

High School English Summer Coursework

According to your grade level for the next school year, you will need to define and study the list of literary terms and vocabulary words below. You may use whatever study tool works for you while learning these lists. Recommended site to find and use study tools: www.studystack.com. Your study tool will be **DUE MONDAY, 8/22/11** and you will be **tested on the material FRIDAY, 9/2/11**. You will need to not only recognize the definitions of the literary and vocabulary terms, but also you must be able to identify examples of literary terms in literature.

LITERARY TERMS

9th	10th in addition to 9th gr. terms	11th in addition to 9th & 10th gr. terms	12th in addition to 9th, 10th, & 11th gr. terms
Alliteration	analogy	Ad Hominem	Amplification
Allusion	anecdote	Anaphora	Antecedent
Antagonist	antithesis	Aphorism	Apostrophe
Atmosphere	bandwagon appeal	Archaism	Caesura
Assonance	bibliography	Asyndeton	Canon
Ballad	biography	Bathos	Crux
Blank Verse	carpe diem	Cacophony	Didactic Verse
Climax	connotation	Catharsis	Elegy
Conflict	crisis	Chiasmus	Envelope Method
Couplet	diction	Connotation	Epiphany
Denouement	empathy	Cumulative Sentence	Epithet
Dialect	epic	Deduction	Form
Dialogue	epilogue	Denotation	Hypophora
Dynamic character	fiction	Ellipsis	Iambic Pentameter
Exposition	figurative language	Ethos	Idioms
Fable	flashback	Euphemism	Inverted Sentence
Flat character	gothic	Euphony	Ode
Foot	imagery	Extended Metaphor	Parenthesis
Foreshadowing	mood	Foil	Procatalepsis
Free Verse	name-calling	Hamartia	Sententia
Genre	propaganda	Induction	Shifts
Hero/Heroine	narrative	Juxtaposition	Soliloquy
Hyperbole	nemesis	Litotes	Sonnet
Iamb	non-fiction	Logos	Theme
Irony	paradox	Loose Sentence	
Lyric Poem	pathos	Metonymy	
Metaphor	personification	Mixed Metaphor	
	point of view		

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Meter Onomatopoeia Oxymoron Pentameter Personification Plot Point of View Protagonist Rhyme Rhyme Scheme Rhythm Round Character Setting Static character	prologue pun satire setting simile situational irony stage directions stream of consciousness symbolism thesis tone tragic hero utopia villian	Non Sequitar Parallel Structure Parody Pathetic Fallacy Pedantic Perodic Sentence Polysyndeton Rhetoric Rhetorical Device Rhetorical Question Sarcasm Style Synecdoche Syntax	

SAT VOCABULARY WORDS

9th	10th	11th	12th
absolution alacrity antagonism antecedent antithesis arbiter archetypal cacophony capitulate clairvoyant collusion confluence convergence credulity dissonance equivocal etymology exculpate expurgate	abate abdicate aberration abhor abstain adversity aesthetic amicable anachronistic arid asylum benevolent bias boisterous brazen brusque camaraderie canny capacious	abstract ambivalent antipathy apathetic assuage auspicious banter candor cogent comprehensive conviction dubious electic egregious exculpate florid gratuitous hackneyed impartial	acerbic auspicious broach calumny chauvinist cursory diatribe encumbrance euthanasia foil glean guile highbrow impediment ire jocular keen latent lugubrious

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hapless	capitulate	imperious	macabre
ignominious	clairvoyant	inherent	misanthrope
incarnate	collaborate	inveterate	myriad
indigenous	compassion	laudatory	nebulous
interlocutor	compromise	maverick	ominous
intransigent	condescending	mollify	onerous
inviolable	conditional	novel	pious
mitigate	conformist	obdurate	provincial
obdurate	convergence	obstinate	qualm
obsequious	deleterious	ostentatious	ramify
orator	demagogue	paramount	rescind
perfidious	digression	pervasive	satiate
plausible	diligent	prosaic	sinuous
preclude	discredit	quandary	torpid
proclivity	disdain	rancorous	trite
rectitude	divergent	spurious	unencumbered
reverance	empathy	stoic	vacillate
subjugate	emulate	superfluous	volatile
superfluous	enervating	tenuous	warmonger
transgress	ephemeral	timorous	welter
veracity	evanescent	transitory	zealous
wistful	exemplary	vindicated	



Summer Coursework Acknowledgment Contract 2011-2012

Due signed by May 25th!

I, _____, acknowledge that I am aware of and intend to
 (print student name)
 complete the mandatory summer coursework assigned to students of McKeel Academy.

Furthermore, I understand that my summer work must be completed and turned-in to my instructor by August 22, 2011 and that it will be graded. Lastly, I acknowledge that I have also been informed that a test covering this information will be given on September 2, 2011 and that it, too, will be scored.

Student grade level for 2011-2011: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____