

VOCABULARY

Common SOL Literary Terms

1. Allegory
2. Alliteration
3. Allusion
4. Antagonist
5. Archetype
6. Assonance
7. Atmosphere
8. Blank verse
9. Characterization
10. Climax
11. Compare
12. Conflict
13. Contrast
14. Couplets
15. Denouement
16. Dramatic monologue
17. Elegy
18. End rhyme
19. Epic
20. Fable
21. Figurative language
22. First person point of view
23. Foreshadowing
24. Free verse
25. Genre
26. Hyperbole
27. Iambic pentameter
28. Imagery
29. Internal rhyme
30. Irony
31. Literal language
32. Lyric poetry
33. Metaphor

34. Meter
35. Monologue
36. Mood
37. Motif
38. Myth
39. Onomatopoeia
40. Oxymoron
41. Paradox
42. Parody
43. Personification
44. Plot
45. Prose
46. Protagonist
47. Pun
48. Quatrain
49. Rhetorical question
50. Sarcasm
51. Satire
52. Sensory imagery
53. Simile
54. Soliloquy
55. Sonnet
56. Stanza
57. Subplot
58. Symbolism
59. Theme
60. Third person point of view
61. Tone
62. Voice