

The Nun's Priest's Tale

Key things to consider when reading

- What this tells us about medieval life?
- What this tells us about the concerns of medieval people?
- The Nun's Priest tells the tale (direct contrast to the direct speech of the prologue), yet the characters are distinct. How is this achieved?
- When is it the Nun's Priest, Chaucer or one of the characters speaking?
- Tone between sections of poetry
- Whether or not features of the monologue could apply
- Other technical features – Alliteration
Onomatopoeia
Assonance
Simile
Metaphor
- Grammatical features of the lines – Punctuation
Word order
Double/triple negatives

**Annotate
your text for
the exam!!**

