

## Spelling list: GCSE English Literature: Language Features 1

Key words for GCSE English Literature.

word	A <b>word</b> is the basic unit of language.
phrase	A <b>phrase</b> is a small group of words.
writer's	A <b>writer's</b> methods are the techniques and approaches a writer uses.
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perspective	Your <b>perspective</b> is the way you look at something and what you think about it.
expression	<b>Expression</b> is the communication of thoughts and feelings.
context	The <b>context</b> is the setting and circumstance of an event.
quotation	A <b>quotation</b> is the direct use of a word, phrase, or sentence from another source.
linguistic	A <b>linguistic</b> device, such as hyperbole or a metaphor, is used in writing to create effect.
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sound	A <b>sound</b> is anything that can be heard.
syntax	<b>Syntax</b> is the arrangement of words and phrases.
emphasis	If you put <b>emphasis</b> on something, it means you give it importance.
pun	A <b>pun</b> is a humorous play on words that suggests multiple meanings behind an idea.
comedy	<b>Comedy</b> is an amusing and satirical genre.

humour	<b>Humour</b> is the quality of being funny.
stereotype	A <b>stereotype</b> is a common but oversimplified portrayal of someone.
suspense	<b>Suspense</b> is the building of tension in a plot.