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Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes

By Eleanor Coerr

Chapter Five Activity
Write a Poem

Directions: Look at Eleanor Coerr’s poem from Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes. Analyze the word spacing, capitalization, line lengths, and any other aspects of the poem. Then, write your own poem about something related to the book. Coerr’s poem is only one sentence. Try to keep your poem about one sentence.

Eleanor Coerr’s Poem:

“Out of colored paper, cranes
come flying into
our house.”

Write your own poem here:

How does your formatting (capitalization, line length and spacing, word spacing, etc.) add meaning to your poem?
