

English 10 Academic Vocabulary List

Lit. Text: pp. 1119-1140

1. Acronym
2. Act
3. Action
4. Adaptation
5. Adage
6. Alliteration
7. Allusion
8. Analogy
9. Analysis
10. Anecdote
11. Antagonist
12. Aphorism
13. Argument
14. Aside
15. Ballad
16. Central conflict
17. Characterization
18. Cliché
19. Climax
20. Coherence
21. Comedy
22. Connotation
23. Crisis
24. Denotation
25. Dialogue
26. Drama
27. Dramatic irony
28. Dynamic character
29. Essay
30. Exposition
31. Fable
32. Falling action
33. Fiction
34. Figurative language
35. First-person point of view
36. Flat character
37. Foreshadowing
38. Genre
39. Hyperbole
40. Imagery
41. Inciting incident
42. Internal conflict
43. Introduction
44. Irony
45. Irony of situation
46. Journal

47. Major character
48. Metaphor
49. Minor character
50. Mood
51. Moral
52. Motif
53. Myth
54. Narration
55. Narrator
56. Nonfiction
57. Novel
58. Onomatopoeia
59. Oxymoron
60. Parable
61. Parallelism
62. Paraphrase
63. Periodical
64. Personification
65. Persuasive writing
66. Plagiarism
67. Plot
68. Poetry
69. Point of view
70. Prose
71. Protagonist
72. Redundancy
73. Repetition
74. Resolution
75. Review
76. Rhyme
77. Rising action
78. Rounded character
79. Satire
80. Scene
81. Sensory detail
82. Setting
83. Simile
84. Speaker
85. Stage
86. Static character
87. Story
88. Summary
89. Suspense
90. Suspension of disbelief
91. Symbol
92. Theme
93. Third-person point of view
94. Tone
95. Tragedy
96. Tragic flaw
97. Transition

98. Unity
99. Unreliable narrator
100. Verbal irony
101. Voice

Speech text: Chapters 1,2,4 and 5

1. Audience
2. Channels
3. Communication
4. Decoding
5. Encoding
6. Feedback
7. Formal settings
8. Informal settings
9. Interference
10. Interpersonal communication
11. Messages
12. Nonverbal symbols
13. Physical noise
14. Psychological noise
15. Receiver
16. Semantic noise
17. Sender
18. Verbal symbols
19. Connotation
20. Conventional
21. Denotation
22. Dialect
23. Jargon
24. Language
25. Nonstandard English
26. Slang
27. Standard English
28. Sublanguage
29. Symbol
30. System
31. Analogy
32. Association
33. Bandwagon
34. Begging the question
35. Card-stacking
36. Connotation
37. Context
38. Critical listening
39. Critique

40. Denotation
41. Emotional appeals
42. False analogy
43. False premise
44. Faulty reasoning
45. Generalizations
46. Goal
47. Hasty generalizations
48. Hearing
49. Irrelevant evidence
50. Listening
51. Loaded words
52. Main ideas
53. Mnemonic devices
54. Name-calling
55. Nonverbal clues
56. Persuasion
57. Prejudice
58. Premise
59. Propaganda
60. Repetition
61. Signal Words
62. Stereotype
63. Supporting details
64. Transfer
65. Attitudes
66. Extroverted
67. Goals
68. Halo effect
69. Hierarchy of needs
70. Interpretation
71. Intrapersonal communication
72. Introverted
73. Motives
74. Perception
75. Perception check
76. Private self
77. Public self
78. Role
79. Self-actualization
80. Self-concept
81. Stereotyping