

Poem ideas

Your task is to write a narrative poem about Harry; his experience as a pilot in the Second World War and the worries his mother must have had.

Begin by thinking about how Harry and his mother must have felt when Harry was at work. Use the speech bubbles to write down their thoughts.



Mrs Simpson

Harry Simpson

Make a list of powerful **descriptive words** which could be useful to describe Harry and Mrs Simpson's situation.

Examples: *Courageous, frightful, anxious*

Use the space below to write your ideas for **similes** and **metaphors** based on the sights, sounds and smells that Harry would have encountered.

Example: *The engine roars like a mighty lion*

Poem Template

Use the framework below to help you to set out your poem.

Your narrative poem could be written from the point of view of Mrs Simpson **or** Harry Simpson.

Your poem could be **up to** four verses long, each verse should contain four lines.

Poem title: **Just a letter to say...**

Verse 1 idea:

Preparation for leaving.



Verse 2 idea:

Saying goodbye.



Verse 3 idea:

Being separated.



Verse 4 idea:

Danger and tragedy.



Large writing area with 16 horizontal lines for the poem.