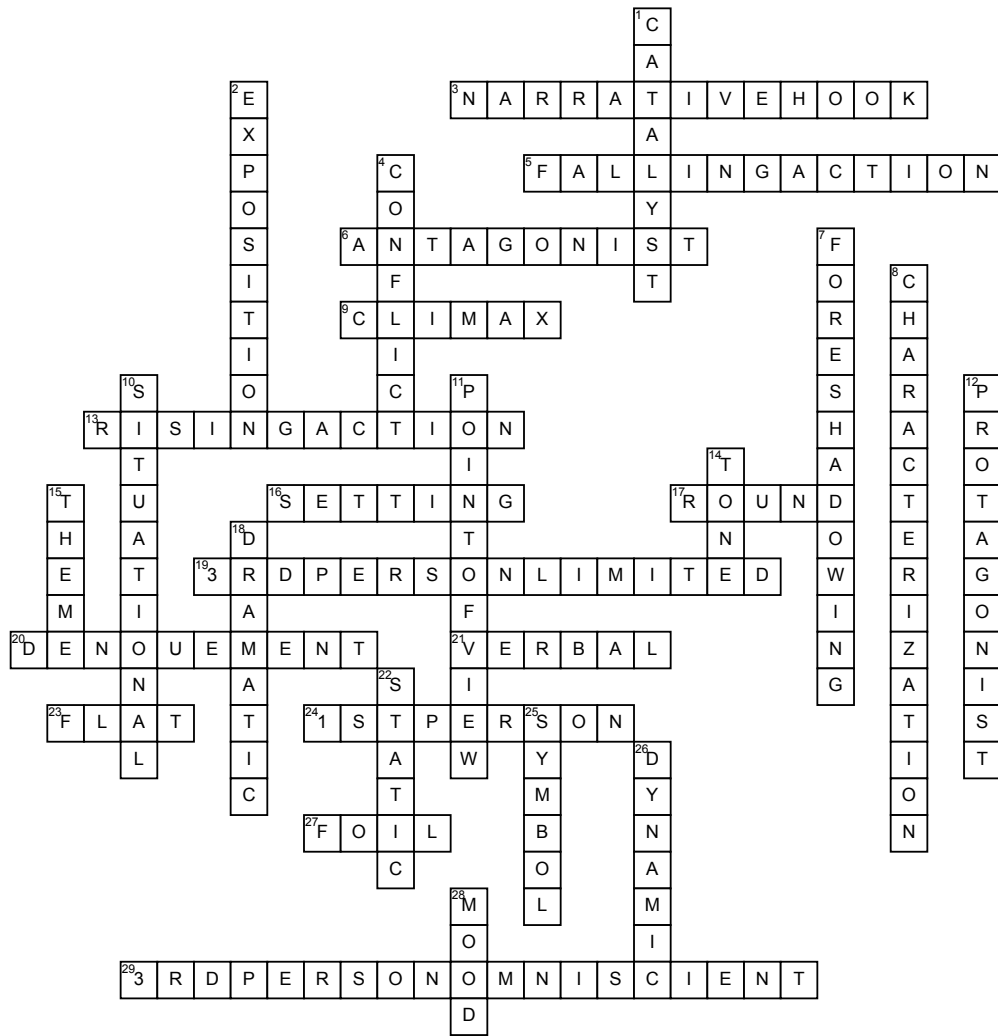


Short Fiction Terms



Across

3. Point where the conflict begins (plot diagram)
5. Point in the story where the conflict starts to get resolved (plot diagram)
6. The character directly against the protagonist
9. High point or turning point in the story (plot diagram)
13. Point where complications begin in the story (plot diagram)
16. The time and place of a story
17. A character who shows a myriad of emotions
19. Narrator is outside the story and has limited knowledge of characters' internal thoughts and conflict (point of view)
20. The end of the story (plot diagram)
21. Saying one thing but meaning another (irony)

23. A character who shows only one or two emotions

24. Character in the story is telling the story (point of view)

27. A character who is the exact opposite of another in traits

29. Narrator is not a character in the story but knows thoughts/emotions of all characters

Down

1. A character who triggers events

2. Point in the plot where the setting and characters are introduced (plot diagram)

4. Problem that arises within the story between one or more individuals or things

7. Hints that something is going to happen

8. The author reveals either directly or indirectly qualities and actions that help the reader learn about the characters

10. An event occurs that was not expected (irony)

11. The perspective from which the story is told

12. The main character of the story

14. The emotion the author conveys about the subject matter he/she is writing about

15. The implied, unwritten message by the author; usually having to do with the need for social change

18. When the reader or audience knows something that the characters do not (irony)

22. A character who does not change

25. That which stands for more than itself

26. A character who changes as a result of the events in the story

28. An emotion the reader feels from the literature

Word Bank

Conflict
1st Person
Theme
Narrative Hook
Catalyst
Point of View

Static
Tone
Antagonist
3rd Person Omniscient
Characterization
Denouement

Protagonist
Dramatic
Foreshadowing
Round
Flat
3rd Person Limited

Climax
Foil
Mood
Falling Action
Verbal
Situational

Rising Action
Exposition
Dynamic
Symbol
Setting