



Hoosier Readers Score Big!

Come Join Us:

Indianapolis Indians vs. Toledo Mud Hens

Date and Time: May 28th 7:00pm

RailCats vs. Kansas City T-Bones

Date and Time: May 31st 2:10pm

Indiana Fever vs. Phoenix Mercury

Date and Time: June 12th 7:00pm

[RSVP Hurry. Seating is limited.](#)

Join us as we launch our 2015 Summer Reading program, "Hoosier Readers Score Big." Title 1 Team members will provide information about the summer reading program and also discuss a wide variety of interactive activities for students of all grade levels to participate in throughout the summer.



DID YOU KNOW?



Offers Parenting Workshops

[From Computer Skills Training to Story Time](#)



Has Summer Camps

[Such as Star Gazing, Readers Theaters and more](#)



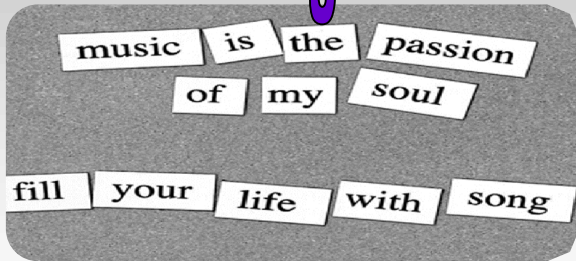
Has Its own Newsletter

[Learning Liftoff](#)





The Fun of Magnetic Poetry



- Magnetic poetry allows students to be creative, practice parts of speech, and to manipulate the sequence/use of words.
- Your magnetic poetry words can be used on a refrigerator or even a cookie sheet. You can store your magnets in the tin or even use the metal tin to play with the letters because they will stick to it.
- One nice thing about this project is that you can constantly add to it or adapt to your student's reading level.
- You can buy magnetic poetry or make your own set. You can also play online:

<http://play.magneticpoetry.com/poem/>



Click above to Make your own Magnetic Poetry Kit

Shape Poem



A Shape Poem is a type of poetry that describes an object and is shaped the same as the object the poem is describing.

Check out this [online tool](#), elementary students can write poems based on shapes from five different categories: Nature, School, Sports, Celebrations, and Shapes. Within these categories, 32 different shapes are included.

By selecting a shape, students are learning how to focus their writing on a particular topic or theme. In addition, as part of the online tool, students are prompted to brainstorm, write, and revise their poems, thus reinforcing elements of the writing process.

Grades K-6 Math



President of

your Own Company



Math comes in all forms, including lemonade stands. In addition to congratulating your child on his entrepreneurial spirit, you can add a few extra ingredients to his lemonade.

As your child starts to put his business plan in action, he'll need some help figuring out proportions, understanding capital investment and settling on a price that will bring in some profit.

[Lemonade Stand Math](#)

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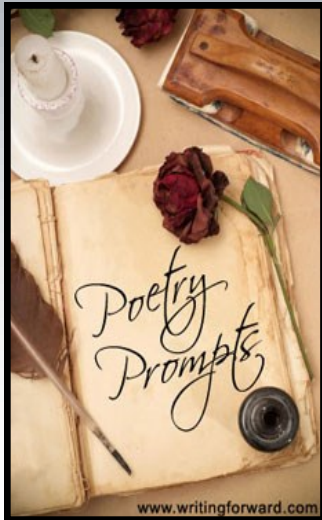
Successful chefs need to be masters of basic arithmetic, including adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing. They also need to be comfortable with both fractions and decimals. Most culinary programs require students to study math. For example, students have to take a class that enables them to master basic arithmetic, fractions, decimals, percentages, ratios and both English units of measurement and the metric system.

[Teaching Kids About Measurements Used In Cooking](#)



wiseGEEK

Grades 7-12 Reading



You know what's great about writing prompts? On those days when you're feeling uninspired but you want to write, they're there for you. On days when you want to get your writing practice in but don't particularly feel like writing, they're there for you. Writing prompts give you a little push to kick-start a writing session, making it easier to face the ever-dreaded blank page.

Whether you're a copywriter, storyteller, or blogger, the skills acquired through the study and practice of poetry writing will give your work flair and personality. Poetry is a great way to capture and express thoughts and feelings.

[Click Here For Creative Poetry Writing Prompts](#)

acrostic poems

What is an acrostic poem?

An acrostic poem uses the letters in a topic word to begin each line. All lines of the poem should relate to or describe the poem.

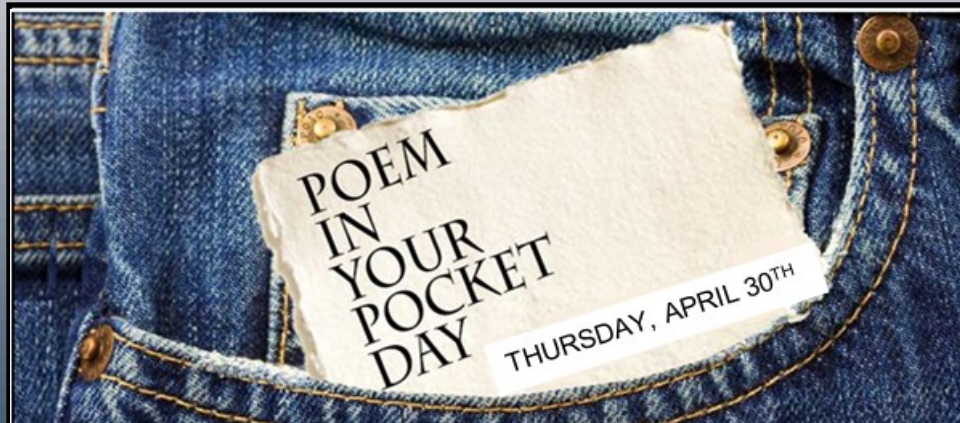
Shines brightly
Up in the sky
Nice and warm on my skin

This poem about the sun uses the letters in the word *sun* to begin each line.

A worksheet for writing an acrostic poem about the month of April. The title is "April Acrostic Poetry". Below the title, it says "Write an acrostic poem about the month of April. Begin each line with a word or phrase that starts with the letter on that line." The letters A, P, R, I, L are listed vertically on the left side of the page, each followed by a blank line for writing. At the bottom of the page, there is a small illustration of the word "April" in a colorful, bubbly font.

April Acrostic Poetry

Click on April page
to create your own
Acrostic Poem
about the month
of April.



Every April, on Poem in Your Pocket Day, people throughout the United States celebrate by selecting a poem, carrying it with them, and sharing it with others throughout the day.

Join the celebration by printing one of the following poems.



VIDEO GAME DESIGN

Have you ever wished you could design your own online games? If yes, then you should brush up on your math skills! Whether you are interested in first person shooter, strategy, or simulation games, geometry is used to program all of them. When an object moves from point A to point B, it has been programmed to perform a transformation. A transformation can be a rotation, slide, or flip of an object. Game designers use the Cartesian plane to label the points on the object and transform those points to perform movements in the game.

Do you have what it takes to be a video game designer?

[Click and see](#)



When astronauts fly into space to conduct missions, it is made possible because of precise mathematical calculations, from how the spacecraft leaves Earth's atmosphere to how the astronauts pilot the craft. Designers use math to calculate distance, speed, velocity, and their own safety when creating space-faring vehicles.

[Help NASA, solve the following equations:](#)