

## Edgar Allan Poe – Unit Test

### "The Raven"

- 1) What is the raven in the poem?
  - a) a bird
  - b) a bear
  - c) a clock
  - d) a bust of Pallas
  
- 2) Who is the woman in the poem?
  - a) the narrator
  - b) a lost love
  - c) a bird
  - d) a bust of Pallas
  
- 3) What season of the year is "the Raven" taking place?
  - a) Fall
  - b) Winter
  - c) Spring
  - d) Summer
  
- 4) What is the woman's name in the Poem?
  - a) Susan
  - b) Libby
  - c) Raven
  - d) Lenore
  
- 5) raven

- 6) Edgar Allan Poe
- 7) desolate
- 8) maiden
- 9) rapping
- 10) pallid
  - a. the bird in the story
  - b. pale
  - c. the author of the poem
  - d. deserted
  - e. girl
  - f. knocking

11) What is the plot summary of "The Raven"?

### "The Bells"

12) The bells are describing a church service.

- a) True
- b) False

13) Poe describes only 2 types of bells in his poem, "The Bells".

- a) True
- b) False

14) What type of bells are being described? "Hear the sledges with the bells - Silver bells! What a world of merriment their melody fortells?"

- a) Funeral
- b) Christmas/Happy
- c) Wedding
- d) Alarm

15) What type of bells are being described? "How they ring out their delight! From the molten-golden notes, and all in tune!"

- a) Funeral
- b) Christmas/Happy
- c) Wedding
- d) Alarm

16) What type of bells are being described? "Hear the tolling of the bells- Iron bells! What a world of solemn thought their monody compels!"

- a) Funeral
- b) Christmas/Happy
- c) Wedding
- d) Alarm

17) What type of bells are being described? "What a tale of terror now their turbulency tells!"

- a) Funeral
- b) Christmas/Happy
- c) Wedding
- d) Alarm

18) Give one example of the types of bells that Poe describes. What words does he use to describe the bells?

### Literary Elements

- 19) rhyme  
20) rhythm  
21) alliteration  
22) onomatopoeia  
23) repetition
- a. repetition of sounds at the end of words
  - b. pattern of beats in spoken or written language
  - c. repeated consonant sounds
  - d. words that imitate sounds
  - e. repeating sounds

24) "What a Tale of Terror now their Turbulency Tells." This is an example of what literary element?

- a) alliteration
- b) rhythm
- c) onomatopoeia
- d) alliteration

25) twinkle, tinkle, tolling, scream, clanging, swinging, ringing are all examples of what literary elements?

- a) alliteration
- b) rhythm
- c) onomatopoeia

d) alliteration

### Bonus Questions

26) Write the rhyme scheme for the following lines of poetry: Hear he sledges with the bells - \_\_\_ Silver bells!\_\_\_  
What a world of merriment their melody fortells!\_\_\_ How  
they tinkle, tinkle, tinkle,\_\_\_ In the icy air of night!\_\_\_ While  
the stars, that oversprinkle \_\_\_ All the heavens, seem to  
twinkle \_\_\_ With a crystalline delight; \_\_\_

27) Choose one of the bells that Edgar Alla Poe describes.  
Write the name of the bell and illustrate the type of bell that  
he is describing. Use words and pictures.