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Polyptoton

TRUE OR FALSE

1. Polyptoton means repeating a root word in different ways in close proximity.

2. Polyptoton and antanaclasis are synonyms.

3. Polyptoton is a form of repetition.

4. Sentences with polyptoton feel clunky and jarring.

5. You create polyptoton by changing the case of a root word.

6. Polyptoton can add musicality to a sentence.

7. Polyptoton is a literary device that creates a dark, somber mood in a piece of writing.

8. This sentence includes polyptoton: Falling drops of rain plip plopped on my upturned face.

9. This sentence includes polyptoton: Business is like a jungle: It's eat or be eaten.

10. Polyptoton creates paradox or irony in a text.
