

Poetic Devices Illustration Project

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Alliteration

Repeated consonant sounds at the beginning of a series of words



Berry blew a bubble

Onomatopoeia

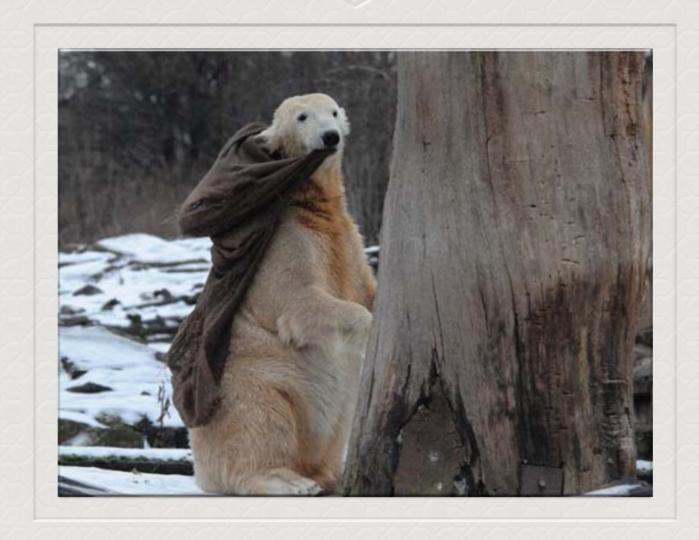
Words that sound like they mean



The car rumbled as it raced away

Hyperbole

A deliberate exaggeration to make a point



It was so cold I saw polar bears wearing jackets

Consonance

Repeated consonance sound at the beginning of a series of words



I found a fish that fought a frustrated falcon

Rhyme

When the sounds match at the end of lines of poetry



I journeyed forth
In the frozen north

Understatement

The opposite of a hyperbole, stating less than what is necessary



I only have a broken back

Repetition

Repeating of something that has already been said or written



I watch the puck fly by the goalies glove
I watch the netting fly back
I watch the buzzer go off
And next thing you know I have just scored a goal



The end