

Comparing poems

Two poems which talk about the importance of language are.....  
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What is the **message** of .....?  
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Find two things that are **similar** about the poems.

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- 2. ....

Find two things that are **different** about the poems.

- 1. ....
- 2. ....

Other Cultures Poetry

Think about the **language** the poets use. For each poem, explain why the poet has used the words that they have. What effect do they have on the reader?

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Think about the **structure** of the poems. For each poem, explain how the poet has put the poem together and what effect this has on the reader.

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Thinking about the poems together, decide which one is **most effective** at getting its message across. Why?

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