# L.O. I can analyse a poem.

#### SPOT THE MISTAKES!

I carn't believe its friday tomorrow!

Have you got a rubber I could borrow.

Why are nt you doing the task on the board?

We is really looking forward to robinwood.

## 'The Word Party' by Richard Edwards.

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What's the rhyme scheme?

How many syllables per line?

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#### L.O.: analysing the poem in words.

We need to show off what we know. Your task is to write two paragraphs about the poem from the previous slide, The Word Party sharing everything you know about poetic devices and everything you can see i the poem. Take a look at the WAGOLL below.

This poem is called 'The Word Party'. It uses personification to pretend that the words are actually people at a party; it imagines what they would do.

The poem has the rhyme scheme AABB all the way through, and most lines are 8 syllables. This means that it has a good rhythm and sounds good when read aloud. The poet also makes good use of repetition, using the word 'words' on nearly every line. There are also examples of alliteration, such as \_\_\_\_\_

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This poem is called

It uses personification

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The poem has the rhyme scheme .

This means that

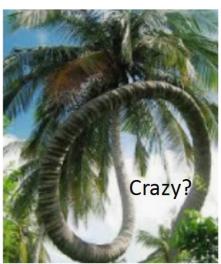
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If these trees had human characteristics, what could they be?



Can you come up with 5 different human characteristics for each tree?











## What type of word would:

come in fancy dress	
make a mess	
annoy the neighbours	
tidy up after themselves	
talk all night	
take selfies with everyone	

What would these words be doing at the party? Pick 5 of them and choose what they would be doing.

helpful	talented	persevering
rapid	friendly	brave
clumsy	disgusting	courageous
posh	energetic	miniature
massive	pleasant	lazv

Challenge 1 - Create a poem of personification.

Challenge 2 - Make it rhyme. Challenge 3 - Can you give it rhythm? You have today (Thursday) and tomorrow (Friday) to create your poem in the style of the Word Party so use today's slides for tomorrow also and make sure you go to each English clinic to help you.

