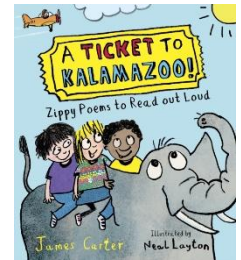




Knowledge Organiser – A Ticket to Kalamazoo; Poetry

Zippy Poems to Read Out Loud



Types of Poem

Rhyming – a poem with pairs or groups of words which make the same sounds.

Riddle – a poem with clues to solve to find the answer.

Acrostic – the first letter of each line forms a word and is the subject of the poem.

Shape – the words form the shape of an object and describe it.

Similie– a poem that used like or as to compare things to each other.

Important Information

Poem – A poem is a type of writing which tells a story and describes something focussing on feelings and emotions and words which are chosen carefully. Sometimes they can rhyme. Usually poems are short but can vary in length.

Key Vocabulary

Rhyme	Words with endings that sound the same e.g. moon, June.
Timbuktu	A city in Africa.
bobbing	To move up and down.
scoffed	To eat something quickly.
re-energise	To get energy back again.
grotty	Something that is unpleasant.
gnashers	A slang word for teeth.

Grammar

Punctuation – Full stops	.
Punctuation – Question mark	?
Punctuation – Capital letter	A
Punctuation – Ellipsis	...