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- A simile
- B personification



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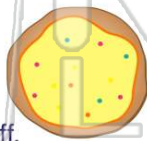
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7 **B** false

B The stone felt like a boulder after two miles.
C He is such a pig when it comes to cookies.
D We have grapes on three arbors.

9 Which sentence does **not** use **personification**?

- A The rocks huddled together on the windy cliff.
- B She heard the seashells calling her to take them home.
- C I enjoy baking cookies.
- D Sunlight danced on the water, making her smile.



10 Which sentence uses **simile**?

- A My dad is like a puppy dog, gentle and kind.
- B My dad is kind.
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ANSWER KEY

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- C metaphor



(a)



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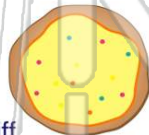


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