English

KSII
Literacy Framework, Year 3, Poetry
Unit 2 – Shape poems and calligrams
Literacy Framework, Year 4, Poetry Unit 1 –
Creating images
Literacy Framework, Year 5, Poetry Unit 1 – Poetic style

In Scotland: Languages, first and second level. Outcomes related to the Literacy and English experiences: listening and talking / reading / writing outcomes

Objective:

- to construct a poem about what home is.
- to consider what it means to different people.

1. On the interactive whiteboard, look at the four different home images. Do any of the class live somewhere like this? Would they like to? What would be the good and bad things about living here? Is a home just what you can see on the outside, or is it about the people that live there too?

2. On the interactive whiteboard, do the who lives where? activity. Can they guess which home each ‘home is…’ poem is about?

3. On the interactive whiteboard, use the home is… poem writing tool to get ideas for poems flowing. Ask volunteers to come up and write a sound, smell, taste, feeling or sight that reminds them of home.

4. Ask the class to write and decorate their own home is… poem. They could create calligrams and shape poems in the shape of a house.