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YEAR 6 WRITING

This term 6M have been learning about poetic devices in poems written by famous poets, including Australian and Indigenous poets.

One technique we explored are extended metaphors. Extended metaphors are metaphors that unfold over multiple lines to create meaning, imagery and mood.

After interpreting a poem from Emily Dickinson called "Hope" is the thing with feathers, students were asked to create their own extended metaphor poems. Here are some of their poems.

He is a bright star-He shines with glory With a contagious smile That is tossed - in the waves

Turning into a dull star That is lost - in space-Confidence washed away Glowing brightness - drowned out But a window of light-Clearing his vision-He is a bright star-He shines with glory.

Written by Nadine W and Merona A

My room is a dreamlandwith a soft fluffy thronewith stories on every wall- and a magical sky painted aboveand it's all mine

Written by Xander G

Life is like a mazeendless twists and turnsthat all lead to a different outcomethere are so many options that can change your lifeforever-

Written by Alex A

Life is like a box of chocolates You never know which flavour you'll get You can get lucky or unlucky You'll never know until you try

Written by Chloe L and Alana M