

Compose a 24-30 line lyrical poem that is written in free verse. A lyrical poem expresses a personal emotion and is usually written in first person. Free verse does not follow a consistent meter pattern. The focus, therefore, is on the diction. Be sure to use words that have symbolic meaning that create an image. The poem does not need to reflect a true emotional experience, for example, one may write about the sadness of amputation yet never having experienced an amputation of a limb. Please submit your poem to the classroom website. Your submission should be titled YOUR LAST NAME, first name / LYRICAL POEM / TITLE OF YOUR POEM