

**“Sending a Sonnet”**

Sonnets are often thought to center on the topic of love, and or passion or a person’s struggle to find or believe in love. **While sticking to the 5 English sonnet rules,** write a Sonnet about love in lyrical form. Your sonnet doesn’t have to be specifically about any person, and it doesn’t even have to view love in a positive light; it just must involve the topic of love in some form. Again, you don’t have to put a person’s name in your poem, and the sonnet could actually be about how someone has hurt you or haven’t showed you love; it’s completely up to you however you want to approach the subject of love! It could even be about how you’d like to find love! Make sure that your sonnet introduces some type of conflict or problem in relation to love, and the final couplet must resolve it in some way.

*After you have completed writing your sonnet, while using the 5 English sonnet rules, then you must create a* ***greeting card*** *that includes your sonnet.*

**Your Greeting Card:**

-Cover must have a picture with some sort of opening line

-Inside must include the sonnet and another picture

-Back must include your name, the sonnet’s title, and a fictional greeting card

company name and logo.

-Your card must be colorful and creative; it should look and sound like something

that could actually be sold and sent! Remember: be appropriate & professional!

You can use the Pages program on the Mac to create your card; it makes it fun & easy! Just choose a birthday card, etc. template and replace the text and images. You can also use online images in your card. You may also hand draw your card and develop a hard copy card to hand in, rather than an electronic version. If you make a card on Pages, then you can just turn it in electronically!

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