

# FLOURISH

## Writing Prompt 1: Found Poetry

**You will need:** A pen /pencil and paper (write on the back or ask inside at the Barn).

**Instructions:** Explore the Wild Garden to find 23 words hidden in the trees. Write down as many as you can find in a list.

**Try this:** Write a small 'found' poem using **only** the words you have written down. You don't have to use them all - you can use just a selection. You can make alterations to the words to make the poems flow better such as adding 's' or 'ing'. You can also add words such as 'the' 'or' 'and' etc. if needed.

**Now try:** Use the found words as inspiration for a poem of any type adding in words of your own to make it flow to your liking.

**Sharing:** Post your poems in the Flourish post box in the Garden.

Any work shared with the Barn will be kept as a record of the FLOURISH project and may go on display or form part of an exhibition in early 2018.

Keep a copy for yourself as we cannot return any submissions.

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