

Literary Devices Notes

The following are artful additions to writing that author's use to make their work more interesting and literary. These are just ten of >60

Metaphor

Compares _____ unlike things, implying _____ characteristics, where one _____ is said to _____ the other.

Example: _____

Simile

Compares _____ unlike things using the words _____ or _____.

Example: _____

Hyperbole

An _____.

Example: _____

Personification

Giving human _____ to _____ things or _____.

Example: _____

Denotation

The _____ definition of a _____.

Example: _____

Connotation

All the _____ and _____ associated with a _____.

Example: _____

Symbolism

When something you _____ takes the _____ of something you _____.

Example: _____

Imagery

When the _____ paints a mental _____.

Example: _____

Foreshadowing

Provides a _____ about _____ events in the _____.

Example: _____

Irony

When the _____ of what is _____ is said or _____.

Example: _____