

Identifying Figurative Language in *Lord of the Flies*

Directions: Under each metaphor, simile, personification, and hyperbole, write the figurative language in the box. Then, explain how you know your answer.

Metaphor, Simile, Personification, and Hyperbole

Example: "It was the only way to the island when the storm hit," said the teacher with a mouth full of gum.

What metaphor is being used?

Personification

Explain how you know:

The teacher's mouth has people gum, so this is personification.

1. Write the complete set of words the figure uses with a complete label.

What metaphor is being used?

The teacher's mouth is gum.

Explain how you know:

1. The person that will stand under a green tent.

What metaphor is being used?

The teacher's mouth is gum.

Explain how you know:

1. The teacher's gum was only crushed by the sea at high tide.

What metaphor is being used?

The teacher's mouth is gum.

Explain how you know:

1. The teacher's mouth holding his gum, and a golden light has shined down on his face.

What metaphor is being used?

The teacher's mouth is gum.

Explain how you know: