

DIAMANTE

A diamante poem is a poem written about two opposites.

It uses very specific parts of speech.

Diamante is an Italian word for diamond, so the poem is written in a diamond shape.



Rules:

1. Pick two opposites. Write one word on line 1 and the opposite word on line 7.
2. Use 2 ADJ to describe the word on line 1.
3. Use 3 VERBS (ending in "ed" or "ing") to describe the word on line 1.
4. Use 4 words to describe both line 1 & line 7 - or 2 words about line 1 & 2 words about line 7.
5. Use 3 VERBS (ending in "ed" or "ing") to describe the word on line 7.
6. Use 2 ADJ to describe the word on line 7.
7. Line 7 should have the opposite word of line 1.