

Literary Devices

→ Check what you know, Google what you don't.

You only need to understand the ones on slides 2 and 3.
(Slides 4 and 5 are extras, to learn about if you have time.)

We have looked at all of these in class.

Literary Devices you should know... 1 of 2

personification	
onomatopoeia	
oxymoron	
simile	
semantic field	
metaphor	
extended metaphor	
caesura	
enjambment	
repetition	

Literary Devices you should know... 2 of 2

point of view	
perspective	
alliteration	
colloquialism	
dramatic irony	
imagery	
foreshadowing	

Other Literary Devices – bonus material. Don't worry if you don't know these.

tone	
symbolism	
juxtaposition	
hyperbole	
consonance	
assonance	
dissonance	
synesthesia	
anthropomorphism	
zoomorphism	

Further Literary Devices – only revise these if you haven't enough to do already!

amplification	
satire	
tautology	
metonymy	
anaphora	
anastrophe	
chiasmus	
portmanteau	