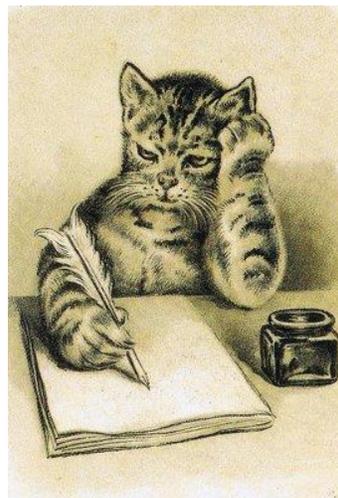# Literary Terms Digital Scavenger Hunt

Poetry is all around us, in all the moments that we encounter every day. What is written down or expressed orally as poetry attempts to capture these moments in words. The catch with poetry, however, is that it is a condensed experience, and so the language used must be powerful, vivid, and evocative. It must convey images and feelings all in one place.

Poets must choose their words wisely, and they must consider the arrangement of their words in terms of how that impacts their meaning.

Since poetry is all around us, today you are going to work in small groups (2-3 people) to find examples of literary devices in the school environment.

What you need to complete this scavenger hunt:

- The list of literary devices that you must locate or create examples of
- A camera
- The "Animoto" app on your phone/ipad

What you need to do:

1. Travel around the school for 20-25 minutes, attempting to locate examples of the devices listed on the back of this sheet. If you cannot locate an exact example, find something that you could use to inspire a written example of the literary device. (for example, if you can't find a simile, you could take a picture of a ball and use that as inspiration for writing something like "His belly was as round as the moon.")
2. Once you locate the examples, take a picture. Be sure to write down which picture goes with each device so that you remember the connections.
3. Once you have all of the items on the list, you need to use the Animoto app to create a video of the digital collection of literary devices. Label the images with the device that they correspond with; if you used an image to inspire your own writing of an example of a particular device, include the image and the written out sample of the device.
4. Completed videos need to be emailed to your teacher by the end of our class.

LITERARY DEVICES TO BE FOUND:

1. **SIMILE**

2. **METAPHOR**

3. **SYMBOL**

4. **ALLITERATION**

5. **ONOMATOPOEIA**

6. **RHYME (X2)**

7. **PERSONIFICATION (X2)**

8. **HYPERBOLE**

9. **OXYMORON**

10. **IMAGERY**