

**Unit Title/Focus:** Poetry

**Grade Level:** 7

**Texts Examined:**

-Literary-

“The Cremation of Sam McGee”

“The Raven”

“Courage that My Mother Had”

“Two People that I Want to be Like”

“The Road Not Taken”

William Carlos Williams’ Poetry

Shakespearean Sonnets

**Writing:** (Argumentative, Expository, Narrative)

Version Comparison - Expository

Parallel Poetry

Analysis Questions - Expository

**Speaking:**

Reading aloud

Group discussion

**Viewing:**

Figurative Language in Songs - YouTube

*The Simpsons - Haunted Treehouse - “The Raven” Episode - TeacherTube*

**Listening:**

Reading aloud

Note taking during discussion

**Note:**

Grammar, language, conventions, and vocabulary are imbedded in every unit.