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alliteration	Alliteration involves words that begin with the same sound.
rhythm	James plays rhythm guitar.
assonance	Assonance involves words that have the same vowel sound.
metaphor	Symbolism is an art style which uses mythology and metaphor to convey ideas.
simile	Simile involves describing something by comparing it with something else.
personification	Personification describes something non-human as if it is human.
rhyme	Time, crime and chime all rhyme .
stanza	A poem has a minimum of one stanza .
limerick	A limerick is often a short, funny poem with a strong beat.
ballad	A ballad is a song or poem that tells a story.
verse	Sing the first verse .
onomatopoeia	Onomatopoeia is when the sound of a word is the same as its meaning.
figurative	Figurative art is often defined in contrast to abstract art.
imagery	Imagery is when words are used to create a picture in a reader's mind.
hyperbole	Hyperbole is an exaggeration used for effect.
juxtaposition	The juxtaposition between 'fair' and 'foul' shows how much the witches will change everything.
idiom	Idiom is a group of words that doesn't make sense if taken literally ; for example, it's raining cats and dogs.

humour She has a wicked sense of **humour** .

irony **Irony** is the use of words where the real meaning is the opposite of what is actually said.

symbolism **Symbolism** is an art style which uses mythology and metaphor to convey ideas.