

L.O. To learn to identify poetic devices

Rhyme

Words that have a similar sound at the end.

e.g. Lightning, thunder, all around
Soon the rain falls on the ground.



Repetition

Emphasising a word by saying it more than once

e.g. It was frightening, frightening for all involved

Simile

When something is compared to something else using 'like' or 'as'

e.g. The daffodils were as golden as the sun



Metaphor

Describing something by saying it IS something else.

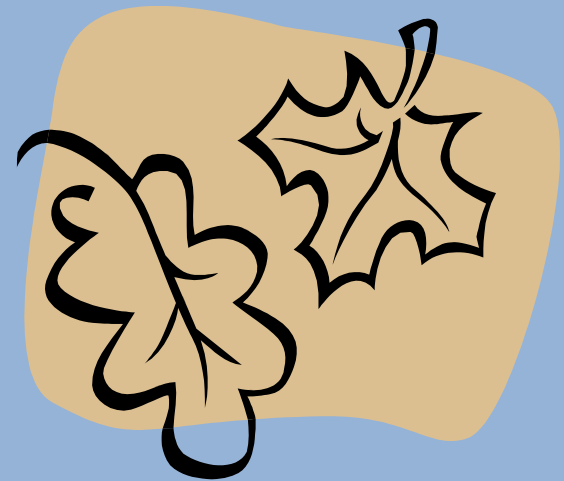
e.g. It's raining cats and dogs



Onomatopoeia

When words sound like the noise that it makes

e.g. The leaves *crunched* under my feet as I walked over them.



Alliteration



When words start with the
same sound

e.g. Walter walked wearily while
wondering where Wally was.

Personification

Giving something a human characteristic

e.g. The first rays of morning tiptoed through the meadow.



Enjambment

The continuation of a sentence without
Pause at the end of a
Line