



# Joseph Leckie Academy

## English Transition Activity

### English - Poetry Raps

Create your own poetry rap! Here is an example:

Let's spit bars!

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Yo, Hello, watch my flow...  
You're here with Mrs Saddiq  
Possibly the world's greatest teacher  
Yes, come on you've got to meet her!  
Radiant like the sun, that's her best feature  
Look around, I'm not a preacher  
Focus on your work, don't be a cheater!  
Who wants to come up and be the next speaker?!!!

Your task: Create your own poetry raps, including the following

- Similes (a comparison using the words *like* or *as*; *as cold as the winter snow*)
- A metaphor (a vivid comparison to create imagery; *her eyes are diamonds*)
- Hyperbole (extreme exaggeration for effect; *buy this phone and your life will change for the best, forever!*)
- Rhyming words (words with similar sounds at the end to create effects; *The rain poured fast, yet I hoped that it would last, just so that, I could stay inside and relax!*)
- Humour!!! (make it funny, if you can!)

**Good luck**  
**Best rap will be awarded a prize in September**