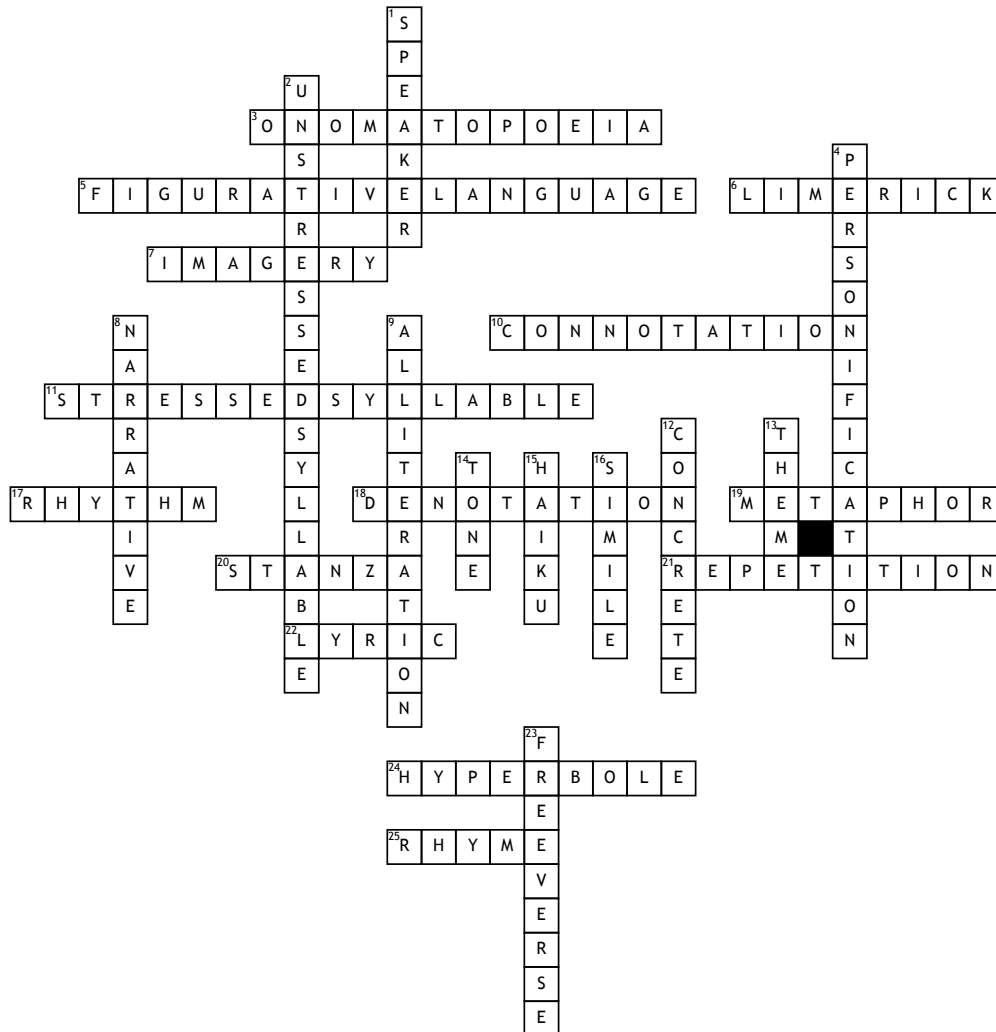


# Elements of Poetry



**Across**

- 3. the use of words to imitate sounds
- 5. writing or speech that is not meant to be taken literally
- 6. a humorous, rhyming five-line poem with a specific rhythm and pattern of rhyme
- 7. language that appeals to the five senses of sight, hearing, smell, taste, and touch
- 10. the feelings and associations a word evokes in people
- 11. emphasized when the syllable is spoken
- 17. the beat created by a poems pattern of stressed and unstressed syllables
- 18. the dictionary definition of a word
- 19. compares two unlike things without using the words like or as

20. a group of lines that work together to express a central idea

21. the use of any element of language - a sound, word, phrase, or sentence - more than once

22. a poem that expresses the thoughts and feelings of a single speaker, often in highly musical verses

24. is an extreme exaggeration

25. the repetition of sounds at the ends of words, as in pool, rule, and fool

**Down**

1. like a narrator of a story, this is the voice of the poem

2. not emphasized when the syllable is spoken

4. gives human qualities to something that is not human

8. a poem that tells a story in verse

9. the repetition of similar consonant sounds at the beginnings of words

12. a poem that is shaped to look like its subject

13. the message or insight about life the poem conveys

14. a writer's attitude toward his or her subject

15. a Japanese form of poetry about nature, made up of three lines. the first and third lines have 5 syllables, the second line has 7

16. compares two unlike things using the words like or as

23. a poem that does not have a strict structure, regular rhythm, or pattern of rhyme

**Word Bank**

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|------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| rhythm     | stressed syllable | unstressed syllable | rhyme               | stanza      |
| speaker    | repetition        | alliteration        | onomatopoeia        | connotation |
| denotation | tone              | imagery             | figurative language | simile      |
| metaphor   | personification   | hyperbole           | theme               | narrative   |
| lyric      | concrete          | haiku               | limerick            | free verse  |