

| Language Technique | Description                                                                                          | Example                                                                    |
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|                    | This is the repetition of a letter sound at the start of a word.                                     | The waves washed wistfully against the wonderful white shore.              |
|                    | This is a word that imitates or suggests the source of the sound that it describes.                  | There was a bee buzzing around the flowers.                                |
|                    | Something that is similar, it is 'like' or 'as' something else.                                      | He's as strong as a bull.                                                  |
|                    | This is when something <u>is</u> said to be something else.                                          | Juliet is the sun.                                                         |
|                    | This includes informal (or casual) words that are made up and used by cultural groups.               | In Australia they say g'day mate for good morning and barbie for barbeque. |
|                    | These are questions where you are not expected to answer.                                            | Can a fish swim?                                                           |
|                    | When something non-human or even something that is not alive; is doing something only humans can do. | I could hear my bed calling my name.                                       |

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|  | This is when adjectives or adverbs are used that relate to or refer to emotions.             | There is an endless trauma, desperation and mindless suffering from doing school work. |
|  | Using descriptive words (adjectives) to describe something and paint a picture in your head. | He had short deep black hair, with bright blue eyes, and was a tall, skinny boy.       |
|  | A doing word.                                                                                | She <u>walked</u> to the shops after school.                                           |
|  | A describing word. Sometimes there are three together to make it more effective.             | He had to wear a <u>big, bright blue</u> plaster in cooking.                           |
|  | A word describing how something is done.                                                     | Usain Bolt ran <u>quickly</u> to the finish line of the 100m race.                     |