

Study guide for *Macbeth* test

Friday, 3/13

You will be provided quotes from the text and you will need to be able to identify the following:

Elements of Tragedy

Characteristics of Tragic Hero

Paradox

Metaphor

Simile

Personification

Dramatic irony

Verbal irony

Blank Verse

Prose

Aside Soliloquy

Iambic Pentameter

Trochaic Tetrameter & Trochaic Trimeter (tetrameter is 4 trochees / trimeter is 3 trochees)

Alliteration

Assonance

Motifs (blood, children, nature, illness, clothes)

Themes (appearance v reality; gender; fate v free will)