



Teaching Poetry: The Ultimate Guide
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IV.- How to write my FEELING & NATURE POEM

Two-Sides Poem: nature & feelings

Choose a natural feature or an element in nature (mountain, leaf, sea, stream, flower ...). Write a poem about it on the left side of the page. Then think of what that place or thing makes you feel and write another poem describing that feeling on the right side of the page.

REMEMBER! The five senses may be very useful to describe both the place and the feeling:

<u>SENSE</u>	<u>VERB</u>	<u>PART OF THE BODY</u>	
sight	see	eyes	<i>Melancholy looks like a giant cave.</i>
hearing	hear	ears	<i>Melancholy sounds like a very old tune.</i>
touch	touch	fingers/hands	<i>Melancholy feels like an empty house.</i>
smell	smell	nose	<i>Autumn smells of fresh rain.</i>
taste	taste	tongue/mouth	<i>Autumn tastes like sweet fruit.</i>

Let's review some vocabulary related to NATURE and FEELINGS.

Naturaleza y paisaje en inglés. Video
<https://youtu.be/V8kpsCcjiTY>

Naturaleza: Vocabulario inglés
<https://www.aderalingua.com/es/learn-english/course/2/lesson/33>

FEELINGS - nouns
<https://www.vocabulary.com/lists/206773>

FEELINGS - adjectives
<https://blogs.transparent.com/spanish/spanish-vocabulary-emotions-emociones/>

EXAMPLE	NATURE	FEELING
	The autumn is	Melancholy is
	brown	grey
	red	sad
	yellow	gloomy
	I love the falling leaves	I hate the feeling of sadness
	they are like magical rain	it is like feeling trapped in a cage
	weird drops in different colours	not being able to laugh with your friends
	only warm colours	thinner than sadness
	no blue or green	sharp and painful
	only yellow	gloomy
	red	sad
	brown	grey
	just autumn	unwanted melancholy