

Thursday 25th June 2020 - Day 2

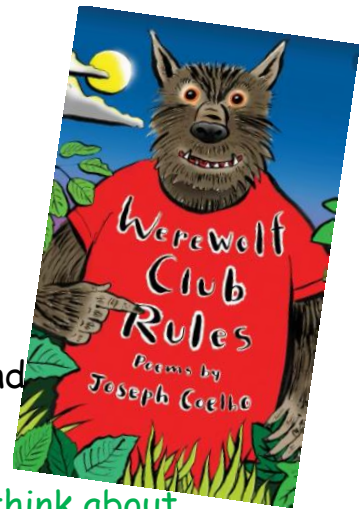
LO: I can explain expanded noun phrases

Let's enjoy other poems written by Joseph Coelho today.

Task

1. Read the poem 'Golden Time'. Read it in your head first and then try reading it out loud.

Use the reflection prompts on the next page to help you think about the poem. Read the questions and think about your answers to each one.



Golden Time

Joseph Coelho

Golden time -
jewelled minutes
and silvered seconds?

Golden time -
hands clasped on mouth
catching laughter with a new friend.

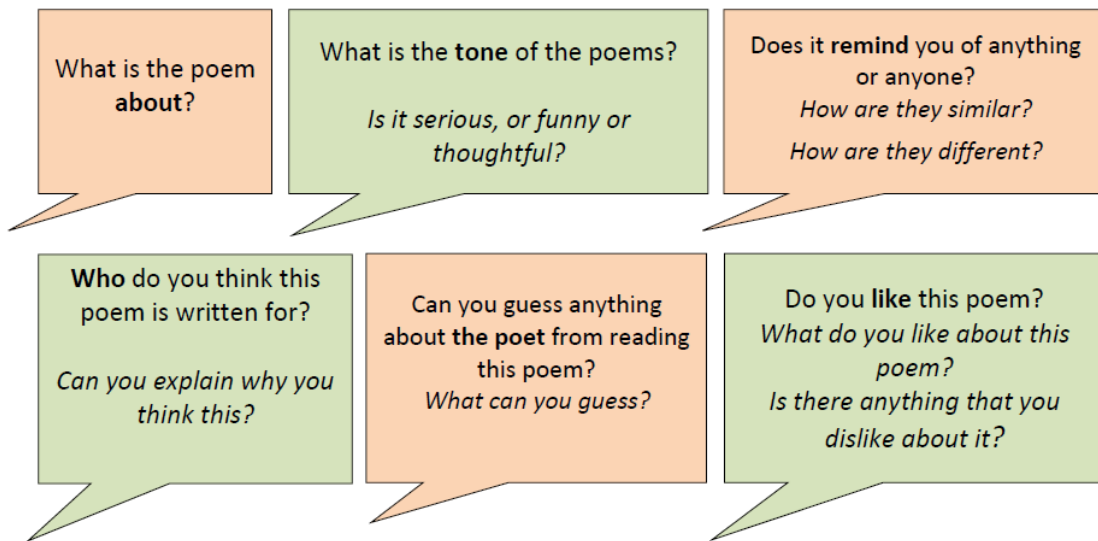
Golden time
a diamond clock
with ruby numbers?

Golden time -
the inhale of breath
as the idea chimes.

Golden time -
a free hour
doing what I please?

Golden time
a room of beaming faces,
every heart in sync.

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2. Reactivate your knowledge of noun phrases using the revision card (listed separately in our Year 5 folder).

3. Read the poem 'Red Ruby Rings'.

Red Ruby Rings

Joseph Coelho

I crept along the ribs
of a sea dragon's skeleton
I ran through the fronds
of an underwater forest.

I climbed up the ridges
over giant crabs' claws.
I clung to the feathers
of a pink albatross.

I hid amongst the skeletons
dangling in the dungeon.
I slid down the rope
tide to the barnacled anchor.

I held onto the fin
of the breaching whale-shark
I rolled in the surf
of the whispering tide.

I skipped along the crests
of the crashing blue waves.
I sneaked through the cabins
of a pirate's dark ship.

I crawled along the rocks
of the boat graveyard beach.
I undid the clasps
of my three red ruby rings.

I prised open the lock
of the dowager's chest.
I slipped on 3 rings
of the deepest ruby red.

And...

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4. Look at the [expanded noun phrases exercise](#) (listed separately in our Year 5 folder). Complete by spotting and writing how the nouns in the poem have been expanded. When you have finished, show what you have found to a grown-up. Locate the expanded noun phrases and identify the head noun in each one.
5. Prepare a performance of one of the poems. Think back to the tips Joseph Coelho shared in our clip yesterday. Read the [preparing to perform checklist](#) (listed separately in our Year 5 folder).
6. Choose one of the poems and practise a performance of it. Can you learn any lines off by heart?

Challenge Make illustrations for your three favourite noun phrases from the poems. 😊