Creating Mental Images Title: “The Lesson of the Moth”

Handout 4

CPQ: What images or ideas do the literary & sound devices in the poems emphasize?



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| P# | Text Clues | Created Mental Image |
| 618  Lines 1-5 | “I was talking to a moth  the other evening  he was trying to break into  an electric light bulb  and fry himself on the wires” |  |
| 618 & 620  Lines 18-21 | “we get bored with the routine  and crave beauty  and excitement  fire is beautiful”  **Think Turn Talk Question**: Identify the literary or sound device in this quote. |  |
| 620  Lines 27, 34, 37 | “…and be burned up with beauty”  “…it is better to be a part of beauty”  “…and never be a part of beauty”  **Think Turn Talk Question**: Identify the literary or sound device in these quotes. |  |
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