

## **QUIZLET CARDS: Study these frequently for the AP exam!**

### **VERBS**

Choose 10-15 powerful verbs that vary in meaning and memorize them. This way, you'll have them in your pocket to pull out when writing your essays. Practice using them in your essays. You also have a list of powerful language for literary analysis that I gave you in class.

<https://quizlet.com/70191157/ap-lit-verbs-vocab-flash-cards/> - (courtesy of Alyssa Gonzala)

**My favorites?** asserts, conveys, emphasizes, evokes, implies, observes (poetry), proposes, suggests, challenges, criticizes, exposes, refutes, renounces, advocates, implores, urges, demonstrates, reflects, examines, explores, exemplifies, mocks, illustrates, juxtaposes

**Remember:** **lively, powerful verbs** are essential to strong writing. For the love of literature, don't use "shows" or "writes" or "tells." It's also important to use a *variety* of verbs within your essay. Mix it up!

### **TONE WORDS:**

Choose several words for each category of emotion and memorize them. Practice them in your essays.

<https://quizlet.com/13777856/ap-lit-tone-words-flash-cards/> - (courtesy of tcnemann)

### **LITERARY TERMS**

Here's a great set of Quizlet cards for literary terms. The ones that apply specifically to rhetorical analysis, you needn't bother with (like syllogism); however, the rest would be good to know for the exam.

<https://quizlet.com/89442366/ap-lit-comp-literary-terms-master-list-flash-cards/> (BTW: thanks to this awesome teacher, Mr Lewis Belgrade, who shared his cards online for free.)

Here's another set (courtesy of Maureen at DJHS)

<https://quizlet.com/17237916/ap-lit-literary-terms-djhs-flash-cards/> - this set has more poetry terminology.

### **JUST POETIC DEVICES**

<https://quizlet.com/116614093/ap-lit-poetry-terms-flash-cards/> - (courtesy of Kristen Walters)

You should be familiar with the general definition of foot and meter. You don't need to know the different meters or definitions of different types of feet in poetry, i.e. spondaic, trochaic, etc. You should know iambic pentameter (as it is the most common foot and meter.)