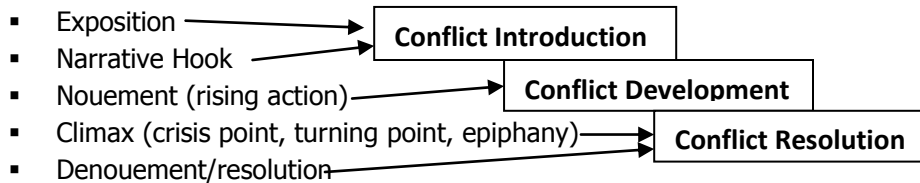


Tools of the Trade: Fiction

Be able to define, identify, and create examples of each of the following literary devices.

▪ Structure & Plot—

○ Janet Burroway's Inverted Checkmark Model:



- Difference between *story* and *plot*
- Relationship between plot and conflict
- Relationship between character arc and story arc
- John Truby's Seven Steps of Story Structure:

- Weakness and Need (psychological and moral)
- Desire
- Opponent
- Plan
- Battle
- Self-revelation
- New Equilibrium

▪ Conflict

- Internal
- External (types)

▪ Character Descriptions

- Round/Flat
- Static/Dynamic

▪ Characterization

- Direct
- Indirect (different methods for revealing character indirectly)

▪ Point of View

- First person central
- First person peripheral
- Third person limited
- Third person shifting
- Omniscient
- Objective
- Stream of Consciousness

▪ Irony

- Verbal
- Situational
- Dramatic

▪ Foreshadowing

▪ Tone

▪ Setting as vehicle for meaning

▪ Mood

▪ Writing Conventions

- Dialogue rules and mechanics (punctuation, paragraph breaks, dialogue tags)
- Expletives
- Active and Passive Voice

Literary Terms: Alphabetical Order

- abstract
- alliteration
- allusion
- anapest/anapestic
- archetype
- assonance
- ballad
- blank verse
- cacophony
- characterization
- climax/crisis point/turning point/epiphany
- closed form
- concrete
- conflict
- connotation
- consonance
- couplet
- dactyl/dactylic
- denotation
- denouement
- dibrach/pyrrhic
- diction
- dimeter
- direct characterization
- direct metaphor
- dramatic irony
- dramatic poetry
- dynamic character
- endstopped
- enjambed
- epigram
- expletive
- exposition
- euphony
- extended metaphor
- external conflict
- figurative language
- first person central p.o.v.
- flat character
- foot
- haiku
- heroic couplet
- hexameter
- iamb/iambic
- imagery
- implied metaphor
- indirect characterization
- internal conflict
- irony
- literal language
- lyric poetry
- meter
- mood
- monometer
- motif
- narrative hook
- narrative poetry
- nouement
- objective p.o.v.
- octave
- omniscient p.o.v.
- onomatopoeia
- open form
- pentameter
- personification
- Petrarchan/Italian sonnet
- plot
- point of view
- quatrain
- quintain
- round character
- rhyme
- rhythm
- septet
- sestet
- sestina
- setting
- Shakespearean/English sonnet
- simile
- sonnet
- Sound & Sense
- SSTV-MIDST
- speaker
- spondee/spondaic
- static character
- story (poetry def. & fiction def.)
- stream of consciousness p.o.v.
- structure
- syllable
- syntax
- tercet
- tetrameter
- third person limited p.o.v.
- third person shifting p.o.v.
- tone
- trimeter
- trochee/trochaic
- vehicles
- villanelle
- voice

