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Exploring Literary Devices in 'Lord of the Flies'

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What does the conch shell symbolize in "Lord of the Flies"?
 - a) Chaos and anarchy
 - b) Hope and rescue
 - c) Darkness and fear
 - d) Violence and aggression

2. Which literary device hints at events or outcomes that will occur later in the story?
 - a) Symbolism
 - b) Foreshadowing
 - c) Irony
 - d) Allegory

3. What is an example of situational irony in the novel?
 - a) The boys initially enjoy being stranded on the island.
 - b) The boys easily build a shelter on their first try.
 - c) The boys have access to an unlimited supply of food.
 - d) The boys quickly establish a stable government.

4. How does imagery contribute to the storytelling in "Lord of the Flies"?
 - a) It provides a list of character names.
 - b) It creates mental pictures and sensory experiences for the reader.
 - c) It reveals the hidden meaning of objects and events.
 - d) It emphasizes the importance of dialogue.

5. What is an example of an allusion in the novel?
 - a) The mention of a tropical storm
 - b) The reference to "Coral Island" by R.M. Ballantyne
 - c) The description of the conch shell
 - d) The portrayal of the island's lush vegetation

