

## Session 1

Recently, we have been exploring a range of poems. Today you are going to choose a theme and create your own poem (example, sports - football, family, school life, holiday and special events). There are a range of features that you can include. Read below.

### Features

- Metaphors
- Similes
- Rhyme
- Onomatopoeia
- Alliteration
- Repetition
- Imagery
- personification

**Here are some examples to inspire you!**



### A Limerick

There was a young girl on a tower  
Who looked just as fresh as a flower.  
Her hair was like silk,  
Her skin smooth as milk,  
But her breath made the strongest knight cower.

\_ Author Unknown



### Dreams

Langston Hughes, 1902 - 1967

Hold fast to dreams  
For if dreams die  
Life is a broken-winged bird  
That cannot fly.

Hold fast to dreams  
For when dreams go  
Life is a barren field  
Frozen with snow.

