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| **George breaks a date with his girlfriend to go to the football game with the guys. At the concession stand, he runs into his girlfriend with another guy.**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Situational 2. Dramatic 3. Verbal   (The answer is A. Situational. We do not expect George to see his girlfriend with another guy.) | **What is Situational Irony?**   1. A contrast between what is expected and what really happens 2. The readers know something the character does not 3. Something happens that we wouldn’t expect to happen 4. What is said is different than what is meant   (The answer is C.) | **What is Verbal Irony?**   1. What is said is different than what is meant 2. A contrast between what is expected and what really happens 3. Something happens that we wouldn’t expect to happen 4. The readers know something the character does not   (The answer is A.) |
| **What is Dramatic Irony?**   1. The readers know something the character does not 2. A contrast between what is expected and what really happens 3. What is said is different than what is meant 4. Something happens that we wouldn’t expect to happen   (The answer is A.) | **What is Irony?**   1. What is said is different than what is meant 2. Something happens that we wouldn’t expect to happen 3. A contrast between what is expected and what really happens 4. The readers know something the character does not   (The answer is C.) | **A second floor fitness center has an escalator instead of stairs.**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Dramatic 2. Verbal 3. Situational   (The answer is C. Situational. We do not expect a fitness center to have and escalator because they cause you to burn LESS calories.) |
| **You are watching a horror movie and know that the Boogeyman is waiting for the main character in his closet. The character unknowingly opens the closet door.**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Verbal 2. Situational 3. Dramatic   (The answer is C. Dramatic. The audience knows something the main character does not.) | **A Pepsi delivery man is sitting in his delivery van drinking a Coke.**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Verbal 2. Dramatic 3. Situational   (The answer is B. Situational. You don’t expect to see the Pepsi delivery man drinking the competition’s soda.) | **Your date for the school dance shows up wearing torn jeans and a stained t-shirt. You say, “Oh, I see you dressed up for the occasion.”**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Dramatic 2. Verbal 3. Situational   (The answer is B. Verbal. What you really mean is the opposite.) |

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| **A man is holding up a sign that says, “You Guys are Morans!”**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Dramatic 2. Verbal 3. Situational   (The answer is C. Situational. The man is trying to call someone stupid, but misspells the word Moron.) | **A police station gets robbed.**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Situational 2. Verbal 3. Dramatic   (The answer is A. Situational. You don’t expect the police station to get robbed. It is full of police officers.) | **The fire station burns down**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Dramatic 2. Situational 3. Verbal   (The answer is B. Situational. You don’t expect the police station to burn down. It is full of fire men and women.) |
| **A man crashes his van into his own business. The name of the business is *Sam’s School of Safe Driving.***  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Verbal 2. Dramatic 3. Situational   (The answer is C. Situational. You would never expect the owner of a safe driving school would crash into it!) | **Before bringing out the first guest on the Dr. Phil Show, Dr. Phil tells the audience that he has secretly contacted the guest’s long lost mother. The guest has no idea.**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Verbal 2. Situational 3. Dramatic   (The answer is C. Dramatic. The audience knows something the guest doesn’t.) | **An old run down business has the following sign on the front: Building Repair Expert- Call 776-983-4637.**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Dramatic 2. Verbal 3. Situational   (The answer is C. Situational. You would not expect a building repair expert to have a run-down looking building. ) |
| **You make plans to meet your friend at Starbucks. When she arrives 45 minutes late you say, “Perfect timing!”**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Verbal 2. Situational 3. Dramatic   (The answer is A. Verbal. You don’t really mean that she has perfect timing, you actually mean the opposite-her timing is terrible.) | **You are having dinner with your dad and you ask him how his steak is. He replies, “as tender as a leather boot.”**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Situational 2. Verbal 3. Dramatic   (The answer is B. Verbal. The steak is not really tender. If it is like a leather boot, then it is the opposite- tough.) | **You go camping with a friend. As you get ready to go to sleep you ask him how he likes his new sleeping bag. He responds, “it is as soft as a brick.”**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Situational 2. Dramatic 3. Verbal   (The answer is C. Verbal. The sleeping bag is not really soft. If it is actually as hard as a brick.) |

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| **A loose dog runs into your yard. As the dog’s owner chases behind, you ask him if his dog is friendly. The man responds, “Sure! As friendly as a rattlesnake.”**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Dramatic 2. Verbal 3. Situational   (The answer is B. Verbal. What he really means is that the dog is NOT friendly.) | **An airline passenger asks the pilot if the skies are clear enough to fly. The pilot answers, “Yep! As clear as mud.”**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Verbal 2. Situational 3. Dramatic   (The answer is A. Verbal. What the pilot really means is that it is not clear out at all.) | **You ask your date how much she liked the movie. She says, “I enjoyed it about as much as getting a root canal.”**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Situational 2. Verbal 3. Dramatic   (The answer is B. Verbal. She really means that she did not like it at all-since a root canal is pretty miserable.) |
| **When Romeo finds Juliet in a drugged sleep, he assumes her to be dead and kills himself.**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Dramatic 2. Verbal 3. Situational   (The answer is A. Dramatic. The reader knows that Juliet is not really dead, but Romeo does not.) | **Alice is engaged to Bob and is unaware that Bob has made plans to run away with Carole. Alice goes shopping to look at wedding rings, while the audience knows Bob is on his way to the airport to meet Carole.**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Verbal 2. Situational 3. Dramatic   (The answer is C. Dramatic. The audience knows more than Alice does. | **Susan and Jan both audition for the same part in the school play. Unknown to Susan, Jan's mother is in charge of casting. When Susan runs up to Jan to brag about how well she did, the viewers are cringing because they know that Jan will get the part that Alice wants.**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Verbal 2. Dramatic 3. Situational   (The answer is B. Dramatic. The viewers know more than Susan does.) |
| **The entire movie *Titanic* is what type of irony?**   1. Verbal 2. Situational 3. Dramatic   (The answer is C. Dramatic. The audience knows something that all the other characters do not.) | **We see James Bond’s enemy slip poison into his drink. As 007 raised the glass to his lips, the audience gasps.**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Situational 2. Verbal 3. Dramatic   (The answer is C. Dramatic. The audience knows something the main character does not.) | **A woman sells her beautiful long hair to buy a chain for her husband’s gold watch. Her husband sells his watch to buy beautiful combs for her hair.**  *What type of irony is this?*   1. Verbal 2. Situational 3. Dramatic   (The answer is B. Situational. The readers know what each character is doing, but they don’t.) |