**Individual Poetry Analysis**

**Read the following poems ALOUD as a class and then complete the following questions individually on a separate piece of paper.**

**1. “Casey’s Revenge” by Grantland Rice (different author than “Casey at the Bat”)**

[**http://www.7128.com/poetry/caseysrevenge.html**](http://www.7128.com/poetry/caseysrevenge.html)

1. What type of poem is this? (lyric, narrative, dramatic)
2. What is the main theme or message of the poem?
3. What is the rhyme scheme in this poem?
4. Name three poetic devices found in this poem and list an example for each.

**2. “I wandered Lonely as a Cloud” by William Wordsworth (p. 897 Lit book)**

1. What is the theme or message of this poem?

2. What is an example of a simile from this poem?

3. What is an example of personification from this poem?

4. To what are the daffodils compared in stanza 2? What does this comparison suggest about the daffodils?

5. What do we learn about the speaker?

**3. “Dream Deferred” and “Dreams” by Langston Hughes (p. 204-905 Lit book)**

1. Which poem affected you more? Why?

2. Paraphrase the message of “Dream Deferred”?

3. Paraphrase the message of “Dreams”?

4. What is a simile from “Dream Deferred”?

5. What is a metaphor from “Dreams”?