



# Theme in Literature

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: Grade 5

## Part A: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. In a story where a character keeps trying after many failures, the theme is likely about \_\_\_\_\_ .
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ of a story is the big idea or life lesson, not just a summary of what happened.
3. When a character learns that lying causes more problems, the theme relates to the value of \_\_\_\_\_ .
4. A story about a child who helps a lonely classmate teaches that \_\_\_\_\_ can change someone's day.
5. Readers identify theme by looking at how characters change and what \_\_\_\_\_ they learn.
6. A theme applies not only to the characters in the story but also to real \_\_\_\_\_ .
7. If a character succeeds only after asking for help, the theme may be that no one can do everything \_\_\_\_\_ .
8. The theme is different from the plot because the plot describes \_\_\_\_\_ while the theme describes meaning.
9. When two characters forgive each other after a fight, the theme is about the power of \_\_\_\_\_ .

## Part B: Matching

Match each item on the left to the correct answer on the right.

1. Match each item to its correct answer.

A boy practices piano daily and wins the talent show.

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Honesty is the right choice even when it is difficult.

A girl tells the truth even though she

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Never giving up can turn failure into triumph.

**Part A: Fill in the Blank**

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Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. In a story where a character keeps trying after many failures, the theme is likely about perseverance .
2. The theme of a story is the big idea or life lesson, not just a summary of what happened.
3. When a character learns that lying causes more problems, the theme relates to the value of honesty .
4. A story about a child who helps a lonely classmate teaches that kindness can change someone's day.
5. Readers identify theme by looking at how characters change and what lessons they learn.
6. A theme applies not only to the characters in the story but also to real life .
7. If a character succeeds only after asking for help, the theme may be that no one can do everything alone .
8. The theme is different from the plot because the plot describes events while the theme describes meaning.
9. When two characters forgive each other after a fight, the theme is about the power of forgiveness .

**Part B: Matching**

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Match each item on the left to the correct answer on the right.

1. Match each item to its correct answer.

A boy practices piano daily and wins the talent show.

→ Hard work and dedication pay off in the end.

Honesty is the right choice even when it is difficult.

A girl tells the truth even

Never giving up can turn