

Structure

Starter

Task 1: Read the poem below.

Task 2: Highlight and label any poetic/writing techniques (e.g. metaphors, rhetorical question).

Task 3: What do you notice about how the poem starts and ends? Why has the poet structured it this way? What point is the poet trying to make?

‘Legends Never Die’ (performed by Against The Current, Alan Walker & Mako)

Legends never die
When the world is callin' you
Can you hear them screaming out your name?
Legends never die
They become a part of you
Every time you bleed for reaching greatness
Relentless, you survive
They never lose hope when everything's cold and the fighting's near
It's deep in their bones, they'll ride into smoke when the fire is fierce
No, pick yourself up, 'cause

Legends never die
When the world is calling you
Can you hear them screamin' out your name?
Legends never die
They become a part of you
Every time you bleed for reaching greatness
Legends never die

They're written down in eternity
But you'll never see the price it costs
The scars collected all their lives
When everything's lost, they pick up their hearts and avenge defeat
Before it all starts, they suffer through harm just to touch a dream
Oh, pick yourself up, 'cause

Legends never die
When the world is calling you
Can you hear them screamin' out your name?
Legends never die
They become a part of you
Every time you bleed for reaching greatness
Legends never die

When the world is callin' out your name
Beggin' you to fight
Pick yourself up once more
Pick yourself up, 'cause

Legends never die
When the world is calling you
Can you hear them screamin' out your name?
Legends never die
They become a part of you
Every time you bleed for reaching greatness
Legends never die