

hurihia to aroaro ki te ra tukuna to atarangi kia taka ki muri i a koe

Maori proverb

Be ready to get fit with Miss Garrett all the way up north in Kerikeri.





Spring

by Judi Billcliff



Like a coiled seasonal spring Ready to unwind and be released As it pounces on nature. Spring, as exciting as the sound Of popcorn popping, Or sausages sizzling on the barbecue. Blossoms beginning to bloom, Their beauty acting like a magnet Drawing us in with the memory Of plump, sweet, juicy fruit. New born lambs frolicking freely In the lush fields without a care Late frosts reminding us of winter past Followed by the sun, warm and inviting, Letting us know summer Is around the corner, almost here. But for now, it is spring -A season full of promise and hope.



This poem is about the five senses of Spring

Ouestions to answer

From the poem, what are **two** things you can see?

Answer:

From the poem, what is **one** thing you can hear?

Example: popcorn popping (the sound of 'popping' is something you can hear.)

Answer:

From the poem, list as many words used to describe something you can taste...

Answer:

From the poem, find a word that **describes** something you can smell

Answer:

From the poem, what is something you can touch or feel when spring arrives

Answer:

Extra for Experts:

Write the sentence that uses a **simile**

Answer:

CREATING A POEM

Here is a photo of a different looking lamb

Write your own story or poem about this blue lamb

Your story or poem needs to include the 5 SENSES:

- 1. What you see
- What you hear
- 3. What you taste
- 4. What you smell
- 5. What you touch or feel when spring arrives

** Try include at least **one simile** in your story or poem



Make Nature Shadow Art

Can you find some natural **taonga (treasures**) in your garden

- leaves
- Stones
- Sticks
- Grass ...

Using different natural taonga's to create a Nature Shadow Face

Make sure the sun * is out and using your face shadow take a photo in front of your *creation* * ★

Upload your nature shadow art onto google classroom!!





