

## Poetry iMovie

*Goal: use iMovie software to create a multimedia poetry presentation (sound, music, movement). This project will be close to two (2) minutes in length.*

1. Choose poet or poetic theme

2. Requirements for iMovie.

- Poet or poetic theme (record your voice)
- Poet background or explanation of genre (record your voice)
- Three or four poems (record your voice)
- Script (Introduction, Body, Conclusion)
- Visual aids (illustrations, posters, photographs, images from the Web)
- Titles, transitions
- Audio aids (voices, sound effects, music)
- Ending: **Scrolling text, over black title** which serves as works cited – this is where you cite all pictures, music, and other information used within your movie.

3. Hand in written script – poems, background information, as well as works cited. This must be typed, 1.5 spaced, at least 12 font. You must complete works cited in basic MLA\* format. Your script must be complete **before** starting your movie! Use the following heading:

- Name
- Theme or Poet
- Music selection
- Date

\*MLA format help: [Citation Machine](#), or [EasyBib](#)

### **Creating the scenes**

- Movie pictures/footage- use a digital camera to stage pictures. Scan book cover, search for pictures online. Many authors have web sites; you are encouraged to discover these. Some helpful picture sites can be found here: [http://www.digitales.us/resources/image\\_sources.php](http://www.digitales.us/resources/image_sources.php)
- Movie music- <http://www.freeplaymusic.com/> From this site, search and download a music selection (to iTunes) that compliments your book.
- Other elements to include: Titles, Transitions, and, optional: Effects. Your **VOICE** is an audio track! Write that script!
- I encourage the use of a word document to store resources -web addresses, script, etc, and for other organization. (use your script as this! Yes, you handed in, but can keep an electronic copy)
- Save often in iMovie. Save to local folder (movies on the hard drive- NOT on your server folder- until movie is complete!)

