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- _____ 8. The stormy ocean was a raging bull.
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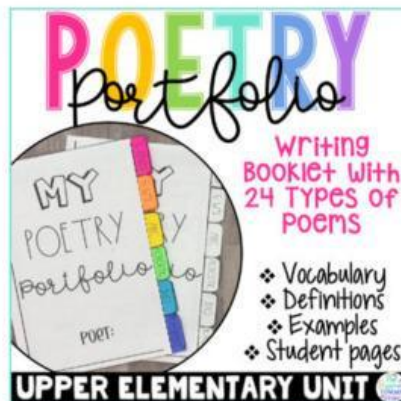
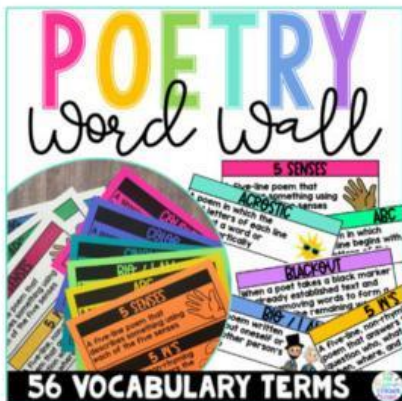
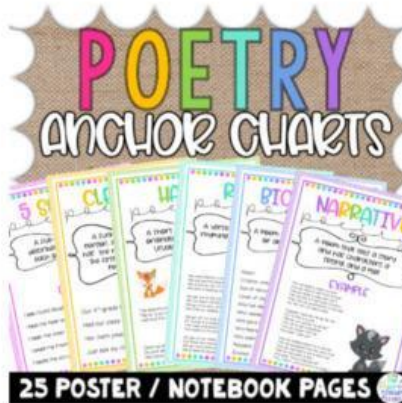
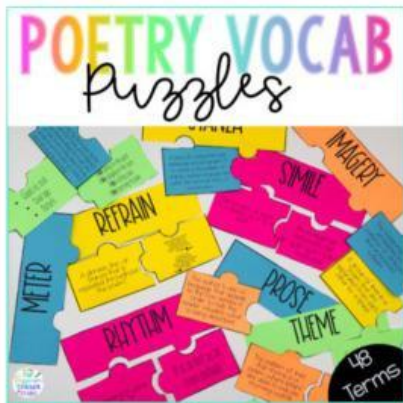
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