

# Internet Scavenger Hunt:

## Poetic Devices



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Poetic devices such as simile and alliteration make poetry interesting and entertaining to read. Use the following Web document to answer the questions.

Web site: RealClassroomIdeas.com

URL: <http://www.realclassroomideas.com/resources/Poetry-Poetic+Devices+Definitions.pdf>

1. A \_\_\_\_\_ compares two things using the words “like” or “as.”

2. Poets use *personification* when they give objects what?

\_\_\_\_\_

3. The word “buzzed” represents what poetic device? \_\_\_\_\_

4. “Polly planted plenty of pretty pansies” is an example of \_\_\_\_\_.

Write another sentence using this poetic device: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

5. “The lake was a blue mirror” is an example of simile. True False

**Something to think about:** The most common poetic rhyme scheme used in “old school” rap music is the couplet, which consists of two lines that rhyme and have the same meter (rhythm).

**Learn more:** How much do you know about poetry terms? Take this quiz to find out:

<http://library.thinkquest.org/J0112392/>