



# Water

## Acrostic poetry



An acrostic is a poem where the first letter of each line adds up to a word going down the page. The rest of the line then contains a word, phrase or sentence related to that word. Acrostic poems can rhyme but they don't have to. Look at the examples below, then make your own using our acrostic water poem worksheets.

Acrostics can include just one or two words for each line...

**S** Streams  
**T** Trickle  
**R** Ripple  
**E** Exhilarate  
**A** And  
**M** Murmur

Or they can include full sentences...

**R** Rivers rush  
**A** Across the land  
**I** Into oceans big and grand.  
**N** Narrow streams  
**D** Dash and splash  
**R** Rippling under mountain ash.  
**O** October skies  
**P** Pelt and pour  
**S** Splattering showers to the floor.



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Now try your own acrostic poem – any maybe colour and illustrate it too?

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