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Poetry Pack



Included in this Poetry Pack:

1. **One-Page Poem** - Laminate or slip into a plastic sleeve protector.
2. **Poetry Notebook Copies**- Copy this page and cut on the line. Students can use this smaller size poem to paste into a poetry notebook.
3. **Pocket Chart Poetry Strips**- Use these strips in a pocket chart to re-build the poem together or use as an independent activity once students know the poem well.
4. **Read and Illustrate** the poem (1-pg)
5. **Cut and Glue Poetry**- Students cut apart the lines of the poetry, put them in the correct order then glue them down.
6. **Rhyming Words**- First, brainstorm a list of words that rhyme with each picture (some words are included as well as blank cards for a pocket chart). You may even work on spelling some of the rhyming words together. Ask the child to pick a few words that rhyme with each word from the poem. They can illustrate and write the rhyming words. It is fun to re-read the poem, inserting some of their rhyming words instead of the original words!
7. **Poetry Activity Cards**- These are activity ideas and ways kids can interact and learn with the poem. Pick and choose just a few with each poem. Once kids are familiar with how to do them, they can do it with independence. I've also included blank cards so you can create your own activities.

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Good-bye, Winter!

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Spring is in the air.

Flowers are in bloom.

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In branches way up high.

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Woke me up *again*...sigh!



-by Becky Spence

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Read the poem. Draw what you see in your head. Share with someone else. Compare your pictures.

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Cut out each line of the poem. Glue them down in the correct order. Read it to someone.

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Glue the poem down in the correct order. Read it to someone.

A large rectangular area with a dashed border, divided into eight horizontal sections by dashed lines, intended for pasting a poem.

air

where

fair

lair

hair

tear

pair

bear

stair

wear

stare

care

dare

hare

hare

bare

stare

high

sigh

thigh

tie

pie

die

lie

cry

dry

fly

why

try

by

buy

fry

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Can you think of more words that rhyme? Draw pictures or write words that rhyme with these words from the poem.

air

high

Find all the
words that have
_____ in
them.

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Find words from
the word wall.
Circle them.

Underline the
words that
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describing words
in the poem.

Draw a picture
to go with the
poem.

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Read both poems.
How are they
the same or
different?

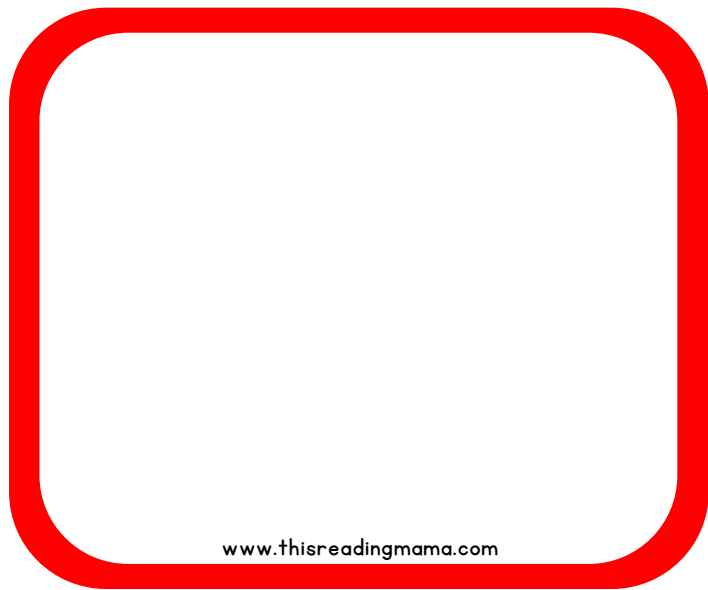
Find all the words
with the vowel
pattern of

_____.

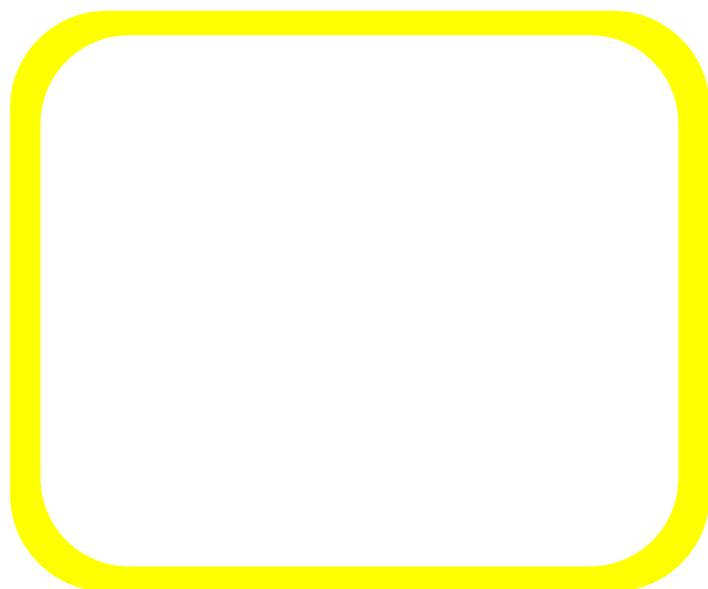
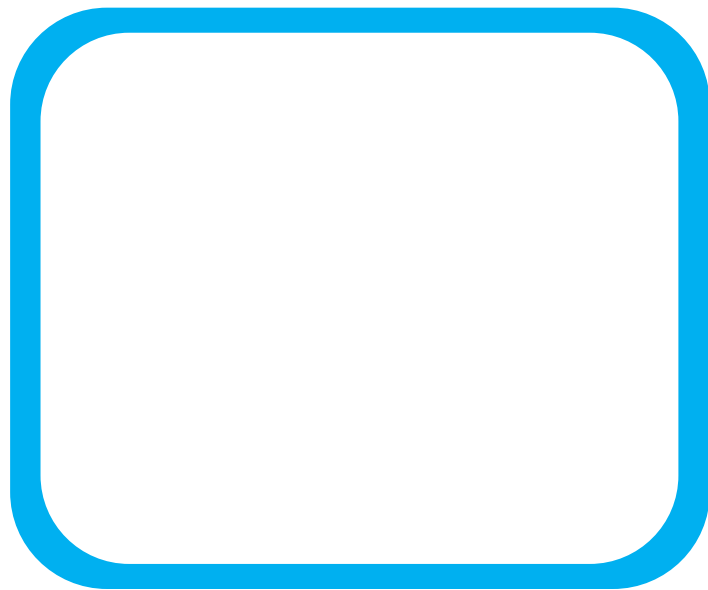
Copy the poem
in your Poetry
Notebook.

What is your
favorite part of
the poem?

Rebuild the poem
in order.



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YOU MIGHT ALSO LIKE:



A collage of images showing children engaged in poetry activities. One child is writing on a sign that says "Apples, apples Apples for me." Another child is holding a sign that says "Out my wi... toe". A third child is writing on a sign that says "My fat orange pumpkin Oh, I can see Grow on a vine If an orange". A fourth child is writing on a sign that says "The 20th-Century Children's Poetry". The text "free POEMS FOR KIDS" is overlaid in large, bold letters. The website "www.thisreadingmama.com" is at the bottom.

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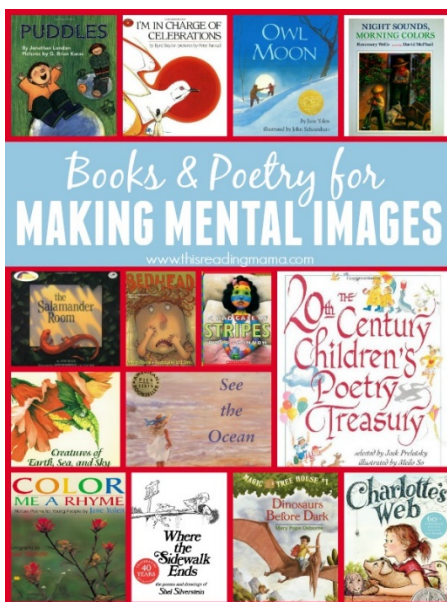
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6 Ways to Use Poetry with Kids



A stack of children's poetry books. The top book is "The New Kid on the BLOCK" by Jason Reynolds. Below it is "Where the Sidewalk Ends" by Shel Silverstein. Below that is "FOR LAUGHING OUT LOUD". At the bottom is "The 20th-Century Children's Poetry". The website "www.thisreadingmama.com" is at the bottom.

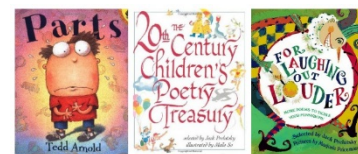
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A grid of children's books and poetry. The top row includes "PUDDLES", "I'M IN CHARGE OF CELEBRATIONS", "OWL MOON", and "NIGHT SOUNDS, MORNING COLORS". The middle section is titled "Books & Poetry for MAKING MENTAL IMAGES" with the website "www.thisreadingmama.com". The bottom row includes "The Salamander Year", "See the Ocean", "The 20th-Century Children's Poetry Treasury", "Creatures of Earth, Sea, and Sky", "COLOR ME A RHYME", "Where the Sidewalk Ends", "Dinosaurs Before Dark", and "Charlotte's Web".

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