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Definition

There is agreement between the sounds of the words and their meanings. For example, words with soft sounds are used to convey a soft or delicate tone. Conversely, words with harsh sounds are used to convey a harsh tone.^[1]

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