

# Time by Pink Floyd

Ticking away the moments that make up a dull day  
You fitter and waste the hours in an offhand way.  
Kicking around on a piece of ground in your home town  
Waiting for someone or something to show you the way.

Tired of lying in the sunshine staying home to watch the rain.  
You are young and life is long and there is time to kill today.  
And then one day you find ten years have got behind you.  
No one told you when to run, you missed the starting gun.

So you run and you run to catch up with the sun but it's sinking  
Racing around to come up behind you again.  
The sun is the same in a relative way but you're older,  
Shorter of breath and one day closer to death.

Every year is getting shorter never seem to find the time.  
Plans that either come to naught or half a page of scribbled lines  
Hanging on in quiet desperation is the English way  
The time is gone, the song is over,  
Thought I'd something more to say.

Highlight the stanza upon which you intend to take your notes.

Complete your paraphrase here:

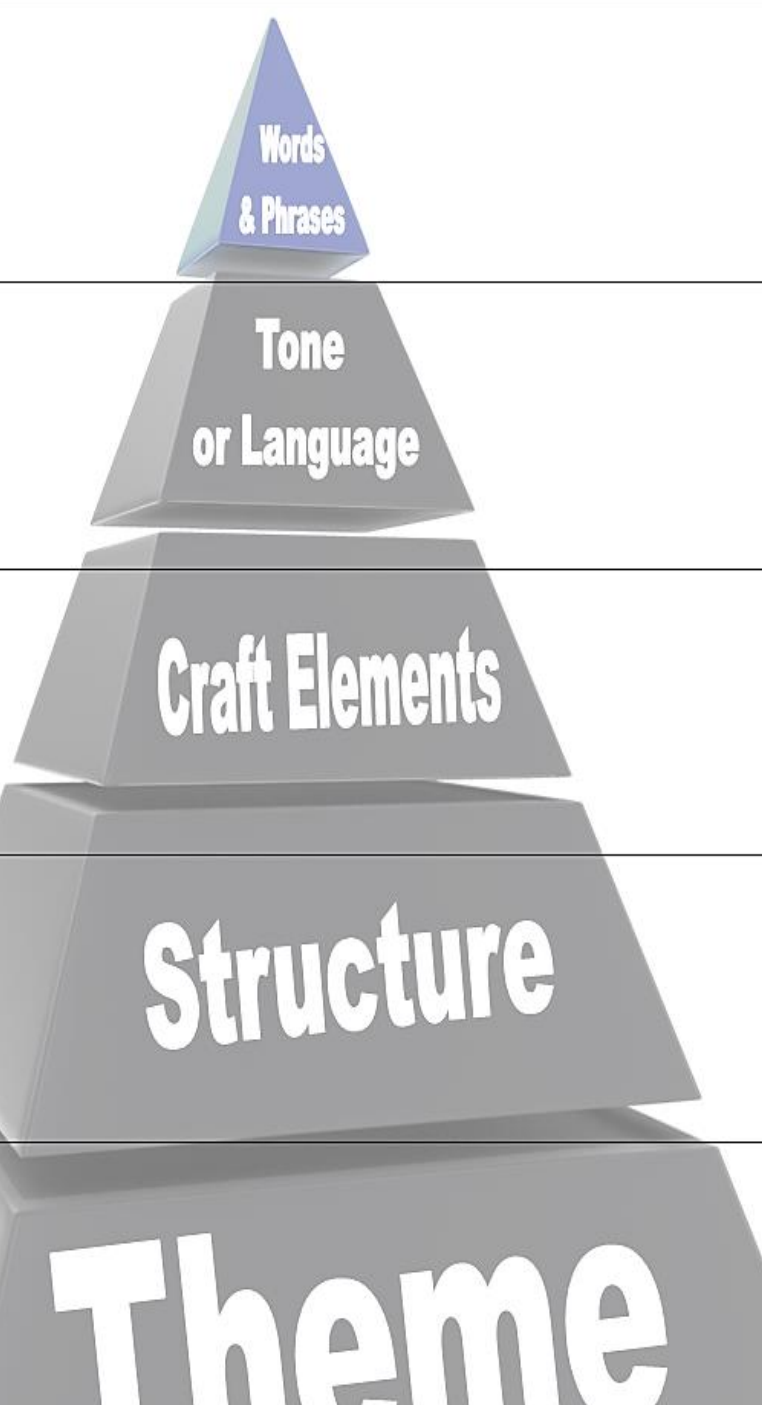
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Title	Analysis Pyramid
<b>Words and Phrases</b>  What words and phrases play an important role in communicating the Author's message? <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The Author uses words like... because....</li><li>Words like... and ...represent the text because...</li><li>These words ad to the text by...</li></ul>	 <p>Words &amp; Phrases</p>
<b>Tone or Language</b>  What is the feeling or attitude communicated through the poem? What language is used to create this feeling? <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The overall tone of the text is</li><li>I know this because</li><li>The author probably chose to use that tone because...</li></ul>	<p>Tone or Language</p>
<b>Craft Elements</b>  What craft elements do you notice that play a role in the author's purpose (figurative language and sound devices)? <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The author uses... because...</li><li>These elements help the reader understand...</li></ul>	<p>Craft Elements</p>
<b>Structure</b>  What structural elements do you notice? (Stanzas, Rhyme Scheme) How are the ideas organized throughout the poem? <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The author organizes the text by...</li><li>I know this because ...</li><li>The author probably organized the text this way because...</li></ul>	<p>Structure</p>
<b>Theme</b>  What is the author's message about life that he/she is sending the audience through this poem? <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The theme of the poem is...</li><li>I know this because...</li><li>The author probably chose to express this theme because...</li></ul>	<p>Theme</p>