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## Write Your Own Poem

Write your own poem that starts with "October is when . . ." Use words that make you think of that month and include at least two examples of personification.

### Choose Your Words!

Make a list of words that make you think of October. We'll get you started: *pumpkin, halloween, apples*

Now write at least five words of your own:

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| 1. _____ | 6. _____  |
| 2. _____ | 7. _____  |
| 3. _____ | 8. _____  |
| 4. _____ | 9. _____  |
| 5. _____ | 10. _____ |

### Personification

Choose two of your words from the list above and think of a human activity they might do. For example, a pumpkin could laugh at a child's funny costume, or apples could jump down from a tree.

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### Put It All Together

Use your October words, your examples of personification, and your opener ("October is when . . .") to write your own poem.

### October is when \_\_\_\_\_

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