

Nature Poetry

USING YOUR SENSES

Write a poem about a favorite place in nature! You can either go to that place or remember a special place. Have your paper and pencil ready.

- 🍃 Divide a sheet of paper into 5 columns and label them: see, hear, smell, touch and taste.
- 🍃 Either using your senses or your memory, begin filling in the columns with things about your place.
- 🍃 Note: You can imagine what something tastes like or describe a taste the place reminds you of or leave this one blank! Don't taste anything you don't recognize in nature!
- 🍃 Look over your words to see which ones best describe your place.
- 🍃 The first lines of your poem can begin with: I see, I hear, I smell, etc. followed by words from your lists. You can continue with as many lines using your sense words as you like.
- 🍃 Your last line could simply name your place or tell us something you love about your place.

If you would like this poem to be part of the poetry exhibit at the REACH, email it to andreac@visitthereach.org with your full name and contact information by April 19th. You can also drop them off at the Richland Public Library.



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