

ELA Virtual Learning

English I

May 21st, 2020



9th Grade/English I Lesson: May 21st, 2020

Objective/Learning Target:

 I can analyze the cumulative impact of specific words choices and syntax on meaning and tone.



Bell Ringer:

Translate the following Yoda quotes. You may need to just simply rearrange the word order within the quote.

- "Truly wonderful the mind of a child is."
- "Begun the Clone War has."
- 3. "Always two there are, no more, no less: a master and an apprentice."
- "The boy you trained, gone he is, consumed by Darth Vader."
- 5. "When nine hundred years old you reach, look as good, you will not.

Learn:

Word Choice is the use of rich, colorful, precise language that communicates not just in a functional way, but in a way that moves and enlightens the reader.

Syntax in **literature** refers to the way in which words and sentences are placed together.

Syntax Prezi Notes

SYNTAX

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The way words are arranged in a sentence

TO ANALYZE SYNTAX:

- · Look at:
- Sentence length and its effect on the intended message
- The type of sentences that are used
- Punctuation and the message it conveys

Practice:

In addition to his plays, Shakespeare wrote 154 sonnets on a variety of topics. This, "Sonnet 92," is a meditation on unfaithfulness, betrayal, and love. A sonnet is a poem consisting of fourteen lines that uses a Rhyme scheme. It may be written in iambic pentameter (one unstressed syllable followed by a stressed syllable, repeated five times per line), but does not have to be. In English, sonnets usually have ten syllables per line. Read the William Shakespeare's "Sonnet 92" and take notes over the sonnet to help answer the text-dependent questions.

- → Read: <u>Shakespeare's Sonnet 92</u>
- → Listen: <u>Shakespeare's Sonnet 92</u>
- → Text Questions: <u>Shakespeare's Sonnet 92 Questions</u>



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CwoAPaVpN5s

Practice Answer Key:

(Answers will Vary)

- Check your answer to make sure it meets the following criteria:
 - → Did you write the summary in complete sentences?
 - → Did you use standard conventions (spelling, punctuation, grammar)?
 - → Did you answer the question?
 - → Did you support and explain your answer using textual evidence on the Writing Extension questions?
- Text Questions: <u>Shakespeare's Sonnet 92 Questions Answers</u>

If you want to learn more...Additional Resource:

For extra practice with syntax use this **Syntax Activity Prezi**.

