

Poetry Senior Research



FIND A POEM that speaks to you.

Red Land High School Library Web Page

Click on Sites for Classes (left side)

Poetry and Poets

Look at the sites in red to search poems by subject, theme, or topic

When you have an approved poem, research the author and locate criticism.

***** Red Land High School Library Web Page – Sites for Classes**

Click on Sites for Classes – Poetry and Poets

Sites in blue type, search author and may also contain poem criticism

*****Power Library - Contemporary Authors**

Click on the blue bar that says Biography

Select Contemporary Authors – enter the author (last name, first name) – search

If the name appears in green, it is a link, click on it to see the information

If looking for a specific title, control-F (find box), Descriptive essay has criticism

*****Gale Databases**

Select **Research in Context** (Orange letters on the right, under Opposing Viewpoints)

Enter search terms (Author, poem title)

Notice Reference article is identified (critical essay, topic overview, etc.)

Look at Content type links on the right

*****Gale Databases**

Scroll down – Under Literature, Select **LitFinder**

Search author or poem title (some poem explanations)

*****Click on ProQuest**

Click on the small box to limit your search to **Full text** documents, check peer-reviewed

Scroll down to the Source type: check **magazines**, **scholarly journals**

Return to the top of the page – you are now ready to **enter search terms**

***** PRINT BOOKS TOO!! *****

To get to the library databases:

At Red Land High School -

Log-on to the computer, use Google Chrome, open a new window (+ sign at the top, like a tab)

Type **go** (This will show you the High School Portal, other helpful links too)

Select Red Land Library on the left side under Sites

This menu will look exactly like what you see on the library computers

At Home –

Go to the RLHS, pick Red Land Library (on the left)

Home Access (left side) Use passwords from the library sheet or Gale site