

POETRY OUT LOUD

2014

Why memorize and recite poems?

- Poetry offers mastery of language, and stocks the mind with images and ideas in unforgettable words and phrases
- Poetry trains and develops our emotional intelligence
- Poetry reminds us that language is holistic—that how something is said is part of what is being said, with the literal meaning of words only part of their whole meaning, which is also carried by tone of voice, inflection, rhythm
- Poetry lets us see the world through other eyes, and equips us imaginatively and spiritually to face the joys and challenges of our lives.

Jan. 27 TOO COLD!	28 TOO COLD!	29 - 56 2ND - POL 1 3RD - POL 1 7TH - POL 1	30 - 34 2ND- POL 2 7TH- POL 2	31 - 12 3RD - POL 2 7TH - POL3
FEB. 3 - 100 2ND - POL3 3RD - POL3 7TH - POL4	4 - 78 2ND - POL4 3RD - POL4	5 - 56 2ND - POL5 3RD - POL5 7TH - POL5	6 - 34 2ND - POL6 7TH - POL6	7 - 12 3RD - POL6 7TH - POL7
10 - 100 2ND - POL7 3RD - POL7 7TH - TBD START <u>LIFE OF PI</u>				

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POL Day 1

WELCOME BACK!
INTRO PROJECT
START CHOOSING POEMS

POL Day 2

CHOOSING POEMS
FIRST READ-THROUGH

POL Day 3

SAMPLE VIDEOS
DIGGING INTO YOUR POEM

POL Day 4

SAMPLES VIDEOS
WRITING AND THINKING
TONE - MOOD - PACE

POL Day 5

PRACTICE COMPETITION - SMALL GROUPS

POL Day 6

COMPETITION - PART 1

POL Day 7

COMPETITION - PART 2