



# Poetry Elements

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

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Grade: Grade 4

## Part A: Fix the Sentence

Each sentence has an error. Rewrite it correctly on the line.

1. Fix the sentence: A verse is the title at the top of a poem.

Rewrite: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Fix the sentence: Onomatopoeia means a long, fancy poem.

Rewrite: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Fix the sentence: Repetition is when a poem never repeats any words.

Rewrite: \_\_\_\_\_

## Part B: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. A word that imitates a sound, like buzz or hiss, is an example of \_\_\_\_\_ .
2. When a poet repeats a word or line for effect, this is called \_\_\_\_\_ .
3. A short poem about love or feelings often uses many lines of \_\_\_\_\_ .
4. If a stanza has four lines, then we count exactly \_\_\_\_\_ lines inside it.

## Part C: Short Answer

Answer each question in one or two complete sentences.

1. Name one onomatopoeia word and the sound it copies.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. Why might a poet use repetition in a poem?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Part A: Fix the Sentence**

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Each sentence has an error. Rewrite it correctly on the line.

1. Fix the sentence: A verse is the title at the top of a poem.

Rewrite: **A verse is a single line or stanza in a poem.**

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2. Fix the sentence: Onomatopoeia means a long, fancy poem.

Rewrite: **Onomatopoeia means a word that sounds like a noise.**

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3. Fix the sentence: Repetition is when a poem never repeats any words.

Rewrite: **Repetition is when a poet repeats words for effect.**

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**Part B: Fill in the Blank**

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Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. A word that imitates a sound, like buzz or hiss, is an example of onomatopoeia .
2. When a poet repeats a word or line for effect, this is called repetition .
3. A short poem about love or feelings often uses many lines of verse .
4. If a stanza has four lines, then we count exactly four lines inside it.

**Part C: Short Answer**

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Answer each question in one or two complete sentences.

1. Name one onomatopoeia word and the sound it copies.

*Splash copies the sound water makes when something drops in.*

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2. Why might a poet use repetition in a poem?

*A poet uses repetition to stress an idea and make the poem musical.*

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