**Simile**- a comparison between two things using the words “like” or “as”.

 Ex. The water was as smooth as a stone.

 She was smart like a fox.

**Metaphor-**  a comparison between two thinks without using the words “like” or “as”.

 Ex. The water was a smooth stone.

 The storm was a monster.

**Personification-** giving human qualities to something that is not human.

 Ex. The tree danced in the wind.

 The wind howled.

**Hyperbole-** intentional exaggeration.

 Ex. I am so hungry I could eat a horse.

 She is the worst singer in the entire world.