

Poem

ASK A PEER READER

To see whether your poem has clearly communicated the intended effect, ask a peer reviewer to read it.

Directions: Give your peer reader this sheet. Have him or her record answers to the following questions and then give you suggestions for revision.

1. Do the opening lines engage the reader?

2. Does the the poem use imagery and sensory details to describe a particular place or event in nature?

3. Does the poem use musical effects and other poetic devices?

4. Is the poem coherent? Can you follow it from beginning to end?

5. Is a consistent voice used throughout the poem?

6. Does the poem suggest rather than state a single strong feeling inspired or evoked by the subject?
