Acrostic Poetry Rubric

Name	Grade	_ Date

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Poetic Form	The acrostic follows poetic form.	Most of the lines of the acrostic poem follow poetic form.	Some of the lines of the acrostic follow poetic form.	The acrostic does not follow poetic form.
Focus	The acrostic is very well developed and relates to the topic.	The acrostic relates to the topic.	The acrostic somewhat relates to the topic.	The acrostic does not relate to the topic.
Spelling	No spelling errors.	1 to 2 spelling errors.	3 to 4 spelling errors.	5 or more spelling errors.