

Student Choice/Voice: Animal Poetry

Goal:

Students will research an animal of their choice and will write a poem using the information.

Activity:

Ask students to utilize the Article Browse feature on the Britannica School home page to determine which animal to research. Students can record information about the animal by using the Animal Research graphic organizer. After studying various forms of poetry, the students can choose a form for writing a poem about the animal. This activity allows the students a choice in topic, a choice of reading level and reading support tools from Britannica School, and a voice in how they demonstrate understanding. Provide the students with additional options, such as reciting the poem aloud, recording themselves performing the poem, using props, or making a video.



Strategy Card: Animal Poetry