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What is Hyperbole? Worksheet

Hyperbole is exaggerated statements or claims not meant to be taken literally. It is an extreme exaggeration used to make a point or create humor.

Directions: Underline the sentences below that contain hyperbole. Write (H) for hyperbole. If the sentence does not contain hyperbole, leave it blank and write (NH) for not hyperbole.

Example A- You could have knocked me over with a feather.

Answer- You could have knocked me over with a feather. H

1. My birthday will never come! _____
2. I walked to the movies with my friends. _____
3. Let's be best friends forever. _____
4. I had so many chores to do. _____
5. I will work on my homework after school. _____
6. I have a mega amount of homework to do. _____
7. It is usually warm in the summer. _____
8. I am hungry as a horse. _____
9. Do you know what time is the movie? _____
10. I am so happy I could jump off a horse. _____
11. We have a baseball game tomorrow. _____

Answers:

1. H

2. NH

3. H

4. H

5. NH

6. H

7. NH

8. H

9. NH

10. H

11. NH