Reading Counts Quiz – Krazy White Girl

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- 1. What is the author's overall message?
 - A. Cutting is a good release of pain.
 - B. Anyone can write poetry.
 - C. Don't limit your true potential.
 - D. Everyone is a "Krazy White Girl."
- 2. Which of the following was NOT a reason that Niki discovered her own strength?
 - A. Niki participated in poetry slams.
 - B. Niki defended herself against attackers.
 - C. Niki joined the P.O.W.E.R. club.
 - D. Niki felt bad and cut herself.
- 3. How does Ashley Williams get back at Niki for going out with Blake?
 - A. She disrespects her poetry on school TV.
 - B. She flirts with Blake and wins him back.
 - C. She tells a lie about her.
 - D. She gets Niki in trouble with Aunt Lori.
- 4. How would you describe Ricaldo?
 - A. Thoughtful and generous
 - B. Comical and feeble-minded
 - C. Intelligent and cynical
 - D. Reflective
- 5. What point of view was used by the author?

 - A. 1st person
 B. 2nd person
 C. 3rd person

 - D. Omniscient
- 6. What was Blondie and Lo's first impression of Nicole?
 - A. They liked her immediately.
 - B. They hated her immediately.
 - C. They thought she was funny and smart.
 - D. They thought she had issues.

- 7. What kind of relationship did Niki and her Mom have at the end of the book?
 - A. They both learned to forgive and forget.
 - B. Niki's Mom decided to live in New York with Niki and Aunt Lori.
 - C. Johnny moved to Florida with Niki's mom.
 - D. Mom couldn't forgive Niki and walked out of her life.
- 8. What did Niki have in common with Blake?
 - A. They both took AP classes.
 - B. Their favorite food was pizza.
 - C. They both wrote poetry and went to poetry slams.
 - D. They both love cold weather better than a hot climate.
- 9. Why did Blondie get kicked out of the trial?
 - A. She swore.
 - B. She objected to the defense attorney.
 - C. She started crying hysterically.
 - D. She wanted to testify.
- 10. What literary device is used in the following excerpt:
 - "...and they flew like Ghosts in my mind."
 - A. Simile
 - B. Onomatopoeia
 - C. Personification
 - D. Metaphor

Answer key: 1 C, 2 D, 3 A, 4 B, 5 A, 6 D, 7 D, 8 C, 9 B, 10 A.