

Reproducible Quizzes for Readings in *At a Glance: Reader*

These quizzes have various purposes: “encouraging” students to read assignments before class, bringing up points for discussion, highlighting topical issues.

An adaptation for those who eschew false and true:

If you do not like to give purely objective quizzes, but wish to give some subjective quizzes for basic understanding of the assignment, you can ask students to explain in a few sentences why single statements are true or false, or even both or neither.

Quiz 1: Chapters from the Book of Love

Name _____

On the blank provided, write a T if the statement is true or F if the statement is false.

“How Do I Love Thee? Counting the Ways”

- ___ 1. Intimacy, passion, and commitment are the warm, hot, and cold vertices of Sternberg’s love triangle.
- ___ 2. Commitment without intimacy or passion is empty love.
- ___ 3. Passion plus commitment is consummate love.

“Romantic Love, Courtship, and Marriage”

- ___ 4. Romantic love enables young partners to become independent.
- ___ 5. Age differences between husbands and wives have declined during this century.

“Why Marriages Fail”

- ___ 6. We all select a mate who will recreate with us the emotional patterns of our first homes.
- ___ 7. Concern about money brings partners together.

“The Story of an Hour”

- ___ 8. Thinking her husband was dead, Mrs. Mallard now welcomed life.
- ___ 9. She died because her weak heart could not deal with the joy of seeing her husband alive.

“The Ballad of Anna Banana”

- ___ 10. Anna Banana had a simple plan for teaching the narrator a lesson about love.

Quiz 2: Your Cheatin' Heart

Name _____

On the blank provided, write a T if the statement is true or F if the statement is false.

“The Roots of Temptation”

- ___ 1. People who report being in happy marriages do not commit adultery.
- ___ 2. Studies find that women are not about as likely as men to cross the line of infidelity.
- ___ 3. Most couples seek counseling when an affair is suspected or revealed.
- ___ 4. One of the motives for having an affair is revenge.

“The Girls in Their Summer Dresses”

- ___ 5. Michael blames his wandering eye on the shameful way some women dress.
- ___ 6. Frances objects to Michael’s looking at other women because he has had several extramarital affairs.
- ___ 7. Michael wishes his wife were more attractive.
- ___ 8. By the end of the story, Frances and Michael have worked out their differences about their relationship.

“Frankie and Johnny”

- ___ 9. Frankie went looking for Johnny because she had heard a report that he was with another woman.
- ___ 10. The story only goes to show that women are prone to jealous rages.