



Finding Words for Art

Directions: Pick a painting in the gallery that you find interesting, beautiful, or surprising...

1. Brainstorm words to describe your painting:

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2. What does the painting remind you of? Does it remind you of a trip you've taken, for example, an activity, a movie, a song...?

3. When you look at the painting, do you imagine that it makes a sound? What kind of sound? Or is it silent? What kind of silence does it make: lonely, peaceful...?

4. If the painting could talk, what do you imagine it would say?

5. How does the painting make you feel?



Directions: Look over the words and phrases you used on the front of this worksheet. Choose three to four words and/or phrases that you think are most important to your painting.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Using the words and/or phrases above write a short poem (6–10 lines) about your painting:
