

Writing Objective:

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Writers Need:

- **Writer's Notebook**
- **Pencil**



Connection

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- Yesterday we tried our hand at writing Haiku poetry by using our knowledge of syllables
- Today we will try our hand at writing Cinquain poetry by our knowledge of nouns, verbs and adjectives to describe a subject



Cinquain

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It is a type of poem that uses a 5 line pattern. It incorporates nouns, verbs, adjectives, and a sentence about the subject or topic and synonyms

Line 1= One word that states the subject (NOUN)

Line 2= Two words that describe the subject (ADJECTIVES)

Line 3= Three verbs that relate to the subject

Line 4= A Four word sentence that relates to the subject or expresses a feeling about it

Line 5= One synonym for the subject or a word that sums it up

Turn and Talk

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- What is an adjective?



Watch Me, As I Show You...

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- **Then**: Write 3 verbs that relate to it
- **After**: Write a 4 word sentence about the topic
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Horses

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Horse
powerful, graceful
cantering, trotting, jumping
Prancing in the field
Friend



Now, You Try!

Stop and think

Make a list of a few things nouns you would like to describe in a Cinquain poem



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Let's Get Writing!

So, today and everyday, whenever you are writing, remember writers are always trying different strategies like the one we learned today:

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Let's Remember The Steps:

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Midworkshop



Can you add alliteration to your poem? Alliteration is when words that are close together start with the same letter/sound. Think of tongue twisters.

Ex. She sells sea shells by the sea shore.



**Lets come together
for a final share.**

***What are your thoughts on today's strategy:
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