##### Poetry Portfolio Assignment

You are to create an electronic portfolio of your own poetry. Your portfolio is to be a well-developed, well-organized portfolio that represents one overall theme that can be seen in your layout, poems, and graphics. I will be looking for effort, thought, and adherence to structure and format. Effort includes attempting to be creative and include a variety of poetic devices. Grammar, content, graphics, and neatness will also be taken into account. You are to write your own poetry. Be creative and have fun!

Your portfolio will be displayed in some sort of visual media (iMovie, PowerPoint, Prezi, etc). This will allow for more creativity in fonts, colors, images and possibly even audio.

**Your presentation will follow this order:**

1. Introductory slide 4 points

* Design a cover slide that illustrates your **theme**. Be sure to include a title, your name, class, and the date.

2. Haiku (2 haiku) 7 points

3. Shape Poem 7 points

4. Ballad-10 lines 7 points

5. Narrative poem- 12 lines with personification and alliteration 7 points

6. Free verse poem with 1 simile, 1 metaphor, 1 hyperbole 7 points

7. Limerick 7 points

8. Parody poem (include original) 7 points

9. Sonnet always 14 lines (with iambic pentameter) 7 points

10. Illustrations and Creativity 10 points

11. Neatness, spelling, punctuation 10 points

**80 points total**

**Your topic is due Tuesday, January 14, 2013.**

**Rubric Breakdown**

Slide 1: Introductory Slide \_\_\_\_/4

* illustrates theme
* includes 4 part MLA heading
* -includes title of presentation

Slide 2: Haiku \_\_\_\_/7

* includes two Haiku poems
* follows 5-7-5 syllable format
* adherence to theme

Slide 3: Shape poem \_\_\_\_/7

* visible shape or concrete image
* adherence to theme

Slide 4: Ballad \_\_\_\_/7

* 10 lines minimum
* adherence to theme
* includes rhyming
* could be set to music (may include refrain)

Slide 5: Narrative Poem \_\_\_\_/7

* 12 lines minimum
* tells a story
* adherence to theme
* personification/alliteration

Slide 6: Free verse poem \_\_\_\_/7

* includes 1 simile and 1 metaphor
* includes 1 hyperbole
* adherence to theme

Slide 7: Limerick \_\_\_\_/7

* follows 3-3-2-2-3 meter
* follows A-A-B-B-A rhyme scheme
* Comical
* adherence to theme

Slide 8: Parody poem \_\_\_\_/7

* includes original poem/song
* 10 lines (minimum)
* imitation of original
* adherence to theme

Slide 9: Sonnet \_\_\_\_/7

* always 14 lines
* follows rhyme scheme ababcdcdefefgg
* 10 beats/line (iambic pentameter)
* adherence to theme

Illustrations and Creativity \_\_\_\_/10

Neatness, spelling, punctuation \_\_\_\_/10

**Overall Score \_\_\_\_/80**

**Your portfolio is due Wednesday, January 23, 2013.**