

Leo the Lion's Poetry Corner

Let your imagination roar! Discover the magic of words.

- A stanza is a small group of lines in a poem, just like a paragraph in a story.
- Rhyme happens when words sound the same at the end, like 'cat' and 'hat'.
- Rhythm is the steady beat you feel when you read a poem aloud.
- Alliteration is when you repeat the same starting sound in words, like 'sunny, silly snake'.
- Poets use imagery to help the reader see, hear, or feel things in their imagination.

Did you know? Did you know? Poetry does not always have to rhyme! Some poets write 'free verse' poems that focus on how the words sound and the pictures they paint, rather than matching the sounds at the end of every line.

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