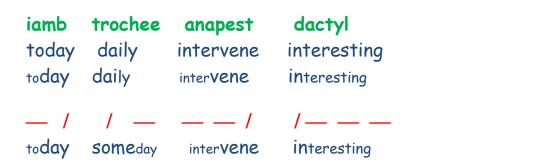
Scansion is marking the rhythm of a poem and Accent in poetry means whether a syllable is stressed or said with more force than another.

Strange New Words

For *unaccented* (unstressed) syllables, we use a or or — For *accented* (stressed) syllables, we use /



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An example of an iamb is the word today

Tetrameter means "measure of four"

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Rhyme or Rime scheme

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To stop without a farmhouse near	В
Between the woods and frozen lake	C
The darkest evening of the year.	В
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