



# GRADE 1

## Writing **UNIT 6**

### Poetry

#### UNIT SUMMARY

In this unit, students will learn how to be poets. They will learn that poets share feelings, experiences, or thoughts through well-chosen words, formats, and poetic devices. Students will write and present a variety of poems that convey their own perspective, and make decisions about how to express themselves effectively through poetry.

#### ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS (EU) / ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS (EQ)

##### EU:

- Poets use language to express themselves.
- Poets choose and arrange words in purposeful ways to create imagery and meaning.

##### EQ:

- How well have I "painted a picture with words" in my writing? (reflection)
- How do I present poetry to an audience? (function/tech integration)
- how do mentor poems help me become a better poet?

#### I CAN STATEMENTS

- When someone helps me, I can use suggestions to add details to a make my writing better.

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