

Romantic Poet Project

For this project, you will research a Romantic poet or writer that we did not study in class. You will research about their life and pick a poem or writing and explain the Romantic elements in the piece.

Process:

- Choose a Romantic Poet or writer. Different writers you can choose are:
 - Percy Bysshe Shelley
 - John Keats
 - John Clare
 - Lord Byron
 - Anyone of your choosing. You can find a list of Romantic poets online if you would like to focus on someone else.
- Research about this poet's life. You must find at least TWO credible sources for this project.
- You will write a biography about this poet. What was their life like? When were they born? Where did they live? What interesting things did they go through? What did they like to write about?
 - Your biography must be at least two paragraphs
- Choose one of the poet's poems. Describe the poem and the themes in the poem.
 - What kinds of themes are seen in the poem? What kind of style is the poem?
 - This must be at least one paragraph
- After their biography, you must compare this poet to one of the poets we discussed in class. (Blake, Coleridge, Wordsworth)
 - This must be at least one paragraph.
 - Some questions to consider:
 - How were their writing styles similar? How were they different?
 - How were the themes of their writings similar and different?

Your final project will include:

A two paragraph biography of the poet of your choosing

A paragraph description of one of the poet's poems.

A compare/contrast paragraph of the poet with one of the poet's we discussed in class.

A works cited page