

## EARLY MEMORY POEM

Try to remember a significant event that happened to you before you entered school. Remember this event and relive it in your mind's eye. Then write, using the suggested pattern, the following poem:

- (Line #1) (where did it take place - setting)
- (Line #2) (what was happening - action)
- (Line #3) (two or three words/phrases that show emotion - mood)
- (Line #4) (an important detail from the action - climax)
- (Line #5) (skip a line)
- (Line #6) (tell in one word/phrase how you felt - conclusion)

Reminder: Show through elaboration and word choices; don't tell.

