

Word List: Autumn 1: Poetry – Being Human, Being Heard

	Word	Definition/In a Sentence
	anaphora	Anaphora is when the same word or phrase is repeated at the start of a series of clauses, sentences or lines.
	caesura	A caesura is a pause in the middle of a line of poetry or a break in a meter.
	dramatic monologue	A dramatic monologue is a poem in which an imagined person (speaker) is addressing an imagined listener.
	enjambment	Enjambment is when a sentence is continued over more than one line without a pause or piece of punctuation.
	end-stopped	End-stopped is when a line of poetry is concluded with a full stop.
	eye dialect	Eye dialect is the deliberate use of non-standard spelling in order to show how a word is pronounced.
	identity	Identity means the qualities and traits that make up a person's sense of self; who a person is.
	marginalise	To marginalise means to push aside or deliberately ignore.
	meter	Meter is a pattern of stressed and unstressed syllables.
	metaphorical	Metaphorical means not intended literally.
	personify	To personify something means to give it human qualities or emotions.
	resonate	Resonate means to produce an emotional effect.
	simile	A simile is a comparison made to create an image in the reader's mind.
	stanza	A stanza is a group of lines within a poem.
	tone	Tone means the emotion or attitude expressed in the poem.