

Name _____ **Consonance**

Recognizing Consonance



Consonance is the repetition of similar consonant sounds close together within a word, phrase or sentence. The words have to be close together in order for the repetition to be noticeable. While alliteration is the repetition of the *first* letter of each word, consonance can appear anywhere within a word, and often appears at the end.

DIRECTIONS: As you read, be on the lookout for assonance. When you find an example of assonance, write it in a box. Try to find six examples.

Example #1

Example #2

Example #3

Example #4

EXAMPLE #5

Example #6