

- ① Using language and particularly stylistic devices have a huge impact on the readers and listeners for what reason the language use has always a specific function.

The lecture by Adichie includes specific language use and stylistic devices which you are going to analyse.

Please focus on the language aspects below.

**register** : informal or formal language

**choice of words** : use of adjectives or adverbs; nouns etc.

**use of native words** : does she use Nigerian languages?

**repetition** : single words or phrases appear several times

**understatement**: figure of speech used to intentionally make a situation seem less important than it is.

**example** : a way of helping someone to understand a topic or situation in a better way.

**contrast** : creating a strong effect by connecting two opposing extremes

**humor** : a literary tool to create amusement or laughter to the audience.