

Hyperbole

We'll be here forever!

Hyperbole is language that exaggerates in an obvious way. It can add impact to an argument.



1. Find and underline the hyperbole in each sentence.
Write what the author means on the line below each sentence.

a. That movie is older than the dinosaurs.

b. She walks faster than I run!

c. Her smile brightens the room.

d. I'm so tired I could sleep for a thousand years.

e. He is as skinny as a toothpick.

2. Use hyperbole to express the following ideas.

a. The last question on the maths test was difficult.

b. The kite was flying high in the air.

c. It was very cold.
