

STYLISTIC DEVICES

11 КЛАСС «**SPOTLIGHT**»

МОДУЛЬ **4E**

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Alliteration

Alliteration is a literary device that emphasizes on repetition of a particular consonants in the first syllables in a series of words.

Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers.

She sees sheep sleeping.

feel

free

не стесняйтесь

right

as rain

совершенно здоровый; в полном порядке

live

and learn

век живи, век учись

well worth

the wait

вполне стоит этого ожидания

jump

for joy

the more

the merrier

в тесноте, да не в обиде

- * 1) Greg **jumped for joy** when he heard bad news.
- * 2) **Fell free** to help yourself to a sandwich, Ann.
- * 3) Why don't you invite Tim to the picnic, too? **The more the merrier!**
- * 4) I couldn't believe they had cheated me. "Well, **live and learn**!", my mum said.
- * 5) You'll feel as **right as rain** in a few days.
- * 6) The delicious dinner Mike cooked was **well worth the wait**

Similes

* **A simile** is a figurative device in which two unlike things are compared by using the word "like" or "as".

* The baby was as busy as a bee.

* That little girl is as sweet as sugar.

- * 1) Matt was happy as as he left school that day.
- * 2) Jo looked as white as "Are you OK?", I asked.
- * 3) "You've got a memory like ," Emily joked.
- * 4) As quick as , I dashed across the road.
- * 5) I was as sick as the whole of the next day.
- * 6) There was my missing ring, as plain as

A dog,
a sheet (простыня),
day,
a lark (рад-радешенек),
a flash (вспышка), a
sieve (девичья/
куриная память),

Metaphors

- * **A metaphor is a figurative device in which one thing is compared to another unlike thing.**
- * **You are my sunshine!**
- * **That child is a bear when he is sleepy.**

* 1) I lost my grandmother's ring and I was heart broken. **Extremely upset**

* 2) Sally thundered angrily into the room.

Went quickly & with a lot of noise

* 3) "Why the long face?", I asked.

Unhappy expression

* 4) Can you throw some light on the problem?

Explain

* 5) Suddenly, a letter on the table caught my eye.

Came to my notice

* 6) I was frozen with tear.

Unable to move

Participles

- * Arriving late, Mary sat in the back row.
- * Ben, exhausted after a long day, took a nap on the couch.
- * The red shirt worn by Kevin belongs to my brother.

- * 1) **Gasping for breath**, he tried to tell Anna what had happened.
- * 2) **Annoyed**, she got up and left the room.
- * 3) **Exhausted**, she sank down onto the forest floor.
- * 4) **Shivering with cold**, we pulled our coats tighter around us.
- * 5) **Glancing down at her watch**, she realized she was going to be late.
- * 6) **Worried about Sylvia**, I decided to try calling her one more time.

Hyperbole

- * Hyperbole is the literary term used for exaggeration. When authors use hyperbole, they do not mean for their statements to be taken literally-they are exaggerating the facts for effect.**
- * My father drives 1,000 miles per hour!**
- * I don't think a herd of elephants would be as noisy as this class is today!**

- * 1) This book weighs **a ton**.
- * 2) I haven't seen Richard **for ages**.
- * 3) You don't have **to snap my head off**.
- * 4) He felt like **he was talking to the wall**.
- * 5) I've eaten so much **I'm about to burst**.
- * 6) **My heart was in my mouth** as I opened the door.