Poetry Project

General Information: After learning the guidelines to nine different kinds of poetry (acrostic, bio-poem, haiku, couplet, concrete, narrative, free verse, cinquain and diamante) students will create a “Poetry Project” in class and at home. Below are the guidelines for this project. Please read the directions carefully.

o **Cover** – creative title, colorful, and has the student’s first and last name, and block number.

o **Table of contents** – page numbers, type of poem and poems title (Example: Page 2, Haiku, Rainbows)

o **One Acrostic Poem**

o **One Bio-Poem**

o **One Haiku Poem**

o **One Couplet Poem**

o **One Cinquain Poem**

o **One Diamante Poem**

o **One Limerick Poem**

o **One Concrete Poem**

o **One Narrative Poem**

o **One Free Verse Poem**

o “**Famous” Poem** – students will pick a poem from a poetry book or from a poetry website and copy the poem into their poetry project. BE SURE TO WRITE THE TITLE, AUTHOR, AND WHERE YOU FOUND THIS POEM!!

o **One extra** – students will add one more poem of their choice. No Rules! 

**The Poetry Project is due on March 4, 2020**

EXTRA INFORMATION:

* Each page must have a creative and colorful picture to go along  with it. Students may hand-draw their pictures or they may cut out pictures from magazines/newspapers/clip-art and bring them in to add to their project. We will not have time in class to search for pictures. This must be done at home.
* Most of the “poetry project” will be done in class. Students who do not finish their work in class may be asked to work on this project at home.
* Attached is a scoring rubric so students can see how they will be graded. \*\*PLEASE KEEP THIS RUBRIC AND TURN IT IN BEFORE PRESENTING YOUR POETRY PROJECT\*\*
* HAVE FUN!!! 
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Poetry Project Rubric

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_/5 – Cover: creative, neat and colorful

\_\_/5 – Table of Contents – page numbers, poem type and poem name

\_\_/65 – 10 Poems (1 Haiku, 1 Bio-Poem, 1 Acrostic, 1 Cinquain, 1 Diamante, 1 Couplet, 1 Limericks, 1 Narrative, 1 Concrete, 1 Free Verse): poem guidelines were followed

\_\_/10 – 2 Poems - Famous Poem and one extra poem

\_\_/15 – Illustrations - one illustration for each poem

\_\_\_/100 TOTAL POINTS