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### **Short Story Post Test Study Guide**

**8.RL.1 I can find specific evidence in a text to support specific questions, as well as, inferences drawn from the text.**

- When answering a reading question, what steps do you take to get the correct answer?
- Can you find all the answers in the passage?
- What do you do when you cannot find the answer in the passage?
- What does it mean when you read “cite specific evidence” ?

**8.RL.2 I can identify and analyze literary elements.**

- What elements of fiction do ALL stories have to have?
- Define plot, theme and mood.
- What relationship do the narrator and author have?

**8.RL.2 I can determine the theme in a story and how it is developed through plot, setting and characters.**

- What elements of fiction work together to develop the theme?
- What is the theme of TTH?
- Where in TTH does the reader learn the theme? What event occurs to teach us this lesson?
- What aspect/characteristic of the protagonist in TTH leads us to learn the lesson?
- How would changing the setting of TTH to noon affect the theme?

**8.RL.4 I can determine the meaning of words, including connotative meanings. I can analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone.**

- Define connotation, connotative and connote.
- Define mood and tone.
- What is the mood of TTH? How do you know this is the mood? Give specific examples from the text.

**8.VA.5 I can demonstrate understanding of the three types of irony.**

- Define 3 types of irony.
- How are the different types of irony different.

**8.RL.6 I can analyze how differences in point of view (POV) of the characters and the reader create such effects as suspense and humor.**

- What are the five types of POV?
- How are the five types of POV different?
- What kind of POV creates dramatic irony?
- Explain how Poe’s POV in TTH creates irony.
- Explain how Poe’s development of irony creates mood.

**8.RL.9 I can compare and contrast two different texts for similarities.**

- When comparing 2 stories, what should you compare?