

Beyond the Essay: Inviting Students Into Poetry

Looking for quick, but high-impact ways to include poetry in your classroom? Join us for this Virtual 5-Workshop Series. Sign up for any workshop ala carte, or complete all 5 and create a project to earn workshop credit! Each session will stretch your poetry practice and provide you with takeaway lessons.



Using Poetry to Open Doors to Vocabulary

The craft of word choice by poets leads to wonderful conversation in classrooms about vocabulary. This session will show a routine for helping students study vocabulary through the use of poetry. Instructor: Dr. Lori Wilfong

Tuesday
25 Jan 2022
7:00 - 8:00 PM

Every Poem is a Prompt

Art inspires art! Learn to use poems to inspire the creation of more poems by borrowing their substance, structure, and style.
Focus: Copy change & form poetry.
Instructor: Jean Kanzinger

Tuesday
15 Feb 2022
7:00 - 8:00 PM

Personal Poetry Meets Universal Experience

Use poetry to get to know your students better any time of year. Explore specific poems that allow students to express their history, their personality, their worries, and their dreams.
Instructor: Jean Kanzinger

Tuesday
15 Mar 2022
7:00 - 8:00 PM

Unpacking the Poet's Toolkit

Sensory details, literary devices, reflection, and shift belong in the poet's toolkit. Teach these elements through Ekphrastic poetry.
Instructor: Jean Kanzinger

Tuesday
12 Apr 2022
7:00 - 8:00 PM

Playing with Poetry Through Media

Bring the sights and sounds of poetry into your classroom using picture books, video, and posters and have students create poetry for these media as well.
Instructor: Jean Kanzinger

Tuesday
10 May 2022
7:00 - 8:00 PM

Use this form to register. Looking for KSU Credit? Attend all sessions and complete a project to show how you will use these ideas in your classroom. Email Dr. Lori Wilfong at lgkrug@kent.edu for KSU workshop information.

