

"The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding." (Proverbs 9:10)

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Eagles' Eye

Poetry

By: Karen Boyes

Blue birds sing away.
The mother feeds her small chicks.
The chicks chirp for joy.
Trying to fly for the first time.
Off the nest they go.

This is a tanka poem I wrote for English class. It had to be 5 lines. The syllables for each line had to follow the pattern 5,7,5,7,7. I wrote this because I can't wait for summer and I love the sound of birds. Baby birds are also cute.

Water.
Rushed down the falls.
Flowing over the rocks.
Past some flowers it soon slows
down.
Peaceful.

This is a 'cinquain' poem that I wrote for English class. It also had to have 5 lines. The syllables for each line had to follow the pattern 2,4,6,8,2. I wrote this because I love the water and watching it go down the waterfalls. It is really peaceful.

For this issue, we have decided to display some of our work from this year. Hope you enjoy!

What have the high school students been up to?

Grade 10 Anthology: Poetry

By: Collin Cramer

Anger

My anthology project is based on anger,
It hurts and kills and is only a danger.
Anger starts wars and destroys peace,
It is hard to control when released.
Anger is the Devil's weapon,
It starts with a temper and ends with depression.
People say it's a form of protection,
but anger is only a sin and that is my lesson.

The anthology project is an independent project that the grade 10 students work on. It is a collection of work that I wrote and found. Our anthology is based on a particular theme and I chose *anger*. I wrote this poem as a description of anger.

Tech Class: Sketch Up 8

By: Zachary Bakker

This is a model of a house that I designed in technology class using the computer program Sketch Up 8. Along with the house we also had to make a floor plan and a second model with the house's measurements. It is really neat that we can learn how to use programs that are used by professional designers.



History: Weapons

By: Austin Hall

Flamethrowers - The first flamethrowers were invented by the Germans which brought terror to French and British armies. This weapon was very useful and deadly, and soon British and French armies had them too. The bad thing about this weapon was it was very expensive to buy, due to the price of fuel.

I chose part of this assignment to show in Eagles' Eye, because I love war. I found this assignment really interesting.



Infantryman demonstrates range of "Mk2" flamethrower. Weapon is effective, but heavy.

Grade 10 Anthology: Poetry

By: Collin Cramer

The Uncontrolled Temper

In every person there is an evil urge,
A terrible rage that people say is a curse.

It cannot be controlled,

When stirred up in the soul.

This is called the uncontrolled temper

Revenge is its goal.

This urge comes from pain that cannot be
tamed

When it gets to the brain it makes you
insane,

And after it all, then comes the shame.

This poem was also a part of my independent anthology. I chose this poem because when I was younger I had a pretty big temper which can be hard to control at times. Temper is an offshoot of my theme anger and this poem shows the way our tempers can take over.

Poetry

By: Austin Hall

Bad Day

I go outside it is so bright with white,
I fill my sled with gas, no looking back,
And off I went I raced towards the night.
My lights turned on, they slice the
midnight black.

I go so fast so long and oh so hard,
My spark plugs sparkle, frizzle, and
freeze,

I lose control I hit my head, its jarred.
I am so cold, alone with my hurt knees.
Lying on the ground, now I'm bleeding
bad.

As I try to move it hurts so much
I see another sled, this made me glad
Still laying on the ground I scream and
shout.

He picked me up we drove along way
home

He takes me home and now I'm all alone.

For our poetry unit, we studied sonnets. We studied their structure. I wrote this sonnet for English class and I chose to write about snowmobiling because it is one of my favourite pastimes.

Technology: Designing a House

By: Collin Cramer



I designed this house for technology class. I found it to be a fun assignment. It was a project that took pretty long to create. This also shows some of the cool things that we get to do in our high school classes.

The Woman and the Dragon

By: Karen Boyes

We were studying the book of Revelations in bible class. We all had to draw a picture of one of the stories in Revelations. I chose this one because it is the most interesting story to me. In the story there is a pregnant woman standing on a moon and a dragon wants to eat her baby. She gives birth to the baby and God protects him. God also sends the woman to a safe place.



Science

By: Austin Hall

Hydroelectricity or hydroelectric power is the electricity obtained by harnessing the power of water flowing down from a high level. It is a timeless use of power and it can be used over and over again. Huge generators change the fast moving water into electrical energy. The potential energy of the water is first changed into mechanical energy and then into electrical energy.

This is an excerpt from my research into hydroelectricity. In science, we are looking into different forms of power generation. I chose to present this research because I have found it very interesting.

Grade 10 Anthology: Poetry

By: Zachary Bakker

Strength

Strength is something to love and
something to fear

Something to keep close and to hold
dear

Use it to defend and use it to fight
Use it to keep peace and protect what
is right

It is easy to misuse

And many people use it to abuse
To have great strength is a great ability
But is also a great responsibility

True Strength

Strength isn't always physical
Just because you can lift more doesn't
make you better

Strength can also be mental
The ability to be kind and forgive your
debtor

True strength comes from within
And if you hide it from the world it is
truly a sin.

These are two Poems that I wrote for English class. They are specifically for my anthology project. I wrote this poem because I had chosen strength as the theme for my project. Both poems talk about how important physical strength and inner strength are to me.