

Writing a cinquain

A cinquain is a five-line poem, and to write a didactic cinquain you can follow the guidelines below.

1st Line: One word, the subject or topic

2nd Line: Two adjectives that describe the topic

3rd Line: Three verbs ending in -ing related to the subject (or a three-word phrase that describes an action related to the subject)

4th Line: Four words that capture a how you feel about your topic

5th Line: One word that refers back to the first line

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subject

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adjective adjective

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3 -ing verbs (or one action phrase in 3 words)

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4 words to express a feeling about your topic

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a word that refers back your topic