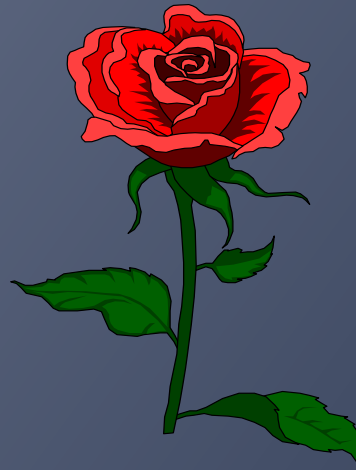


FIGURATIVE LANGUAGE



Simile

- ⦿ A comparison of two unlike things using “like,” “as,” “than,” or “resembles.”
- ⦿ “She is as beautiful as a sunrise.”



Metaphor

- A direct comparison of two unlike things without using “like” or “as”
- “That girl is a monster!”



Onomatopoeia

- Words that imitate the sound they are naming

BUZZ



- OR sounds that imitate another sound
- “The **silken, sad, uncertain, rustling** of each purple curtain . . .”

Alliteration

- Consonant sounds repeated at the beginnings of words
- If Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers, how many pickled peppers did Peter Piper pick?



Personification

- An animal given human-like qualities or an object given life-like qualities.
- “The cat pranced and danced with glee after she caught her first mouse.”



- “...singing loudly for all the world to hear, the cat gracefully took a bow.”

Hyperbole

- ⦿ Exaggeration often used for emphasis.
- ⦿ “I am so hungry, I could eat a horse!”



Idiom

- An expression where the literal meaning of the words is not the meaning of the expression. It means something other than what it actually says.
- Ex. It's raining cats and dogs.



Try It!

- ① Generate a list of examples for each of the following...

(At least three examples for each)

- Simile
- Metaphor
- Onomatopoeia
- Alliteration
- Personification
- Hyperbole
- Idiom