

Poetic Devices Review

Please take out a piece of paper and number it from 1-15.

1. What poetic device is used in this stanza?

"The quick fox flanked the floor
He could not stand it
The cookies cooled carelessly on the counter
The fox was hungry"

2. What poetic device is used in this stanza?

"I heard the steady tick and tock of the old grandfather clock.
The chime rang out as the clock struck twelve."

3. What poetic device is shown here?

"Cannon to the right of them,
Cannon to the left of them,
Cannon in front of them,
Cannon behind them.
They were surrounded.
Volley'd and thunder'd"

4. What type of poem is shown here?

"The aliens landed and checked their machinery,
They looked around and enjoyed the scenery.
They exited their ship, advanced into the world
Their toes curled."

5. What poetic device is used in this line?

"He weighs a ton".

6. What poetic device is used here?

“He was still reeling from the weekend’s rollercoaster of emotions.”

7. What type of poem is shown here?

"Dog

Silent friend

Looking at me

A persistent pleading look

Companion"

8. What poetic device is used here?

- Her eyes sparkled like stars on a dark night.

9. What poetic device is used here?

- The days crept by slowly.

10. What is the rhyme scheme of this stanza?

Winter is blind and cold

Spring is the new informer

She couldn't wait for the days to be warmer

She waited, becoming old

Eventually she saw the sun

By that time, it was no longer fun

11. What poetic device is used here?

- "It was so cold, I saw polar bears wearing jackets."

12. What poetic device is used here?

"She worked, she walked,
He tripped, he talked,
They slipped, they stalked,
I am here."

13. What poetic device is used here?

- I woke up to the tweet of birds outside my window. Spring is here!

14. What poetic device is used here?

"A salty tear ran across her fiery face onto her pink lips."

15. What type of poem is shown here?

"The fierce wind rages
And I see how trees survive –
They have learned to bend."

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- Email your answers to Ms. Krohn and she will send you your score!