# Shape Poetry

## **PURPOSE**

Shape poems describe a particular topic. They are sometimes known as concrete poems.

## **STRUCTURE**

Shape poems are written in the shape of the object they describe.

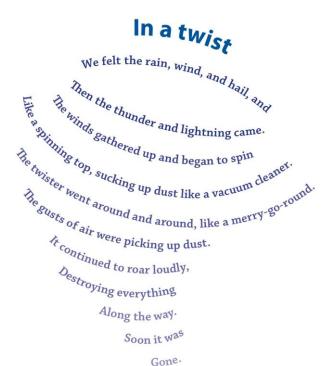
## RHYTHM

Shape poems do not usually follow a rhythm pattern.

#### RHYMING PATTERN

Shape poems can sometimes rhyme but they do not have to.

## TASK - Could you write a shape poem?







PHAL PHAL TOE BIG TO ANGEP **ANGEP** PHAL BIG TOE BIG ALAN ANGEP ALAN TOE BIG TOE THIS IS A ALAN PHAL **BIG TOE BI** TOE BIG FOOTPRINT. EVERY THING HAS A FOOT PRI NT. PHYSICAL, MENTAL, EMO TIONAL, ENVIRONMENTAL. FO OTPRINT. WE WALK IN THEM, T ALK IN THEM, EAT IN THEM, D RINK IN THEM.... THERE THE O NETHING WE CAN NEVER **SEEM TO GET AWA** FROM. LIKE A SH ADOW. NO MA TTER HOW FAS YOU RUN THEY WILL ALWAYS S **OMEHOW KEEP** KEEP UP WITH Y **OU, FINALLY SO METHING TO** RELY ON.

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