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| |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Personification:** | ***Describing animals or objects with human characteristics.*** | | | | | | **Waddy**  **the Cat**  **E:\waddy.jpg** | After a long day of watching the squirrels from the window, Waddy’s cat bed was calling his name. | **Other** **Examples** | •One lonely slice of pizza remained.  •The sun peeked over the mountain tops. | |  | | | |   Page 3 |
| |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Metaphor:** | ***Comparison between 2 unlike things without “like” or “as.”*** | | | | | | **Waddy**  **the Cat**  **E:\waddy.jpg** | Waddy is a pig when he eats tuna fish. | **Other** **Examples** | •Our project is almost finished. I can see the light at the end of the tunnel.  •He had butterflies in his stomach. | |  | | | |   Page 2 |
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| |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Alliteration:** | ***Repetition of beginning consonant sounds.*** | | | | | | **Waddy**  **the Cat**  **E:\waddy.jpg** | Waddy wondered where Wendy the Weimaraner was. | **Other** **Examples** | •Like loads of laundry lying on the lovely linoleum.  •Sally sells seashells by the seashore.  •Those creepy crawly critters caused a cramp in my cranium. | |  | | | |   Page 4 |
| |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Imagery:** | ***Description used to create a word pictures & appeal to the 5 senses.*** | | | | | | **Waddy**  **the Cat**  **E:\waddy.jpg** | Waddy first heard the can opener and then, the smell of tuna fish reached his nose. | **Other** **Examples** | •The smell of the baked bread filled the kitchen.  •The alarm blared and woke me from a deep sleep.  •The sand felt grainy in between my toes. | |  | | | |   Page 5 |
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| |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Onomatopoeia:** | ***A word that imitates the sound it makes.*** | | | | | | **Waddy**  **the Cat**  **E:\waddy.jpg** | Every time you rub his belly Waddy purrs loudly. | **Other** **Examples** | •The water gurgled as it flowed down the drain.  •The storm clouds rumbled across the sky.  •It seemed everyone was sniffling during the cold and flu season. | |  | | | |   Page 6 |
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| |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Idiom:** | ***A figure of speech that cannot be taken literally.*** | | | | | | **Waddy**  **the Cat**  **E:\waddy.jpg** | Waddy cracks me up when he chases his tail. | **Other** **Examples** | •It was a blessing in disguise.  •The test was a piece of cake.  •She said to bite your tongue when I started to talk back. | |  | | | |   Page 8 |