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Reading 1 - Age, Race, Class and Sex by Audre Lorde

1. According to Lorde, we tend to speak not of human difference, but of human _____.

- a. aggression
- b. frustration
- c. similarity
- d. deviance

ANSWER:

d

2. Lorde says that _____ is the most economical art form.

- a. painting
- b. photography
- c. poetry
- d. prose

ANSWER:

c

3. What excuses are often used for why literature by women of Color is NOT taught in college classes?

- a. The literature can only be taught by women of Color.
- b. The literature is too difficult to understand.
- c. The experiences presented are “too different.”
- d. All of these choices are correct.

ANSWER:

d

4. According to Lorde, _____ are tricked into joining the oppressor by believing they can share power.

- a. White women
- b. Black women
- c. Jewish women
- d. Hispanic women

ANSWER:

a

5. In Lorde’s article, she argues that the need for unity is often misrepresented as a need for _____.

- a. oppression
- b. equality
- c. homogeneity
- d. heterogeneity

ANSWER:

c