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| Figurative Language | Definition | Examples from Text |
| **SIMILE** | A comparison of two unlike things using the words like or as to make the comparison. |  |
| **METAPHOR** | A comparison of two unlike things without using the words like or as to make the comparison.  |  |
| **IDIOM** | An expression, word or phrase that has a figurative meaning, separate from the meaning of the individual words used in the phrase. |  |
| **Allusion** | A reference to a well-known place, literary or art work (biblical/mythological), famous person, or historical event. |  |
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| **PERSONIFICATION** | Figurative language that gives animals, ideas or inanimate objects human-like traits or characteristics. |  |
| **HYPERBOLE** | An exaggeration of the truth for emphasis or humorous effect.  |  |
| **ONOMATOPOEIA** | The use of words whose sounds echo their meanings.  |  |
| **ALLITERATION** | The repetition of consonant sounds within a given text. |  |
| **IMAGERY** | Words or phrases that appeal to the reader’s five senses.  |  |