounds

Select one:

- a. boring
- b. funny
- c. sad
- d. old fashioned

2. The opening sentence of paragraph #1 appeals to your sense of

Select one:

- a. smell
- b. touch
- c. sight
- d. all of the above

3. In paragraph #2, the first sentence tells you that the people were

Select one:

- a. busy
- b. tired
- c. hungry
- d. thirsty

4. In paragraph #2, the Lazy Susan is compared to

Select one:

- a. a merry-go-round
- b. a painting
- c. a clock
- d. a tablecloth

5. In paragraph #2, find the words that appeal to your senses of hearing and sight.

6. In paragraph #3, find the words used to refer to spinach without using the actual word "spinach."

7. In paragraph #3, find the verbs that describe the spinach as if it were a person.

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8. What words did Dora use to refer to the senses of smell or touch?

9. What part of the story made you feel as if you were there?

10. In your opinion, why is this a descriptive essay?

11. What is your opinion of the ending?