

How do you feel when you read poetry? _____

What causes those feelings? _____

Do you like to write poetry of your own? _____

What would you like to do during this poetry week? _____

Important poetry vocabulary

stanza- _____

rhyme scheme- _____

repetition- _____

refrain- _____

tone- _____

dialog- _____

 Poems are usually made up of lines. Lines may be organized in stanzas.

I come from haunts of coot and hern,
I make a sudden sally
And sparkle out among the fern,
To bicker down a valley.

 The pattern of rhyming lines in a poem. This poem shows A, B, A, B

 Group of lines in a poem. The lines go together like sentences in a paragraph.

↕
 By thirty hills I hurry down,
Or slip between the ridges,
By twenty thorpes, a little town,
And half a hundred bridges.

Till last by Philip's farm I flow
To join the brimming river,
For men may come and men may go,
But I go on for ever.

 Same word or words used more than once in a line or poem.

from "The Brook"
by Alfred, Lord Tennyson

How many stanzas are in the poem above? _____

How many lines are in the poem? _____

What is the tone of this poem? _____

Is there any dialog in this poem? If so, between who? _____