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Grade: 7th

Literary Terms

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| Term: <u>character traits</u> | Definition: the behaviors and attitudes that make up a person's <u>personality</u> |
| Examples: introvert, extrovert, friendly, cruel, sympathetic, <u>cowardly</u> , <u>mean</u> , <u>bossy</u> , <u>honest</u> | Sentence demonstrating use: His quiet voice and his sweet spirit let the child know he was trustworthy. |

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| Term: <u>narrative techniques</u> | Definition: the way a story is told (style & language) |
| Examples: Point of view, setting, poetry, plot, foreshadowing, <u>etc.</u> | Sentence demonstrating use: ← I knew I'd regret it, but I just had to press the glowing red button. 1st person, P.O.V. foreshadowing |

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| Term: Internal conflict Definition: a struggle <u>within oneself</u> | Sentence demonstrating use: I knew I should put down the snake, but I really wanted to struggle it. |
| Term: External Conflict Definition: a struggle with outside forces | Sentence demonstrating use: As soon as she turned twelve, she and her mom fought every day. |

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| noun | person, place, thing idea | My <u>mom</u> ate <u>it</u> . N pronoun |
| proper noun | SPECIFIC person place, thing, idea | My <u>mom</u> , <u>Sue</u> , ate it. |
| possessive noun | a noun that shows ownership | It is my <u>mom's</u> cake. |
| pronoun | replace noun | <u>She</u> ate <u>it</u> . |

with he/she/it/they/we