GRADE 5: BEYOND GENDER STEREOTYPES

## "Just Because" Poem 🗧

NAME				
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## **Directions**

Think about some of the gender stereotypes you've seen in your life and online. How do these stereotypes apply to you? Are they true for you, or do you challenge them? Create a poem addressing stereotypes by sharing things that are true about you.

Just because 1 am a girl					
Doesn't mean	I don't like sports				
Doesn't mean	I like princesses				
Doesn't mean	pink is my favorite color				
Just because I like playing video games					
Doesn't mean	I am like a boy				
Doesn't mean	I don't do well in school				
Doesn't mean	I'm a griefer				
Just because I like to use my phone					
Doesn't mean	I use it all the time				
Doesn't mean	I don't do my homework				
Doesn't mean	I send too many texts				



