



# Express Yourself Through Poetry

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

1. Write a Haiku poem about the Cahokia Mounds.

2. Create a visual to go with your poem.

3. Writing a Haiku poem

The haiku is a very structured poetry form. Initially introduced by the Japanese, it is a three-lined poem containing five syllables in the first line, seven in the second, and five in the third.

*The Cahokia  
were alive long, long ago  
on the river banks.*