**Poetry Analysis Essay**

**Grading Checklist**

* **Used necessary elements of the intro template /7**
* **Analyzed poetic devices /7**
* **Analyzed a shift in the poem /7**
* **Analyzed sound devices in some form (meter, alliteration, etc.) /7**
* **Analyzed speaker’s tone (attitude) /7**
* **Wrote body paragraphs in TEXAS (or TEXAXAS/TEXAXAXAS) /8**
* **Followed essay conventions (wrote in present tense, didn’t praise the author or use cliché/empty phrases like ~~“helps the reader picture…” “draws the reader’s attention…” “paints a picture…”~~) /7**