**AMERICAN STUDIES**

**Literary Term Vocabulary - First Term**

Directions:  Define each of the following terms.  You should also be able to identify examples of them in literature.  The term final will test definitions as well as examples.

**Alliteration:**

**Allusion:**

**Connotation:**

**Denotation:**

**Figurative Language:**

**Flashback:**

**Foreshadow:**

**Hyperbole:**

**Imagery:**

**Irony:**

**-Dramatic:**

**-Situational:**

**-Verbal:**

**Metaphor:**

**Mood:**

**Motif:**

**Nemesis:**

**Onomatopoeia:**

**Oxymoron:**

**Paradox:**

**Personification:**

**Point of View:**

**-First Person:**

**-Second Person:**

**-Third Person Limited:**

**-Third Person Objective:**

**-Third Person Omniscient:**

**Protagonist:**

**Setting:**

**Simile:**

**Symbol(ism):**

**Theme:**