Kennings and Limericks

National Curriculum Objectives:

Develop positive attitudes to reading, and an understanding of what they read, by:

listening to and discussing a wide range of poetry

preparing poems and play scripts to read aloud and to perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action

discussing words and phrases that capture the reader's interest and imagination recognising some different forms of poetry [for example, free verse, narrative poetry]

Understand what they read by:

identifying how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning

Plan their writing by:

discussing writing similar to that which they are planning to write in order to understand and learn from its structure, vocabulary and grammar

discussing and recording ideas

in non-narrative material, using simple organisational devices

Evaluate and edit by:

assessing the effectiveness of their own and others' writing and suggesting improvements

Key Vocabulary				
kenning	limerick	hyphen		
alliteration	syllables	noun-verb phrases		
beat	pattern			

Key:	Disciplinary	Substantive	Bigger picture
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Glossary

kenning	
limerick	
alliteration	







Learning intents questions		Teacher
Have I written my kenning using noun-verb phrases?		
Have I used current punctuation for my kenning - capital letters, hyphen, commas and full stop?		
Does my kenning describe the object without saying what it is?		
Have I included 5 lines in my limerick and the name of a person or place in line 1?		
Have I used rhyming words at the end of lines 1, 2 and 5?		
Have I used rhyming words at the end of lines 3 and 4?		