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ENGLISH 10A FINAL 24-25

Poetry

1A: Observational Poem

Choose an image to observe using your 3 senses. It is important to include your what, where, why, or how for each line. Example: I *hear* (*senses*) wings flapping *in the air* (*where*). I *hear* wings fluttering *back and forth* (*how*).



1B. Acrostic Poem:

The ONE word, POEM, POET, POETRY.

Write an acrostic poem using that word. Each line must relate to the word's meaning. You must write in complete sentences.

Example: **P**oems speak when words feel stuck.

1. A "sentence" or single phrase in a poem is called:
- Stanza
 - Line
 - Haiku
 - Couplet

Match the word to the correct definition.

Lyrical Poetry	Free Verse Poetry	Speaker	Poet
Rhyme	Stanza	Repetition	Poetry

2. This is the person who writes the poem or the "author" of the poem. The person is not always the speaker of the poem.
- a. _____
3. Creation of words together in an interesting way to create feelings, form a mental picture and tell stories.
- a. _____
4. This is a group of lines in a poem, separated by space from other groups of lines. It is like a paragraph.
- a. _____
5. A poem is told and read from this person's point of view. This is NOT always the same as the author.
- a. _____
6. This type of poetry does not follow any patterns or rules. It usually does not have any rhyming words.
- a. _____
7. Two or more words that sound the same. They are usually at the end of a line in a poem.
- a. _____
8. This is a type of poetry that is usually about feelings and moods and sometimes can be looked at as a song.
- a. _____
9. Sounds, phrases, and words that are used more than once in a poem.
- a. _____

Connotation/Denotation

Choose the most appropriate word(s) that can be inserted in the blank.

11. Everyone in the office respects Casey because of her kind but _____ attitude.

- A. Assertive B. Bossy C. Demanding

12. "Well," said Curtis with an embarrassed smile, "I'm looking for _____ car."

- A. a cut-rate B. a cheaper C. a more economical

13. "Here's a scholarship that you might qualify for," said Mike's advisor. "It's for people who are _____."

- A. underprivileged B. Poor C. Poverty-stricken

14. Daniel's doctor said, "I recommend a low-fat, low-carbohydrate diet because you are becoming _____."

- A. Fat B. Large C. Overweight

Write a word that has similar dictionary meanings but different shades of feeling.

15. Inactive Positive: _____ Negative: _____

16. Shy Positive: _____ Negative: _____

17. Funny Positive: _____ Negative: _____

18. Old Positive: _____ Negative: _____

19. Reserved Positive: _____ Negative: _____

Figurative Language

"miss rosie" by Lucille Clifton

when i watch you

wrapped up like garbage

sitting, surrounded by the smell

of too old potato peels

Or

when i watch you

in your old man's shoes

with the little toe cut out

sitting, waiting for your mind

like next week's grocery

i say

when i watch you

you wet brown bag of a woman

who used to be the best looking gal

in Georgia

used to be called the Georgia Rose

i stand up

through your destruction

i stand up

Explain the 2 underlined simile statements.

20a.

b.

Directions: Read each personified statement and respond to the questions. *Being personified: what thing is being given a human characteristic or trait?*

21. "The wintry rustle of dead leaves falling,
The whispering wind through the matted glen;"

What is being personified? _____

Which human trait or quality is given? _____

22. The air is filled as she passes through
With a subtle, sad perfume.

What is being personified? _____

Which human trait or quality is given? _____

Essential Questions: choose a different question

Directions: Answer the following questions with 3-5 sentences and details from your own poems.

23. How can poetry help us say and understand things about life, feelings, and people that regular words don't capture?

24. How does the way a poem is written—its shape, style, or structure—change the way we read and feel it?

Vocabulary:

Directions: Create 1 correct sentence and 1 incorrect sentence using your **Week 6** vocabulary words.

cohere

25 a. _____

b. _____

collaborate

26 a. _____

b. _____

comply

27 a. _____

b. _____

concurrent

28 a. _____

b. _____

Directions: Fill in the blank with the correct **Week 10** vocabulary word for its synonym.

Dormant	Egocentric	Elusive	Emulate
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29. Conceited, individualist, self-concerned:

30. Shifty, deceitful, sketchy:

31. Do, follow, copy:

32. Inactive, slack, out of action:
