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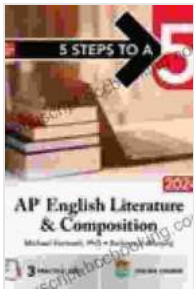
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AP English Language Multiple Choice Question Stems

Questions about Rhetic

1. The shift in point of view has the effect of...
2. The syntax of lines _____ serves to...
3. The author's reference to _____ serves primarily to...
4. The second sentence is enriched by metaphorical references to...
5. As lines _____ are constructed, "_____" is parallel to which of the following?
6. The allusion for "_____" is...
7. The allusion in the piece is best described as...
8. The syntax in the piece is best described as...
9. In paragraph _____, the author employs which of the following rhetorical strategies?
10. One prominent stylistic characteristic of the piece is the use of...
11. The primary rhetorical function of lines "_____" is to...
12. In the sentence "_____" the speaker employs all of the following EXCEPT...

Questions about the Author's Meaning and Purpose

13. Which of the following best identifies the meaning of "_____"?
14. Which of the following best describes the author's purpose in the last sentence?
15. The author's primary purpose is to...
16. The primary audience of the piece could be described as...
17. The author uses this certain image for the purpose of...
18. The author emphasizes "_____" in order to...
19. The reason for the shift in tone in paragraph _____ is due to...
20. The simplicity (or other words) referred to in the _____ is called "epitaph" because it...
21. What is the function of _____?
22. The phrase "_____" functions primarily to...

Questions about the Main Idea

23. The theme of the second paragraph is...
24. The speaker's attitude is best described as one of...
25. The tone of the piece (or parts of it) is one of...
26. In context, the sentence "_____" is best interpreted as which of the following?
27. The atmosphere is one of...
28. Which of the following would the author be LEAST likely to encourage?
29. Which of the following best summarizes the main point of the passage?
30. In the piece, the author makes all of the following statements about his/her readers EXCEPT...

Questions about Organization and Structure

31. The quotation "_____" signals a shift from...
32. The tone of the passage shifts from one of _____ to one of _____.
33. The speaker's mention of "_____" is appropriate to the development of her argument by...
34. The type of argument employed by the author is most similar to which of the following?
35. The author uses a pattern of organization best described as...
36. The relationship between _____ and _____ is explained primarily by the use of which of the following?
37. Which of the following best describes the function of the _____ paragraph in relation to the paragraphs that precede it?

Questions about Rhetorical Devices

38. The pattern of exposition employed in the passage can best be described as...
39. The author's use of _____ is appropriate because...
40. Which of the following best describes the author's method?
41. Because the author uses expository format, he is able to...
42. The speaker's rhetorical strategy is to...
43. The author contrasts _____ and _____ in order to...

Poetic Devices

- Alliteration
- Ambiguity
- Antithesis
- Allusion
- Assonance
- Allegory
- Analogy
- Apostrophe
- Ballet
- Blank Verse Free Verse
- Consonance
- Connotation
- Contrast
- Cacophony
- Cliche
- Denotation
- Epitaph
- Euphemism
- Euphony
- Hyperbole
- Haiku
- Irony
- Iambic pentameter
- Limerick
- Metaphor
- Metonymy
- Similes
- Ode
- Rondeau
- Repetition
- Rhyme
- Rhythm
- Onomatopoeia
- Oxymoron
- Stanzas
- Simile
- Sestina
- Sibilance
- Synecdoche
- Triolet
- Symbolism
- Word Play
- Calligram
- Imagery
- Paradox
- Personification
- Pun
- Refrain
- Kenning
- Couplets
- Verse Line
- Villanelle

AP English Literature and Composition Practice Exam

Section I

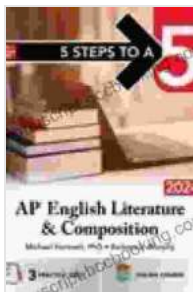
Time: 1 hour

Directions: This section includes selections from literary works, followed by questions about their form, content, and style. After reading each selection, choose the best answer to each question. Pay particular attention to questions that contain the words NOT, LEAST, or EXCEPT.

Questions 1–8. Read the following poem carefully before choosing your answers.

The following poem was written in response to a coronation celebration, for which copies of the Egyptian pyramids were built, albeit on a smaller scale than the originals.

No Gizeh, thou shalt not boast that I do change.
Thy pyramids built up with newer might
To me are nothing novel, nothing strange;
They are but dressings of a former sight.
5 Our dates are brief, and therefore we admire
What thou dost count upon us that is old,
And rather make them born to our desire
Than think that we before have heard them told.



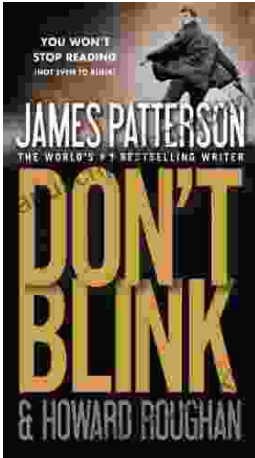
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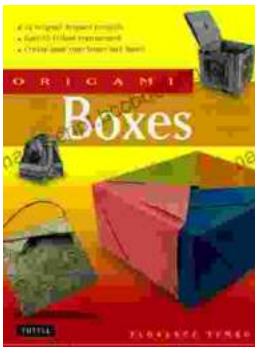
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