

Reading Strategy

READING NARRATIVE POETRY

Narrative poetry is poetry that tells a story. It has many of the basic elements of a prose story: setting, characters, point of view, plot, conflict, and theme.

Directions: Take notes about each of the story elements in listed in the chart. Focus on the mariner’s story, not on the frame story of the wedding.

"The Rime of the Ancient Mariner"
Setting (Time/Place):
Characters:
Point of View:
Plot:
Major Conflicts:
Theme: