

# Exploring Poetry Basics

Poetry · Answer Key · 8 Questions

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**1. What is a word that sounds like another word, often used at the end of lines in poems?**

- A) Metaphor
- B) Rhyme**
- C) Stanza
- D) Simile

**2. Which of these is a group of lines that form a unit in a poem, like a paragraph in a story?**

- A) Couplet
- B) Quatrain
- C) Stanza**
- D) Verse

**3. A poem that tells a story is often called a:**

- A) Haiku
- B) Sonnet
- C) Ballad**
- D) Limerick

**4. What is a comparison between two unlike things using the words 'like' or 'as'?**

- A) Personification
- B) Alliteration
- C) Simile**
- D) Onomatopoeia

**5. Which poetic device repeats the beginning sound of words close together?**

- A) Assonance
- B) Consonance
- C) Alliteration**
- D) Rhyme Scheme

**6. A poem with a specific structure of 5 syllables in the first line, 7 in the second, and 5 in the third is called a:**

- A) Haiku**
- B) Limerick
- C) Free Verse
- D) Sonnet

7. Giving human qualities to an animal or object is called:

- A) Metaphor
- B) Personification**
- C) Hyperbole
- D) Imagery

8. What is a word that imitates a sound?

- A) Rhythm
- B) Rhyme
- C) Alliteration
- D) Onomatopoeia**