

Poetry Reading Guide

Student Name:
Name of Poem:
Author of Poem:
Explain why you chose this poem:
List three unfamiliar words and their meaning: 1. 2. 3.
Describe the mood/tone you want to communicate with your reading:
List five words in the poem that emphasize this mood/tone: 1. 2. 3. 4. 5.
Describe the meaning of the poem TO YOU:
Outline the introduction of your performance (poem name, author, and meaning):

Grading Rubric					
Student's introduction was professional:	1	2	3	4	5
Student's speech was loud and clear.	1	2	3	4	5
Student's speech was at an appropriate speed.	1	2	3	4	5
Student was quiet and respectful during peer performances.	1	2	3	4	5
TOTAL:	_____ / 20				

