

Words Are Things: Using Poetry as an Extension to Your Curriculum

Books:

[The Breakbeat Poets Volume 4: LatiNext](#), Felicia Chavez, José Olivarez, Willie Perdomo

[Rhythm and Resistance: Teaching Poetry for Social Justice](#), Linda Christensen, Dyan Watson, Renée Watson, Bob Peterson, and others

[The Other Latin@: Writing Against a Singular Identity](#), Blas Falconer & Lorraine M. López

[Poetry Like Bread](#), Martín Espada

[Aloud: Voices from the Nuyorican Poets Cafe](#), Miguel Algarin & Bob Holman

[The Anti-Racist Writing Workshop: How to Decolonize the Creative Writing Classroom \(BreakBeat Poets Series\)](#), Felicia Rose Chavez

Websites:

[Poetry Out Loud Database](#)

[Nuyorican Poets Cafe Website](#)

[US Latinx Voices in Poetry Database from Poetry Foundation](#)

[Poem-A-Day by the Academy of American Poets](#)

Poets/Poems in the Classroom:

- Moncho Alvarado
 - [An Erasure of Senate Bill 1698 \(2\)](#)
- Willie Perdomo
 - [That's My Heart Right There](#)
- Jesús Papoleto Méendez
 - [spring again](#)
- Ada Limón
 - [The Contract Says, We'd Like the Conversation to Be in Bilingual](#)
 - [A New National Anthem](#)
- Natalie Diaz
 - [Abecedarian Requiring Further Examination of Anglikan Seraphym Subjugation of a Wild Indian Rezervation](#)
 - [They Don't Love You Like I Love You](#)
- Jose Olivarez
 - [poem where no one is deported](#)
 - [Down to My Elbows \(ending on a line by Shakespeare\)](#)
 - [I Walk Into Every Room and Yell Where The Mexicans At](#)
- Erika L. Sanchez
 - [All of Us](#)
- Noel Quiñones
 - [ode to new money](#)
- Rosa Alcalá
 - [At Hobby Lobby](#)
- Javier Zamora
 - [Deportation Letter](#)
 - [Citizenship](#)
- Rachel McKibbens
 - [Salvage](#)
 - [When I Return to Your Death as a Poet](#)

- David Hernandez
 - [Dear Proofreader](#)
- Elizabeth Acevedo
 - [Manhunt or Ode to First Kisses](#)
 - [For the Poet Who Told Me Rats Aren't Noble Enough](#)
 - [Creatures for a Poem](#)
- Roberto Carlos Garcia
 - [From "The Tempest"](#)
- Grisel Y. Acosta
 - [We Are Not All in the Same Quarantine](#)
- Yung Pueblo
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