

## Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will be able to write a creative and expressive poem.

## Materials and Prep

- Paper
- Pencil or pen
- No specific prior knowledge required

## Activities

1. Brainstorming: Start by brainstorming ideas for your poem. Think about topics or themes that inspire you or emotions you want to convey.
2. Choose a structure: Decide on the structure of your poem. Will it be a sonnet, a haiku, or a free verse? Research different types of poems to help you decide.
3. Writing the poem: Start writing your poem using the structure you have chosen. Let your creativity flow and don't worry about making it perfect right away.
4. Revision and editing: Once you have finished writing your poem, read it aloud and make any necessary revisions. Pay attention to the flow, rhythm, and overall impact of your words.
5. Sharing your poem: Share your poem with someone you trust, like a family member or a friend. Listen to their feedback and make any final adjustments if needed.

## Talking Points

- "Poetry is a beautiful way to express your thoughts and emotions. It allows you to play with words and create something unique."
- "When brainstorming, think about things that inspire you, moments that made you feel a certain way, or things you are passionate about."
- "Choosing a structure for your poem can help guide your writing and give it a specific form. It's like building a framework for your words."
- "Don't worry about making your poem perfect on the first try. Writing is a process, and you can always revise and improve your work later."
- "Reading your poem aloud can help you identify areas that may need improvement. Listen to the rhythm and flow of your words."
- "Sharing your poem with others can be a rewarding experience. It allows you to connect with others through your words and receive valuable feedback."