



# Poetry Analysis

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

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: Grade 5

## Part A: Fix the Sentence

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

1. Fix the sentence: Rhythm is when words at the end of lines sound alike.

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

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

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

3. Fix the sentence: Two stanzas are needed for any poem to count as poetry.

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

## Part B: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. The beat or pattern of stresses in a poem is called \_\_\_\_\_ .
2. Cake and bake are an example of a \_\_\_\_\_ pair.
3. Another word for a single line or stanza of poetry is \_\_\_\_\_ .
4. Counting how many \_\_\_\_\_ a poem has tells you how many rows of words it contains.

## Part C: Short Answer

Answer each question in one or two complete sentences.

1. How can you tell where one stanza ends and another begins?

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\_\_\_\_\_

2. Why do poets use rhyme in their poems?

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\_\_\_\_\_

**Part A: Fix the Sentence**

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

1. Fix the sentence: Rhythm is when words at the end of lines sound alike.

Rewrite: **Rhythm is the pattern of stressed and unstressed beats in a poem.**

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

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

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3. Fix the sentence: Two stanzas are needed for any poem to count as poetry.

Rewrite: **A poem can have one stanza or many stanzas.**

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**Part B: Fill in the Blank**

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Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. The beat or pattern of stresses in a poem is called rhythm .
2. Cake and bake are an example of a rhyming pair.
3. Another word for a single line or stanza of poetry is verse .
4. Counting how many lines a poem has tells you how many rows of words it contains.

**Part C: Short Answer**

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Answer each question in one or two complete sentences.

1. How can you tell where one stanza ends and another begins?

*There is usually a blank line between stanzas in a poem.*

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2. Why do poets use rhyme in their poems?

*Rhyme makes poems sound musical, memorable, and fun to read aloud.*

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