

Poetry Elements Quiz

Name: _____ Date: _____

Directions: Answer each question. Use complete sentences when an explanation is requested.

1. Define stanza.
2. What is imagery?
3. Identify the term for the speaker's attitude toward a subject.
4. What is a theme?
5. What is repetition?
6. What is enjambment?
7. What is a refrain?
8. What is diction?
9. What is symbolism?
10. What is a poetic line?

Teacher Answer Key

1. A grouped set of lines
2. Language appealing to the senses
3. Tone
4. A central idea or insight
5. Intentional reuse of words/phrases
6. A sentence continuing beyond a line break
7. A repeated line or group of lines
8. Word choice
9. Using an object/image to represent a larger idea
10. A row of words in a poem

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