

Anticipation Guide

DIRECTIONS: Use the following anticipation guide to mark whether or not you agree (A) or disagree (D) with each statement.

1. English is a dead language. _____
2. English is the most widely spoken language in the world today. _____
3. Beowulf was written in Middle English. _____
4. Old English is comprised of Celtic, Latin, and Spanish language influences. _____
5. Old English is sometimes referred to as "Anglo-Saxon" English. _____
6. I know exactly what a hero is. _____
7. Everyone has the potential to be a hero. _____
8. There are no heroes left in the world. _____
9. I know someone personally whom I consider a hero. _____
10. I think that we need heroes. _____
11. I like movies and television shows about heroes. _____
12. A person can do heroic things and still not be a hero. _____
13. Everyone and every culture can agree on the qualities that make a hero. _____
14. All heroes must struggle against great odds. _____
15. All heroes must be victorious over all obstacles. _____
16. A hero must use violence to achieve his/her goals. _____
17. Men are more likely to be heroes than women. _____
18. Physical strength is the most important type of strength for a hero. _____
19. I have done something heroic. _____
20. People envy heroes. _____
21. I hope to be a hero someday. _____
22. It is stupid to risk your life for obscure ideals and other people. _____
23. Anger gets in the way of heroic action. _____
24. Animals can be heroes. _____
25. It is okay for a hero to use any means to achieve his/her goal. _____

* Circle 1 statement you most agree with.
Write a 1-sentence response why.

* Circle 1 statement you most disagree with.
Write a 1-sentence response why.