

Quiz – Argumentation

1. Arranging words in a non-standard order to gain attention is called a/n _____.
 - A. trope
 - B. cliché
 - C. scheme
 - D. aphorism

2. Which of the following linguistic devices is most likely to be used in spoken vs. written communication?
 - A. simile
 - B. anaphora
 - C. metaphor
 - D. alliteration

3. Anticipating your opponent’s criticisms and answering them in advance is an example of a _____ rhetorical device.
 - A. clichéd
 - B. literary
 - C. linguistic
 - D. strategic

4. Which of the following is an example of the rhetorical device chiasmus?
 - A. “I like Ike.”
 - B. “Another Democrat for Reagan”
 - C. “Ask not what your country can do for you; ask what you can do for your country.”
 - D. “government of the people, by the people for the people, shall not perish from the earth.”

5. Which of the following is one of the Canons of Rhetoric?
 - A. Arrangement
 - B. Figures of Speech
 - C. Principle of Charity
 - D. Modes of Persuasion

6. Which element in how an argument is organized is likely to make the most use of pathos (emotional persuasion)?
- A. Division
 - B. Peroration
 - C. Refutation
 - D. Introduction