**Found Poetry – Core Values Playlist**

**“Found poetry** is a type of **poetry** created by taking words, phrases, and sometimes whole passages from other sources and reframing them as **poetry** (a literary equivalent of a collage) by making changes in spacing and lines, or by adding or deleting text, thus imparting new meaning.”

Using as your sole source the song lyrics from at least three of the songs identified on your Core Values Playlist, you must produce a found poem that focuses on **one of the values** you have identified as significant in your life. Your poem must be a minimum of 100 words and it must be made up of words and short passages found in your song lyrics. Words such as I, the, and, etc. do not factor into your word count and do not have to be accounted for when documenting where you took the word from. The style of your poem will be entirely up to you. Your poem must include a minimum of 2 poetic devices that we have discussed and studied in class.

You will be responsible for handing in 2 drafts of your found poem. The first draft will include an explanation of the poetic devices that you have included in your poem; what devices you decided to use and how they help bring out the meaning of your poem, as well as a song reference beside each word or phrase that you have used.

Your second and final draft will be a ‘clean’ copy and consist only of your title and final version of your poem.

**List of poetic techniques:**

Your Found Poem is due on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_