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Poetry Terms

ELEMENTS OF POETRY:

1. Tone - the attitude of the poem
2. Mood - the general atmosphere or feeling of the poem
3. Images - vivid pictures from the poetry that stick in the reader’s mind
4. Rhyme scheme - pattern of rhyming in a poem
5. Rhythm- in a poem is much like the “beat” of a song
6. Alliteration - the repetition of initial sounds in two or more neighboring words or syllables
7. Assonance - the repetition of vowel sounds within words or consonants with different vowel sounds in between
8. Consonance - the repetition of two or more consonants with different vowel sounds in between
9. Onomatopoeia - the use of words that sound like they signify
10. Figurative language - language that is not meant to be taken literally
11. Simile - compares two things using like or as
12. Metaphor - compares two things by saying or suggesting that one is another
13. Extended metaphor - a metaphor that runs all the way through a poem
14. Hyperbole - is just a big word for “exaggeration”
15. Personification - gives human qualities to a non-human thing
16. Line - a row of words
17. Stanza - paragraph in a poem
18. Refrain - a regularly repeated line or group of lines in a poem or story
19. Sensory language - language that appeals to your senses
20. Rhyme - the repetition of a sound in two or more phrases
21. End rhyme - rhyme at the end of the lines in poetry
22. Exact rhyme - sounds exactly alike (peas and cheese)
23. Half rhymes - sound similar but not the same (Pans and hams)

Types of poetry:

1. Light verse - Funny or playful poetry
2. Narrative poetry- poetry that tells a story
3. Epic - a long narrative poem that tells how a nation came into being
4. Haiku - a form of japanese poetry, usually consisting of three lines in which the syllables alternate in a pattern of 5-7-5
5. Free verse - poetry with no rhyme scheme or beat
6. Prose poetry - poetic language presented in unlined form
7. Elegy - a poem of sorrow
8. Lyric poetry- poetry that is short and musical and that deals with personal issues
9. Sonnet - a poem of 14 lines; lines can be of any length and can be rhyme or unrhymed
10. Ballad - a song like poem that tells a story, often dealing with adventure or romance
11. Limerick - 5 line poem, light and humorous (AABBA- rhyme scheme)

TYPES OF STANZAS:

* Couplet - 2 line stanza
* Tercet - 3 line stanza
* Quatrain - 4 line stanza
* Cinquain - 5 line stanza
* Sestet - 6 line stanza
* Heptastic - 7 line stanza
* Octave -8 line stanza

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