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Writing Haikus

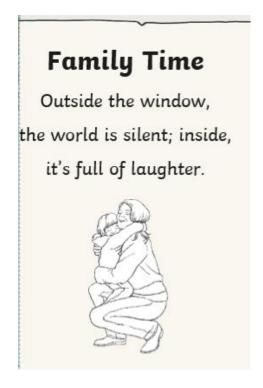
Today we will learn more about one form of poetry - the haiku. We will write our own haiku poems based on our lockdown experience.

A haiku is a traditional form of Japanese poetry. They require a particular pattern of syllables.

The first line has 5 syllables The second line has 7 syllables The third line has 5 syllables

See the powerpoint on classdojo to help you review this.

See some Haiku examples below. Count the syllables.





Now try writing a few Haikus about your time at home. Just in case you need it, there is a writing frame below that you can use.

My Lockdown Haiku

Word Bank Words with one syllable world strange safe face school hope heal Words with two syllables outside inside apart window laughter rainbow bonding learning lockdown Words with three syllables together important family messages celebrate exercise relaxing connecting happiness positive Words with four syllables communicate separated isolation creativeness motivation technology altogether

Now, write your haiku. If you need to, use some of the words in the word bank to help you. You can also use your own ideas.

Think of a title for your poem:	
	(5 syllables)
9	(7 syllables)
2 	(5 syllables)



