

Second Exam of English

I/ Identify the figure of speech used in the following sentences. Then, explain their meanings. (10 ps)

1- Both described at the same time how it was always March there and always Monday, and then they understood that José Arcadio Buendía was not as crazy as the family said, but that he was the only one who had enough lucidity to sense the truth of the fact that time also stumbled and had accidents and could therefore splinter and leave an eternalized fragment in a room.

Figure of speech: time stumbled had accidents..

Type: personification

Meaning: time or life is not always good

2- A book is a loaded gun in the house next door...Who knows who might be the target of the well-read man?

Figure of speech: a book is a loaded gun.

Type: metaphor.

Meaning: If you read, you can win and conquer others not with a gun but with words and knowledge.

3- As you sow, so you shall reap.

Type: proverb

Meaning: If you sow seeds you will reap fruits, vegetables../if you work hard, you will achieve good results

4- He feels under the weather

Type: Idiom.

Meaning: He is ill / sick

5- We were packed in the room like sardines.

Type: simile

Meaning: many people are in the room.

II/ Turn the following sentences into the passive voice. (5ps)

1- You never take me into a restaurant.

I am never taken into a restaurant by you.

2- The dog bit several people badly.

Several people were badly bit by the dog

3- Nobody could beat him in those days.

Those days, he could not be beaten by anybody.

4- Someone has eaten all the bread.

All the bread has been eaten by someone.

5- The municipality is building two new bridges.

Two new bridges are being built by the municipality.

III/ Turn the following sentences into the active voice. (5ps)

1- Is your bedroom window opened every night?

Do you open your window every night?

2- In the year 1619, the price of bread was increased by the bakers.

In the year 1619, the bakers increased the price of bread.

3- The meeting was not held because most of the participants were absent.

They didn't hold the meeting because most of the participants were absent.

4- The computer can't be used tomorrow.

You can't use the computer tomorrow.

5- He was accompanied by a porter weighing at least 150 kilos.

A porter weighing at least 150 kilos accompanied him.

Good luck