

Tools of the Trade: Poetry

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

- ❖ Image/Imagery
 - Concreteness
 - Abstraction
- ❖ Figurative language
 - Simile
 - Direct metaphor
 - Implied metaphor
 - Personification
 - Extended metaphor
- ❖ Literal language
- ❖ Diction
 - Connotation
 - Denotation
- ❖ Syntax
- ❖ Style
- ❖ Sound & Sense devices
 - Alliteration
 - Assonance
 - Consonance
 - Euphony
 - Cacophony
 - Onomatopoeia
- ❖ Speaker
- ❖ Story
- ❖ Tone
- ❖ Mood
- ❖ Symbol
- ❖ Archetype
- ❖ Motif
- ❖ Theme
- ❖ Paradox
- ❖ Juxtaposition
- ❖ Oxymoron
- ❖ Irony
 - Verbal
 - Situational
 - Dramatic
- ❖ Genres
 - Narrative
 - Lyric
 - Dramatic
- ❖ Convention
 - Open form
 - ❖ Closed form
 - Sonnet
 - Petrarchan/Italian
 - Shakespearean/English
 - Spenserian
 - Sestina
 - Ballad
 - Haiku
 - Villanelle
 - Epigram
 - ❖ Rhyme/rhyme scheme
 - Internal rhyme
 - End rhyme
 - Masculine
 - Feminine
 - ❖ Rhythm & Scansion
 - Foot
 - Iambic
 - Trochaic
 - Dactylic
 - Anapestic
 - Pyrrhic
 - Spondaic/Sprung
 - Meter
 - Monometer
 - Dimeter
 - Trimeter
 - Tetrameter
 - Pentameter
 - Hexameter
 - ❖ Line breaks
 - End-stopped
 - Enjambed
 - ❖ Stanzas
 - Couplet/Heroic couplet
 - Tercet
 - Quatrain
 - Quintain
 - Sestet
 - Septet
 - Octave

Poetry Terms: Alphabetical Order

- abstract
- alliteration
- allusion
- anapest/anapestic
- archetype
- assonance
- ballad
- cacophony
- closed form
- concrete
- connotation
- consonance
- couplet
- dactyl/dactylic
- denotation
- dibrach/pyrrhic
- diction
- dimeter
- direct metaphor
- dramatic irony
- dramatic poetry
- endstopped
- enjambed
- epigram
- euphony
- extended metaphor
- figurative language
- foot
- haiku
- heroic couplet
- hexameter
- iamb/iambic
- imagery
- implied metaphor
- literal language
- lyric poetry
- meter
- mood
- monometer
- motif
- narrative poetry
- octave
- onomatopoeia
- open form
- pentameter
- personification
- Petrarchan/Italian sonnet
- quatrain
- quintain
- rhyme
- rhythm
- septet
- sestet
- sestina
- Shakespearean/English sonnet
- simile
- sonnet
- speaker
- spondee/spondaic
- story
- syllable
- tercet
- tetrameter
- tone
- trimeter
- trochee/trochaic
- vehicles
- villanelle