

Name _____ **Hyperbole**



Hyperbole

A hyperbole is the use of extreme exaggeration to emphasize a point. For example:

The gorilla hit the ball all the way into next week.

Meaning: *The gorilla hit the ball really far.*

DIRECTIONS: Explain the hyperbole in each sentence.

1. The president's cabinet would follow him off a cliff.

Meaning: _____

2. I've told him a million times not to do that.

Meaning: _____

3. In that moment, he felt like the king of the world.

Meaning: _____

4. That last gust of wind blew my house across the street.

Meaning: _____

5. I could sleep until my next birthday.

Meaning: _____