**Irony and Satire**

**What is irony?**

* **Irony** is about **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
* **Irony:** the opposite of what is **expected**.
* 3 kinds of **irony** 
  + **Dramatic**
  + **Situational**
  + **Verbal**

**Dramatic Irony**

* **When the reader understands \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about the events of a story than a character.**
  + *You know something that a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ doesn’t.*
* **Example**
  + Tim’s parents are proud of the “A” he got on the test, but we know he cheated.
  + Alex writes a love poem to Judy but we know that Judy loves Devin

**Situational Irony**

* **When what actually happens is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of what is expected.**
  + *Something about the situation is completely unexpected.*
* **Example**
  + A couple appears in court to finalize a divorce, but during the proceeding, they remarry instead.

**Verbal Irony**

* **A character says one thing but \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the opposite**
* Closely related to ***\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*** or being ***sarcastic*.**
* **Examples**
  + The locker room smells really good.
  + Awesome! Another homework packet!
  + I’m really excited to mark another 80 paragraphs!

**Sarcasm vs. Verbal Irony**

* The terms **sarcasm** and **irony** are often used interchangeably, but there is a semantic difference.
* **Sarcasm** is meant to *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or cause harm*.
* Ex.
  + “Great, I forgot my umbrella” is ironic.
  + “You call this a cup of coffee?” is sarcastic.

**Let's Review**

* **Something that is ironic is unexpected.**
* If unexpected by a **character**, it’s **dramatic**.
* If unexpected by **everyone**, it’s **situational**.
* If it’s the opposite of the intended message, it’s **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**.

**Satire**

* Satire:
  + Making fun of something with a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Often uses: **sarcasm**, **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**, or **wit** to ridicule or mock.

**Satirical Devices**

* Exaggeration
  + Hyperbole
  + Understatement
* Irony
* Parody