

LITERARY DEVICES

(the English majors toolkit for close reading)

#1

alliteration

consonance

assonance

#2

personification

pathetic fallacy

apostrophe

#3

simile

metaphor

metonymy

synecdoche

#4

soliloquy

onomatopoeia

omniscient narrator

#5

juxtaposition

hyperbole

anaphora

pleonasm