**Black History Poetry Project**

During this month we will celebrate Black History by exploring and learning about African American poets and poetry. Throughout the month we will look at poets and poetry from Langston Hughes to Amanda Gorman. We are asking for all students/families to choose a African American poet and poem, memorize it and recite it on February 26, 2021. You are welcomed to record and send it to the teacher or put it on teams. We look forward to everyone’s participation. Please complete the form, take a picture and send it your teacher. If you have any questions, please contact your teacher.

Name of Poet:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Possible Resources:

<https://www.poetryfoundation.org/collections/101640/celebrating-black-history-month>

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Category:African-American\_poets](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Category%3AAfrican-American_poets)