## Allusions

An **allusion** is a figure of speech that indirectly references a famous person, event, or thing from history or works of literature. **Example:** 

Alice grinned **like a Cheshire cat**.

Underline the allusion in each sentence.



- 7) Please pay your installments on time, or collectors will come after you for a pound of flesh.
- 8) Money is not the be-all and end-all of human life.
- 9) I don't think this book is an example of cyberpunk.
- 10) Grandma never says anything harsh; she's full of the milk of human kindness.