**DIAMANTE POEM FORMAT**

1. Noun (beginning topic)
2. Adjective, Adjective (about beginning topic)
3. Gerund, Gerund, Gerund (-ing words about beginning topic)
4. Four nouns -OR- a short phrase (about both beginning and ending topics)
5. Gerund, Gerund, Gerund (-ing words about ending topic)
6. Adjective, Adjective (about ending topic)
7. Noun (ending topic)