

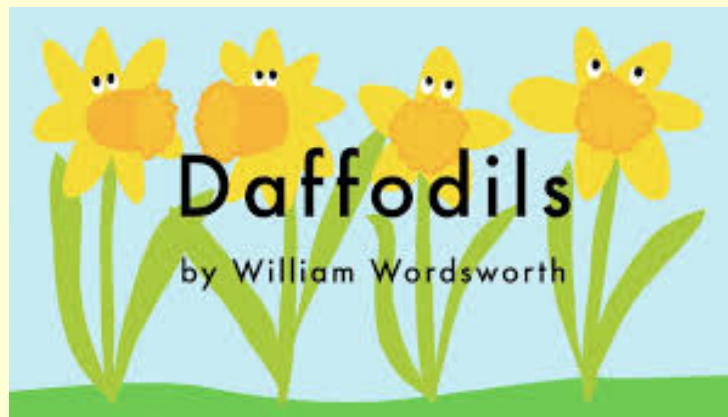
Wednesday 10th March 2021

English: Poetry

LO: To explore the theme of nature in a poem.

Remember:

Date and LO need to be underlined, missing a line between the two.



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Work to
praise and
share



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 To identify the rhyming scheme and linguistic features of a poem

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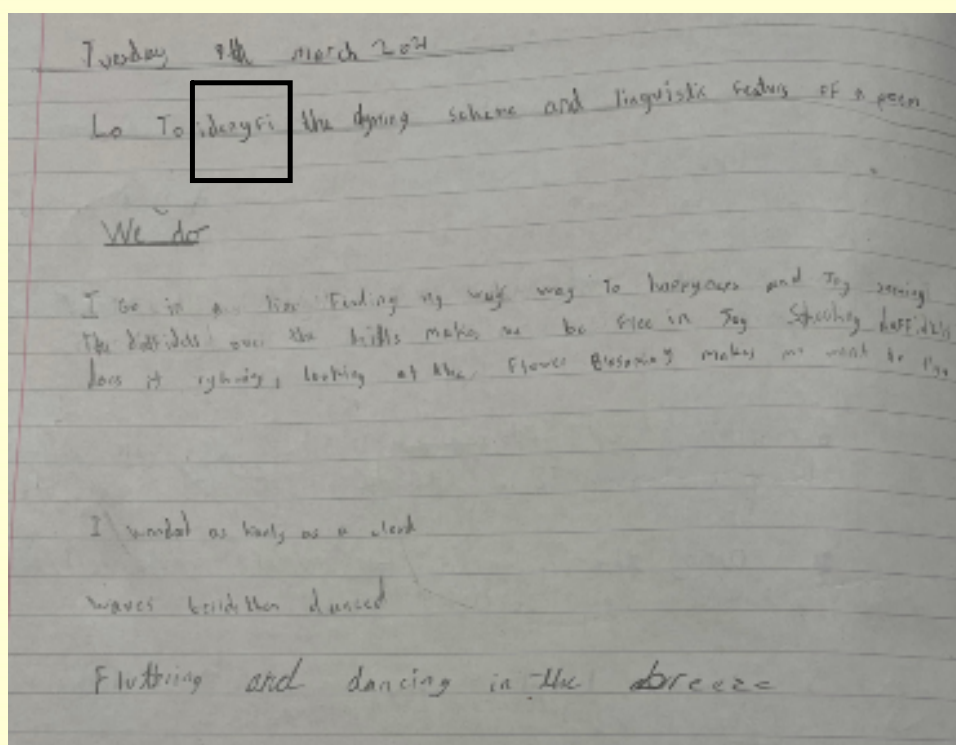
Still left in laymen He glori A
 Thinking about that memory B
 Going out to explore A
 Looking at dogdile makes me happy B
 Looking at the dogdile C
 Has go over the hills C ✓ well done.

Metaphor = Waves beside the dance
 Personification = Fluttering and dancing in the breeze
 Simile = I wandered lonely as a cloud.

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Improvements

Capital letters?
Presentation?
Silly copying
mistakes?
Full sentences?
Incomplete
work?



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To To-day's the dying scene and linguistic features of a poem

We do

I go in a line finding my way to happiness and joy seeing
The birds over the hills make me be free in joy. Spreading happiness
Does it rhyme? looking at the flower blossom makes me want to fly

I would as hard as a clerk

Waves better than danced

Fluttering and dancing in the breeze

Can you spot the improvements this work needs?

Go through your work with your purple pens making corrections and edits. (5 minutes)

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Read the poem aloud.



Remember that this poem was written in the Romantic period of literature. This means that the poem:

- . Focuses on emotions and imagination
- . Uses self-expression
- . An almost religious response to nature.
- . Love of childhood.

Can we recognise any of these features in Daffodils?



I
Do

What do we think the theme of the poem is?

The theme of 'Daffodils'
is exploring a love
of nature, this links
with having a religious response
to nature which was a main
theme in the Romantic period.

What is the message of the poem?

The message of 'Daffodils'
is that we can always
find joy in nature and the
memory will have a long
lasting effect.

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In books

We
Do

What do we think the theme of the poem is?

What is the message of the poem?



We know Wordsworth worked closely with Samuel Taylor Coleridge. Below is one of Coleridge's poems 'Answer to a Child's Question'.

Answer to a Child's Question

by Samuel Taylor Coleridge

Do you ask what the birds say? The sparrow the dove,
The linnet and thrush say, 'I love and I love!'

In the winter they're silent – the wind is so strong;

What it says, I don't know, but it sings a loud song.

But green leaves, and blossoms, and sunny warm weather,

And singing, and loving – all come back together.

But the lark is so brimful of gladness and love,

The green fields below him, the blue sky above,

That he sings, and he sings; and forever sings he –

'I love my Love, and my Love loves me!'



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Answer the following questions in full sentences.

You
Do

1) Do you like this poem? Why?

2) What does the title of the poem tell us? Could you think of an alternative title for the poem?

3) Can you identify the rhyming scheme of this poem?

4) Coleridge's poem 'Answer to a Child's Question' was written in the Romantic period. Which of the following themes applies to this poem and why?

- . Focuses on emotions and imagination
- . Uses self-expression
- . An almost religious response to nature.
- . Love of childhood.

5) Compare Wordsworth's Daffodils with Coleridge's Answer to a Child's Question. Do these poem have any similarities? If so, what? Which poem do you prefer?

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