



What is poetry?

I. look at the following video and answer the questions below about the poem.
Veo el siguientes video y contesto las preguntas de abajo acerca del poema.

Watch the following Poem:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zyOAKLC7fPc>

1. Look at the list of words. What is happening? How is each character if feeling? Write them in each column.

LITTLE GIRL	RANG-TAN	ANXIOUS	CALM
		HAPPY	LOUD
		SHOCKED	EXCITED
		WORRIED	
		CURIOS	
		CONFUSED	
		SCARED	

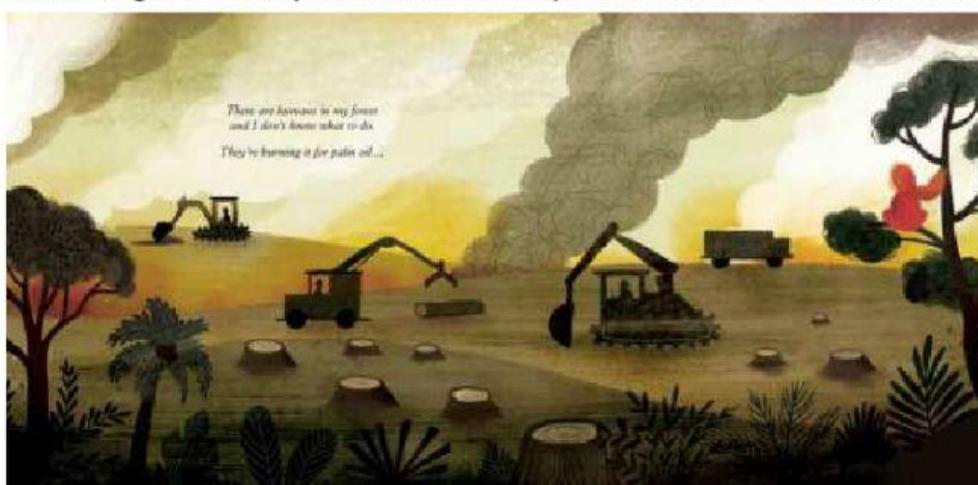
2. Orangutans aren't the only animals whose homes are being destroyed by companies who are choosing not to use responsibly grown palm oil. Can you see any other animals in the illustration that are running away from the diggers? Write the names.



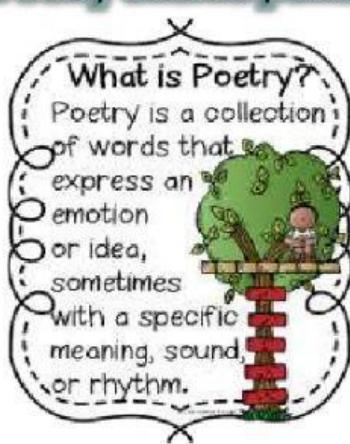


3. What sort of message do you think this poem might have? Why?

4. Do you know that: *Unfortunately, lots of orangutans are losing their homes because humans want to grow more palm trees for the production of PALM OIL. To do this they are choosing to tear down some parts of the rainforest, rather than growing it responsibly.* Look at the following picture and describe it. How do you think the orangutan is feeling? Explain your answer with a paragraph. Include a main idea and underline it.



Let's learn about Poetry and its parts



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6R49IH6Id3c>

1. Stanza and Line

Line: A line of poetry is not like a sentence. Just because the words are one line, it doesn't mean that the complete thought is finished.

When reading poetry, and you reach the end of the line and there is no punctuation after the last word, do not pause – continue reading as you would any sentence.

Stanza: is one of the divisions of a poem composed of two or more lines usually characterized by a common pattern of meter, rhyme, and number of lines.

Stanzas name according the number of lines:

- Monostich: 1 line stanza
- Couple: 2 Lines
- Tercet: 3 lines
- Quatrain: 4 lines
- Quintain: 5 lines
- Sestet: 6 lines
- Septet: 7 lines
- Octave: 8 lines

II. Read each poem and write the corresponding type of stanza. Leo cada poema y escribo el tipo de estrofa.

1. Silly Sally

When Silly Sally irons her clothes, they come out looking awful.
She did not read the label and her iron was meant to waffle.



2. Slicing Salami

The strangest strange stranger I've met in my life
was the man who made use of his nose as a knife.
was the man who made use of his nose as a knife.
He's slice up salami, tomatoes and cheese
at the tip of his nose with phenomenal ease



3. He'd buy food in bulk at incredible prices and then use his nose to reduce it to slices.

His wife ran away and I know that he'll miss her.
The woman was frightened that one day he'd kiss her!

by Denise Rodgers



4. Goose and Moose

It's hard to tell just what a goose
will have in common with a moose.
Or better yet, just what three geese
will have in common with three meese.
(Is that the plural for a mouse?
Is grice the plural for three grouse?)
I'll say this once, I'll say this thrice,
the plural for a moose is mice,
or plural for three mice is meeses.
I think that I may fall to pieces.
I feel my dizzy state increase
about the mice, the grice and geese.

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III. In the following poem From Above, Write its parts: Stanza and Line. How many stanzas and lines does it have?

En el siguiente poema From Above, escribe las partes: estrofa y línea. Cuantas estrofas y líneas tiene?

Stanza

Línea

From Above

What do I care if the trees are bare
And the hills are dark
And the skies are gray.

What do I care for chill in the air
For crows that cark
At the rough wind's way.

What do I care for the dead leaves there--
Or the sullen road
By the sullen wood.

There's heart in my heart
To bear my load!
So enough, the day is good!

It has: _____ stanzas.

It has: _____ lines each stanza.