

Options EHS Poetry		Scope and Sequence
Unit	Lesson	Objectives
Poetic Elements		
Comparing Poetry: Poetic Devices		
		Examine poetic structure.
		Compare and contrast the use of sound devices in poetry.
		Analyze how a poet creates mood.
Graphical and Structural Elements in Poetry		
		Identify structural and graphical elements of a poem.
		Analyze the effects of structural and graphical elements on the tone of a poem.
		Analyze the effects of structural and graphical elements on the meaning of a poem.
Parts of Speech: Gerunds, Participles, and Infinitives		
		Recognize gerunds, participles, and infinitives.
		Use gerunds, participles, and infinitives correctly.
		Identify the function of phrases within a sentence.
Poetic Form in “I Am Offering This Poem To You”		
		Analyze poetic form.
		Examine poetic devices and their connection to form.
		Interpret the use of literary devices in a poem and how they help to convey theme.
Rhyme Scheme and Rhythm in a Sonnet by William Shakespeare		
		Explore the history and structure of a Shakespearean sonnet.
		Analyze the rhyme scheme of a sonnet.
		Identify the meter of a sonnet.

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Meaning and Central Ideas		
	Analyzing Layers of Meaning in Poetry	
		Analyze word choice and symbols in poetry.
		Analyze figurative language in poetry.
		Analyze layers of meaning and ambiguity in poetry.
	Analyzing Figurative Language and Structure in Poetry	
		Analyze the use of figurative language in poetry.
		Analyze how form and structural elements affect meaning in poetry.
		Analyze how symbolism contributes to meaning in a literary text.
	Analyzing Imagery and Sound in Poetry	
		Analyze the use of imagery in poetry.
		Analyze the use of sound elements in poetry.
	Reality and Cynicism in Poetry	
		Analyze how an author uses irony to emphasize an idea and convey a message.
		Make inferences about the theme of a naturalist poem.
		Compare and contrast themes in poems by different authors.
	Pursuing the Dream as a Central Idea in Poetry	
		Identify figurative language
		Determine the central idea of a poem
		Compare the messages of two different poems
	Word Choice and Extended Metaphor in a Poem by Maya Angelou	

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		Interpret the use of literal, figurative, and connotative meaning in poetry.
		Interpret the use of extended metaphor.
		Analyze the tone of a poem.
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Romance and Identity Poetry		
	Introduction to Romanticism	
		Recognize the characteristics of the Romantic period.
		Analyze the impact of word choice on a poem's meaning and tone.
		Evaluate sound devices in poetry.
	Haiku and Romantic Poetry	
		Recognize structural elements and motifs in haiku poetry.
		Determine the mood of a poem.
		Compare and contrast two poetic forms.
	Themes in the Poetry of Keats	
		Analyze the impact of word choice on meaning and tone.
		Determine a theme.
		Compare two texts with related themes.
	Fireside Poets	
		Interpret a poet's word choice and use of sensory language.
		Analyze the structure of a poem.
		Compare and contrast two nineteenth-century poems.

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	The Poetry of Identity	
		Determine the central idea of a poem
		Identify figurative language
		Analyze the impact of figurative language on the ideas of a poem
	"Mutability" and "A Defence of Poetry" by Percy Bysshe Shelley	
		Determine central ideas and supporting details in a text.
		Analyze the way ideas are expressed in a romantic poem.
		Make connections between a romantic poem and a nonfiction text.
	Latina Poetry as an Expression of Cultural Heritage	
		Analyze word choice in poetry and its impact on tone.
		Cite examples of sensory imagery in a poem.
		Evaluate the role of the speaker in poetry.
	Female Colonial Poetry	
		Analyze the author's choice of words and how they are used in context.
		Analyze the rhyme scheme in a poem.
		Compare and contrast themes of two texts.
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Classic Poets		
	Poetry of Langston Hughes	
		Analyze the rhythm and repetition in a poem.
		Make observations about the role of the speaker in a poem.
		Compare and contrast the imagery, sensory details, and themes in two poems by the

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		same author.
	Robert Frost's Poetry	
		Assess form, rhythm, and content in a blank verse poem.
		Distinguish between a poem's speaker and the author's point of view.
		Contrast a poet's views on poetry with those of his contemporaries.
	Chance and Choice: Robert Frost's "The Road Not Taken"	
		Analyze tone in a poem
		Explore theme in a poem
		Analyze an extended metaphor in a poem
	Content and Style in Emily Dickinson's Poems	
		Interpret the use of figurative language in poetry.
		Examine how the denotation and connotation of words affect tone and mood.
		Analyze how a poem reflects an author's style.
	Themes in the Poetry of Keats	
		Analyze the impact of word choice on meaning and tone.
		Determine a theme.
		Compare two texts with related themes.
	Walt Whitman's "Song of Myself"	
		Analyze the effect of free verse structure.
		Analyze how word choice and tone contribute to the voice of a poem.
		Make inferences about the themes of a poem.
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Epic Poetry, Dramatic Monologue and Beat Poetry		
Part 1: Epic Poetry: Gilgamesh		Identify features of epic poetry.
		Analyze the impact of features of an epic on plot.
		Evaluate the structure of an epic.
Part 2: Epic Hero: Gilgamesh		Identify characteristics of an epic hero and cite evidence from the text.
		Determine themes.
		Recognize interactions between themes within a text.
Part 3: Writing to Analyze the Epic Hero in Gilgamesh		Form conclusions about a character.
		Paraphrase evidence from the text to support conclusions.
		Organize writing according to purpose.
Dramatic Monologue and Stream of Consciousness in Poetry		Examine how dramatic monologue is used as a technique in a poem.
		Analyze how an author uses stream of consciousness to develop the style of a speaker.
		Cite examples of allusions in a poem.
Beat Poetry		Analyze a free verse poem.
		Analyze an author's choices in structuring a poem.
		Cite examples of allusion to convey and reinforce meaning.
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Examining Style		
Word Choice and Structure in "The Turtle"		Examine the elements of poetry
		Analyze the effect of word choice in a poem
		Determine the theme of a poem
Structure and Culture in "Twelfth Song of the Thunder"		Analyze the impact of repetition in poetry
		Use historical interpretations to strengthen your understanding of a poem
		Explore how elements of Navajo culture are reflected in their poetry
Meta Poetry: Poetry about Poetry		Determine and reflect on themes expressed in a modernist poem.
		Analyze different forms of poetry.
		Clarify word meanings using a variety of strategies.
Imagism: A New Order in Poetry		Identify features and patterns in imagist poetry.
		Analyze how a poet uses imagery to express ideas and create emotion.
		Evaluate the author's intent in a text.
Analyzing Layers of Meaning in Poetry		Analyze word choice and symbols in poetry.
		Analyze figurative language in poetry.
		Analyze layers of meaning and ambiguity in poetry.
Style in Poems by Rabindranath Tagore		

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		Identify features of lyric poetry.
		Identify and analyze figurative language and imagery.
		Analyze the effects of apostrophe on an author's style.
	Sound and Structure in Poems by Dylan Thomas and W. B. Yeats	
		Identify and analyze rhyme and meter.
		Analyze refrains and parallelism in poems.
		Identify and compare themes in two poems that treat similar topics.
	Analyzing Ekphrastic Poetry	
		Analyze art as a visual text.
		Analyze a poem's treatment of a subject.
		Compare and contrast the treatment of the same subject in two poems.
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Cumulative Exam		
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