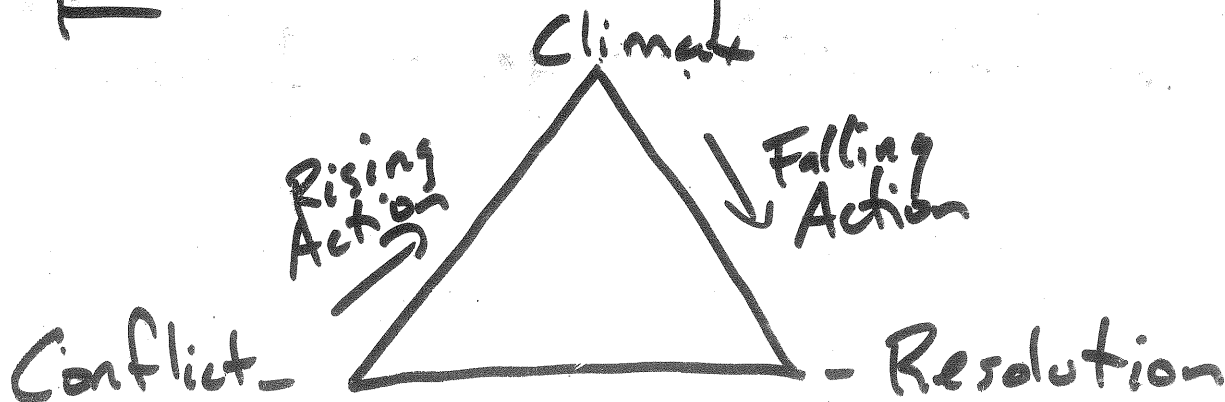


Literary Terms

- Symbolism - when an object, person, place or idea comes to represent a larger idea
- metaphor - when one idea represents another
- foreshadowing - when the author hints at a possible future event in a story
- theme - the big ideas in a story or text
- irony - when the opposite of what is supposed to happen, actually does happen
- setting - the time and place of a story
- plot - the ordering of events in a story



conflict - the main problem a character faces in a story

internal → the character is fighting something within him/herself, like fear, arrogance or jealousy

external → the character is fighting something outside him/herself, like nature, another character or war

resolution - the solution to the conflict

characterization - the way an author develops a character, the traits he or she has

mood - the feeling you get from a piece of writing.

imagery - the details of a story that appeal to your five senses