

## Session 2 – The Lighthouse – Diamante Poems

Today, we are going to write some poetry based on the Lighthouse animation clip.

A diamante poem has 7 lines:

Tiger  
Orange, Black  
Purring, Pouncing, Growling  
Teeth, Tail, Trees, Leaves  
Rustling, Creaking, Groaning  
Dense, Dark  
Jungle

It follows this pattern...

noun 1 (the name of a thing)  
adjective, adjective (describing noun 1)  
verb, verb, verb, (actions linked to noun 1)  
noun, noun (to do with noun 1), noun, noun (to do with noun 2)  
verb, verb verb (actions linked to noun 2)  
adjective, adjective (describing noun 2)  
noun 2 (the name of a thing)

Can you write your own diamante poem about the lighthouse and the sea from the animation? You can use the ideas below about to help you if you wish.

<https://www.literacyshed.com/the-lighthouse.html>

**Lighthouse:** tall, bold, bright, magnificent, huge, lonely, solitary, remote, striped, guiding, shining, standing, looming, glowing, illuminating, warning, leading, directing, light, tower, lamp, lens, steps, rocks, coast.

**Sea:** choppy, angry, deep, dangerous, turbulent, restless, grey, wild, mighty, cold, raging, surging, swaying, crashing, rushing, engulfing, swallowing, rolling, sweeping, wave, crest, boat, water, breaker, surf, foam.