

R-E-S-P-E-C-T Poems

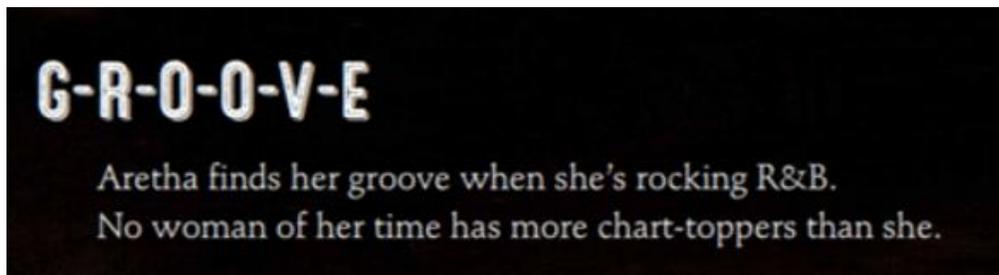
Introduction: Challenge the students to use the poem pattern presented in *RESPECT: Aretha Franklin, the Queen of Soul* to create poems based on the meanings of economic concepts.

Poem Pattern

- First Line- Hyphenated vocabulary Word
- Second & Third Line- Couplet with lines ending with the long “e” sound



EXAMPLE FROM BOOK



EXAMPLE FOR ACTIVITY

B-A-R-T-E-R

Exchanging goods and services without money
Is a method of trade that works for me.

Create Your Own “Groovy” Poem

Example:

O-P-P-O-R-T-U-N-I-T-Y C-O-S-T

When a decision is made, we soon see
What the next best choice given up will be

Suggested Economic Concepts & Terms

Capital Resource	Entrepreneur	Saving
Choice	Goods	Scarcity
Consumer	Human Resource	Services
Credit	Money	Specialization
Decision	Natural Resource	Supply
Demand	Opportunity Cost	Wage
Earn	Producer	Wants

Some Words with “ee” endings

Agree	Gee	Ph.D.
Be	Glee	See
Carefree	Guarantee	Shopping spree
Degree	ID	Three
Disagree	Key	Tree
Fee	Me	VIP
Free	Money	We