

ALLITERATION

Alliteration is when there is a repetition of sound within a phrase or a sentence.

Example:

She sells seashells
by the seashore.

ASSONANCE

Assonance is the similarity in sound between vowels in the middle of neighboring words.

Example:

**How now, brown
cow.**

CONSONANCE

Consonance is when there is repetition of consonant sounds in adjacent or closely connected words.

Example:

She gave the big dog a hug.

IRONY

Irony is a statement which conveys the exact opposite meaning of what is literally being said.

Example:

The fire station got burned.

METAPHOR

Metaphor is when there is a comparison made between two different things which share something in common.

Example:

Her long hair was a flowing golden river.

ONOMATOPOEIA

Onomatopoeia is a word which resembles the sound it is describing.

Example:

My watch ticks loudly.

PERSONIFICATION

Personification is when an object which is not alive is given human qualities.

Example:

The wind whistled throughout the day.

SIMILE

Simile is a phrase which compares something to another thing which uses words as or like.

Example:

She is like a shining star.