Across
1. an imitation of the style of a particular writer, artist, or genre with deliberate exaggeration for comic effect
5. a short and amusing or interesting story about a real incident or person
7. the subject treated in a paragraph or work
8. the part of a sentence or clause containing a verb and stating something about the subject
11. a detailed analysis and assessment of something, especially a literary, philosophical, or political theory
13. a work in three parts
14. the subject of a talk, a piece of writing, a person's thoughts, or an exhibition; a topic
18. a story or narrated account
20. a conclusion one draws
21. a sermon
22. a long narrative poem
23. a phrase or opinion that is overused and betrays a lack of original thought
24. a play on words
25. a statement or proposition that, despite sound (or apparently sound) reasoning from acceptable premises, leads to a conclusion that seems senseless, logically unacceptable, or self-contradictory

Down
2. the word, phrase, or clause to which a pronoun refers
3. a comparison using "like" or "as"
4. a metaphor introduced and then further developed throughout all or part of a literary work, especially a poem
6. the use of figures of speech to create a vivid image
9. the one who tells the story
10. a word free from limitations or qualifications
12. place or deal with close together for contrasting effect
15. a recurring subject, theme, idea, etc., especially in a literary, artistic, or musical work
16. a humorous imitation of serious work
17. a subtle difference in or shade of meaning, expression, or sound
19. a comparison between two things, typically for the purpose of explanation or clarification