## Children's Poetry Contest

WHO: Any student currently in grades 1 - 5

WHAT: Any one piece of poetry that you have written

WHERE: Submit entries to any M/RCPL location

WHEN: Entries accepted March 2 - March 30, 2015

## Rules for Entering:

- ✓ You may submit only one entry
- ✓ Poems must be an original work by the student
- ✓ Poetry must be submitted in paper form
- Entries must be neatly written or typed
- ✓ Maximum length is one page
- Attach a completed entry form to your piece of poetry
- ✓ Sorry, manuscripts cannot be returned
- Only winners will be notified

Winners will be notified by phone by Saturday, April 4.

## Winning Categories:

Grades 1-3: 1st, 2nd, 3rd place Grades 4-5: 1st, 2nd, 3rd place

Winning poems will be displayed in the Children's Department at Main Library from Monday, April 6 to Wednesday, April 29. Poems will also be put on the Library's website and on the Family Zone blog.

## Children's Poetry Contest - Entry Form

Submission deadline: Monday, March 30, 2015

\*Form may be photocopied, but each entry must have an original signature.

DO NOT put your name on the manuscript.

Name	Phone
Address	
City	Zip Code
School	 Grade
Poem Title	

I certify that this is my own poetry. Mansfield/Richland County Public Library has my permission to reprint my work in its publications.

Signature Mansfield/Richland County Public Library