

Reading 2-5: Literary Concepts: Purpose, Structure, and Devices

Identify and Interpret Literary Devices and Figurative Language

Author's Craft: Figurative Language

Students **Learning Continuum Statements:**

Students:

RIT 161-170:

- Interprets idiom in literary text
- Interprets simile in a sentence

Students:

RIT 171-180:

- Analyzes the effect of figurative language in literary text
- Interprets idiom in literary text
- Interprets metaphor that makes a simple comparison to describe a concrete idea in literary text
- Interprets simile in a sentence
- Interprets simile in literary text
- Understands the meaning of common idioms

Students:

RIT 181-190:

- *No Skills Listed*

Students:

RIT 191-200:

- Analyzes the effect of figurative language in literary text
- Determines the meaning of a figurative phrase in literary text
- Identifies simile
- Interprets allusion in literary text
- Interprets idiom in literary text
- Interprets metaphor that makes a simple comparison to describe a concrete idea in literary text
- Interprets simile in a sentence
- Interprets simile in literary text
- Understands the meaning of common idioms

Students:

RIT 201-210:

- Analyzes the effect of figurative language in literary text
- Determines the meaning of a figurative phrase in informational text
- Determines the meaning of a figurative phrase in literary text
- Identifies alliteration
- Identifies idiom
- Identifies metaphor
- Identifies onomatopoeia
- Identifies simile

- Identifies symbolism
- Interprets allusion in literary text
- Interprets extended metaphor in literary text
- Interprets idiom in literary text
- Interprets irony in literary text
- Interprets metaphor in informational text
- Interprets metaphor that makes a simple comparison to describe a concrete idea in literary text
- Interprets onomatopoeia in literary text
- Interprets simile in informational text
- Interprets simile in literary text
- Interprets symbolism in literary text
- Interprets the effect of repetition in literary text
- Recognizes figurative language

Students:

RIT 211-220:

- Analyzes the effect of alliteration in literary text
- Analyzes the effect of figurative language in informational text
- Analyzes the effect of figurative language in literary text
- Determines the meaning of a figurative phrase in informational text
- Determines the meaning of a figurative phrase in literary text
- Identifies alliteration
- Identifies idiom
- Identifies metaphor
- Identifies onomatopoeia
- Identifies personification
- Identifies simile
- Identifies symbolism
- Interprets allusion in literary text
- Interprets extended metaphor in literary text
- Interprets extended metaphor in poetry
- Interprets idiom in literary text
- Interprets irony in informational text
- Interprets irony in literary text
- Interprets metaphor that makes a complex comparison to describe an abstract idea in literary text
- Interprets personification in literary text
- Interprets simile in literary text
- Interprets symbolism in literary text
- Interprets the effect of repetition in literary text

Students:

RIT 221-230:

- Analyzes the effect of figurative language in literary text
- Identifies alliteration
- Identifies consonance
- Identifies dialect
- Identifies hyperbole
- Identifies idiom
- Identifies irony

- Identifies metaphor
- Identifies onomatopoeia
- Identifies paradox
- Identifies personification
- Identifies simile
- Identifies symbolism
- Interprets allusion in literary text
- Interprets extended metaphor in literary text
- Interprets idiom in literary text
- Interprets metaphor that makes a complex comparison to describe an abstract idea in literary text
- Interprets personification in literary text
- Interprets simile in literary text
- Interprets symbolism in literary text

Students:

RIT 231-240:

- Analyzes the effect of figurative language in literary text
- Identifies alliteration
- Identifies consonance
- Identifies hyperbole
- Identifies idiom
- Identifies onomatopoeia
- Identifies oxymoron
- Identifies paradox
- Identifies parallelism
- Identifies personification
- Interprets simile in literary text
- Interprets symbolism in literary text

Students:

RIT 241-250:

- Identifies alliteration
- Identifies assonance
- Identifies consonance
- Identifies hyperbole
- Identifies onomatopoeia
- Interprets simile in literary text

Students:

RIT 251-260:

- Identifies adages
- Identifies consonance