



Give it a Listen: Season 3, Episode 13: The Monkey and the Ice Skates/Tissues

What's this activity about? Write a poem about something that's surprisingly great...or surprisingly awful!

What stuff do I need to do it? Pencil and your Creator Club notebook, or something else to write on

A Surprisingly Great Poem!

Writing a poem is fun, because you can get extremely weird and creative about how you use words. In Noah's poem there is a character (a tissue) who loves something that most people find gross: the trash! As Noah wrote: "I want to be in the beautiful trash."

"Beautiful trash"! That's the kind of unexpected word combo that poems were made for!

Write your own poem where you describe something in a very unexpected way. You can start by thinking of a place or thing that most people would find scary, or annoying, or disgusting. Then imagine you're a character who LOVES that place or thing. How would your character describe it? Maybe you'll write a poem about swimming in "refreshing lava"...or listening to the music of "peaceful car alarms"...or falling in love with a "breathtaking, gorgeous zombie."

You could also think about something most people love, then imagine a character who HATES that thing. How would your character describe it? Maybe you'll end up with a poem about "horrifying puppies"...or "hideous rainbows"...or "barftastic cookies".

Try it yourself! Choose something that most people HATE, and write a poem about why it's wonderful. Or, choose something that most people LOVE, and write a poem about why it's horrible. Either way, your reader will be in for a big surprise!

Go to storypirates.com/creatorpodcastbonus, and use the password Loofah2020.

Share It: You can read Noah's original poem for "Tissues," and then send us your own poem!