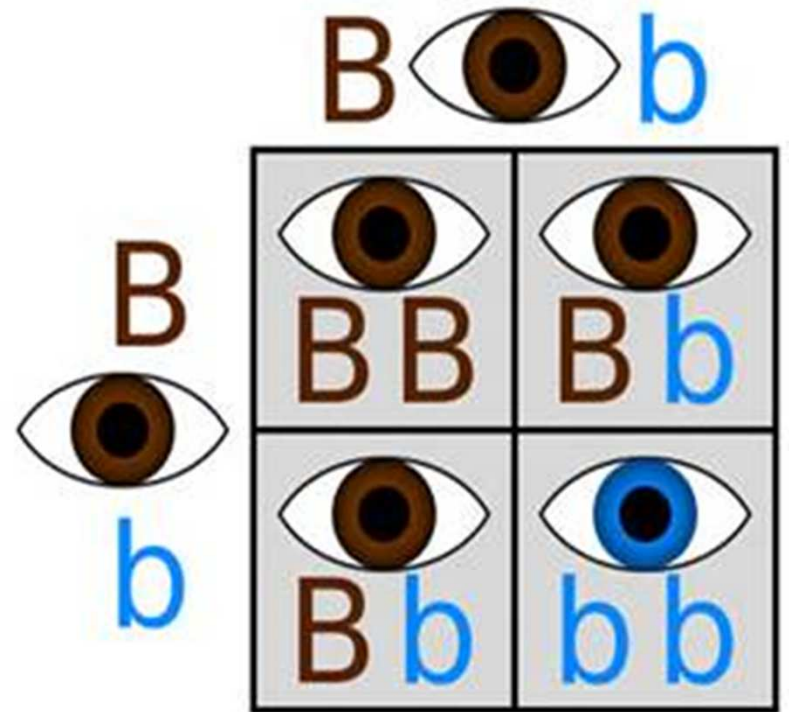


Word of the Day

Thursday, February 1, 2018

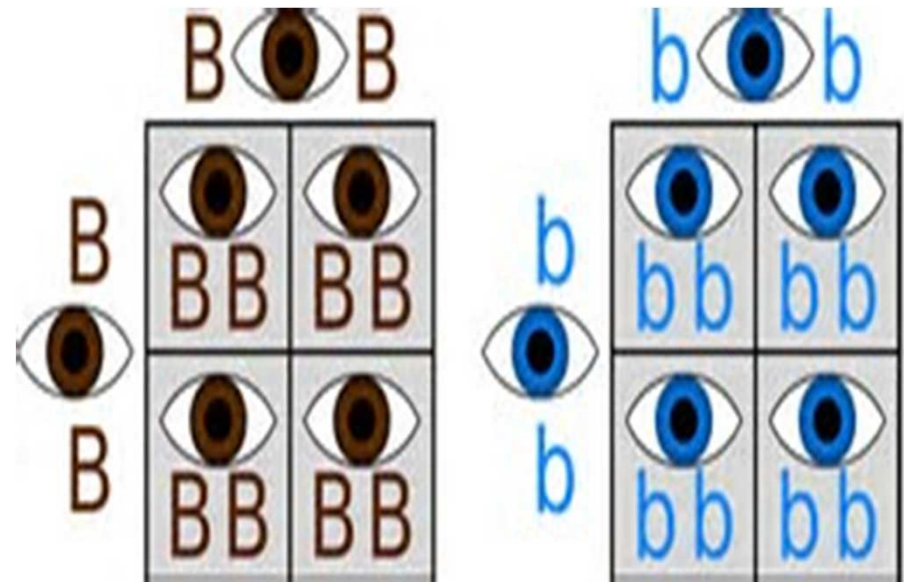
- **Recessive**—The traits that are hidden.
- **bb**—blue eyes



Word of the Day

Friday, February 2, 2018

- **Homozygous**—When two alleles are the same.
- **BB or bb**



Word of the Day

Monday, February 5, 2018

- **Heterozygous**—When two alleles are different.

- **Aa**

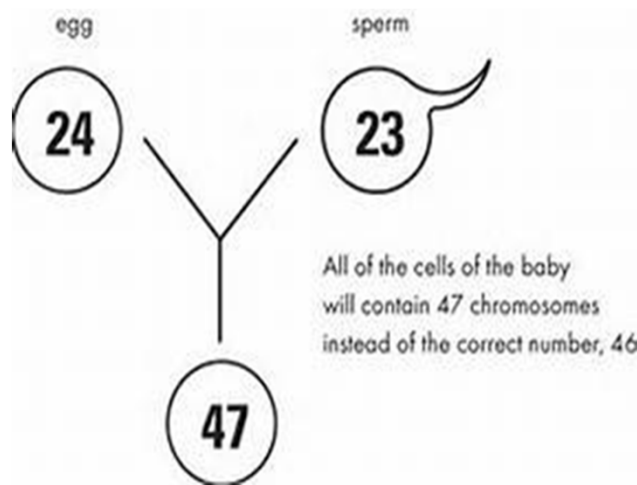
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- 50% are **Heterozygous**

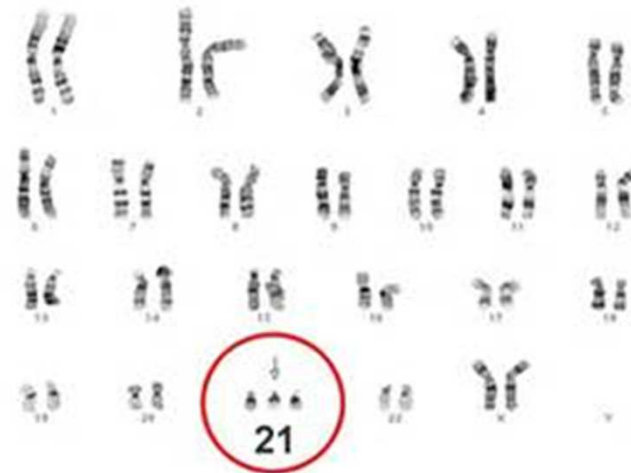
Word of the Day

Tuesday, February 6, 2018

Nondisjunction—The failure of a chromosome pair to separate during meiosis.



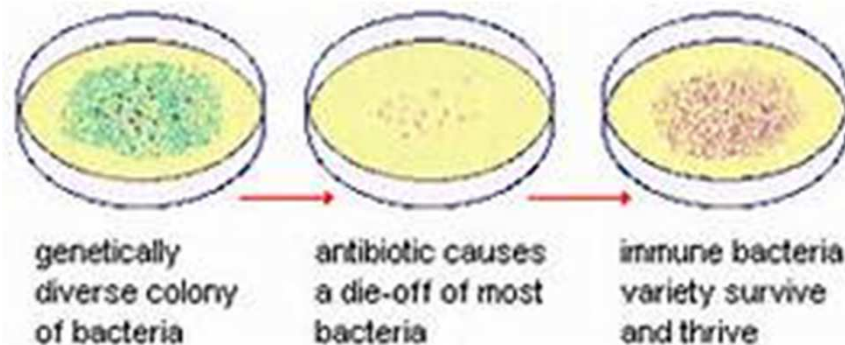
- Example—Down Syndrome



Word of the Day

Wednesday, February 7, 2018

- **Evolution**—Change in a living organism over time.
- Example—Bacteria have **evolved** to become more resistant to antibiotics.



Word of the Day

Thursday, February 8, 2018

- **Adaptation**—Any characteristic or trait that helps an organism to survive in its environment.
- Example—A skunk's **adaptation** is the awful smelling spray it releases when threatened.



Word of the Day

Friday, February 9, 2018

- **Symbiosis**—A long term association between two members of a community in which one or both parties benefit.
- Example—Bees and flowers have a **symbiosis** relationship.



Word of the Day

Monday, February 12, 2018

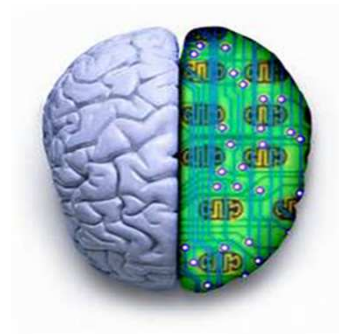
- **Tone**: a writer's attitude towards the subject, audience, and self.
- The author's **tone** was portrayed through all of his negativity.

LOUD	<i>loud</i>
<i>quiet</i>	QUIET
HARD	<i>hard</i>
<i>soft</i>	SOFT

Word of the Day

Tuesday, February 13, 2018

- **Analogy**: a comparison between things that have similar features.
- The programmer drew an **analogy** between the human brain and the computer.





Word of the Day



Wednesday, February 14, 2018

- **Fallacy**: a believable argument based on false or misleading information.
- It is a **fallacy** to believe that because someone is wealthy that he is smart.



"If two negatives make a positive, how come two wrongs don't make a right?"

Word of the Day

Thursday, February 15, 2018

- **Overgeneralization**: to draw too general of a conclusion
- The statement, “In times of crisis, everyone supports the President” is an **overgeneralization**.

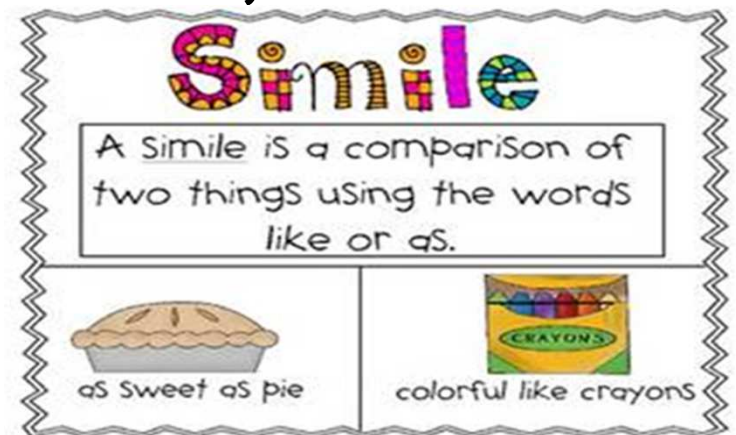


Literature Review

Word of the Day

Friday, February 16, 2018

- **Simile**: a direct comparison of two things using the words 'like' or 'as'.
- My love is **like** a red, red rose.



Word of the Day

Monday, February 19, 2018

- **Passive Voice**: A verb form in which the subject is the recipient of the verb.
- “The ball was thrown by me” is **passive voice** because the ball is not doing something; it’s having something done to it.



Active Voice
You stole the cookie
from the cookie jar.

Passive Voice
The cookie was stolen
from the cookie jar.

Word of the Day

Tuesday, February 20, 2018

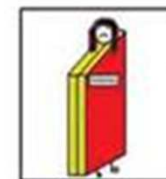
- **Metaphor**: a literally false statement meant to be taken as a comparison between two things.

- Juliet is the sun.

Metaphors

A comparison in which one thing

is said to be another.



Example:

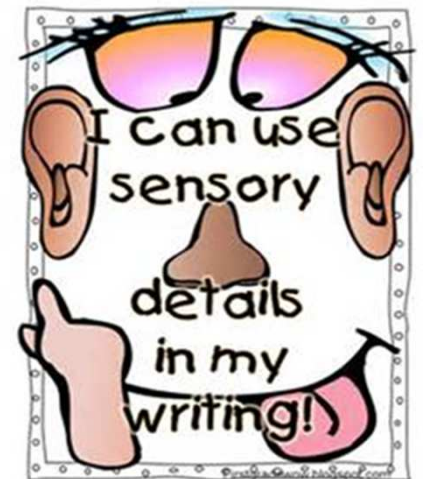


She is a walking dictionary.

Word of the Day

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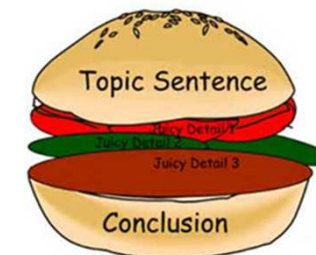
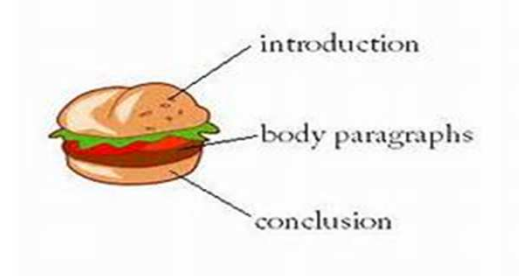
- **Sensory details**: details that appeal to the senses.
- Stories that describe how things look, smell, feel, taste, and sound use **sensory details**.



Word of the Day

Thursday, February 22, 2018

- **Structure**: the arrangement of paragraphs, ideas, or sections in writing; the way an essay is put together.
- Different types of writing have different **structures**; you wouldn't write a story the same way you'd write a persuasive essay.



Word of the Day

Friday, February 23, 2018

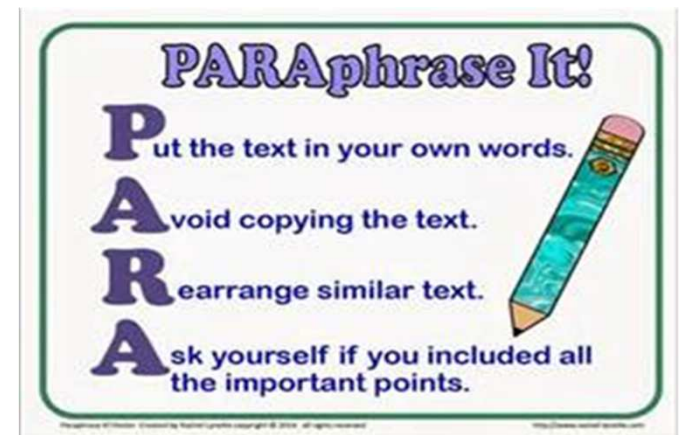
- **Style**: a distinctive way of writing.
- Your writing **style** makes your work unique.



Word of the Day

Monday, February 26, 2018

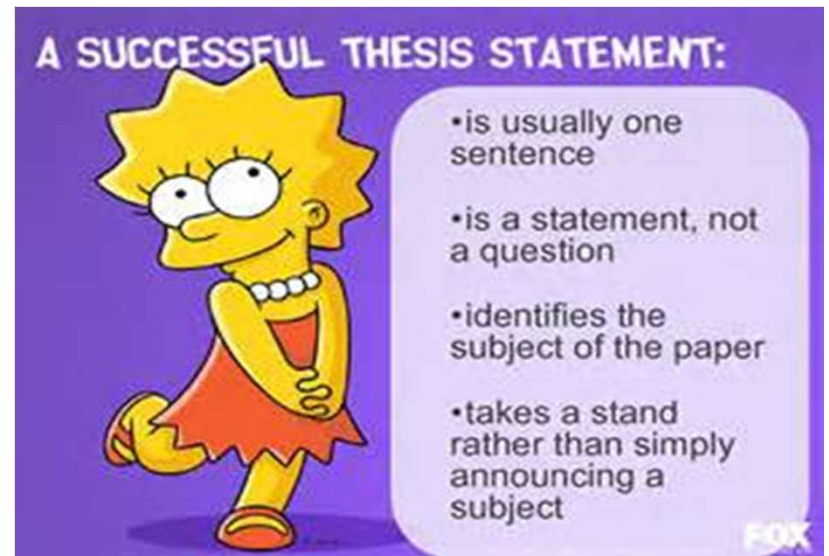
- **Paraphrase**: a restatement of a text that includes the same information as the text
- If you **paraphrase** a 10 page article, you should write more than 1 page!



Word of the Day

Tuesday, February 27, 2018

- **Thesis**: a position that a writer supports in an essay.
- Your job in an **essay** is to support your thesis.



Word of the Day

Wednesday, February 28, 2018

- **Auspicious**—favorable; propitious.
- "The merger of the two companies was an **auspicious** occasion."