

Literary Elements

Illustrate each literary element with symbols, pictures or quotes from a story or novel. Quotes must include the title of the work you are citing in parentheses. Your illustration must clearly show your understanding of the concept.

Figurative Language

Language that contains or uses figures of speech, especially metaphors. Has a different meaning from the <i>literal</i> meaning. Metaphor, personification and hyperbole are a few examples of figurative language	Metaphor A comparison between two unlike subjects in which one subject is implied to be another so as to draw a comparison between their similarities and shared traits.
Hyperbole A ridiculous exaggeration that is not intended to be taken literally.	Personification It refers to the practice of attaching human traits and characteristics with inanimate objects, phenomena and animals.

<p>Imagery Words and phrases that create “mental images” for the reader. Imagery helps the reader to visualize and therein more realistically experience the author’s writings</p>	<p>Tone The writer’s attitude towards the subject that influences the expression of his ideas.</p>
<p>Mood The mental and emotional disposition of the author towards the subject, which in turn lends a particular character or atmosphere to the work. (How the author makes the reader feel)</p>	<p>Theme The base topic or focus of the literary piece. The underlying message about human nature that is universal.</p>