

Snowflakes Haiku

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Snowflakes are our friends
They descend when winter comes
Making white blankets

WINTER HAIKU

Winter is coming.
Snow will be arriving soon.
We should rake the leaves.

CAT HAIKU

Tired cat sleeps all night.
He needs lots of rest for a
Long day of napping.

FUNNY HAIKU

My homework is late.
My dog ate it this morning.
I sure like my dog.

What is an Acrostic Poem?

An acrostic poem is a type of poetry where the first, last or other letters in a line spell out a particular word or phrase. The most common and simple form of an acrostic poem is where the first letters of each line spell out the word or phrase.

Example – An acrostic poem using the beginning of lines

A n acrostic poem
C reates a challenge
R andom words on a theme
O r whole sentences that rhyme
S elect your words carefully
T o form a word from top to bottom
I s the aim of this poetry style
C hoose a word then go!

A less common and slightly more difficult type of an acrostic poem is where the last letter of each line spells out the word or phrase.

Example - An acrostic poem using the end of lines

Just woken up, I'm famished! Fancy a banan A
Oh dear, none in the fruit bowl. Wish I could do magi C
Like Harry Potter. Over there I do see a pea R
That's boring. How about sausages and mashed potat O?
Check the fridge - there's only mouldy cheese and two grape S
Even with my skills, I can't make much with tha T
What I really want is sweeties, shame there's only a kiw I
Phew, food dilemma over. I've been invited to a picnic C!

Finally, the more difficult type is where letters in the middle of the acrostic spell out the word or phrase.

Example - An acrostic poem using the middle of the lines

Fancy Writing **A** poem?
 P*i* **C** k a topic of your choice
You can w **R** ite about anything
 L*e*t y **O** ur imagination run wild
 Choo **S** e the right words
Writing your **T** houghts on paper
Nothing is **I** mpossible
 Be **C** reative!

Spring

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So many flowers are blooming.

Petite little squirrels come out to play.

Really big bears awake from their slumbers.

Imaginative children enjoy a walk with their friends.

No tree is left standing without any leaves. So

Go ahead, jump for joy because spring is here.