

ESOL Choice Board for Grades 6-8

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p><a href="#">Click here</a> to listen to a catchy song that defines figurative language. It might get stuck in your head!</p> 	<p>“The Wonderful Wizard of Oz” novel became “The Wizard of Oz” in a well-known 1939 film.</p> <p><a href="#">Click here</a> to page through the original book (published in 1900!), and <a href="#">click here</a> to watch a trailer for the film.</p> 	<p>Remember:</p> <p><u>Simile</u>= a comparison using like or as</p> <p><u>Metaphor</u>= a comparison between two things that aren't alike but have something in common</p> <p><u>Hyperbole</u>=exaggerated statements or claims not meant to be taken literally</p> <p><u>Personification</u>= giving human characteristics to something that isn't human (an animal, object, etc.)</p> <p>Now that you have reviewed 4 common types of figurative language, <a href="#">click here</a> to play Cannonball Cats, a game that will check your knowledge!</p> 	<p><a href="#">Click here</a> to read “The Rose from Concrete,” a poem by Tupac Shakur.</p> <p>Do you see any examples of figurative language in the poem? Look for other poems and lyrics by music artists you enjoy. Most artists use figurative language of some sort to add depth and richness to their work.</p> 	<p>Find someone who will play a game with you, then <a href="#">click here</a> to watch a video that displays people performing action verbs. As the tiles on the video slowly disappear, can you guess what they are doing? First one to guess correctly wins!</p> <p>Bonus: Can you play this game in your home language?</p> 