Worksheet 3: WORKSHOP WITH A POEM GENERATOR

Work with vocabulary and grammar to make a poem.

Exercise 1. Electricity poems

Read some of the electricity poems at <u>Hello Poetry</u>, which have all been composed by pupils. Practise reading/reciting poems to each other. If you do not know how to pronounce words, you may use the speaker in Merriam-Webster's online dictionary (or another that you know).

Exercise 2. Grammar

Find nouns and verbs in the poems. You may extend your noun and verb charts with new words from the poems you have studied. Translate the new words into Norwegian. Below you will find a few examples of new nouns (chart 1) and verbs (chart 2) related to electricity. Add more examples.

CHART 1

Nouns	Translation into Norwegian
circuit	
bulb	
buzzer	

CHART 2

Verbs	Translation into Norwegian
start	
touch	
save	

Exercise 3. The Poem generator

- 1. By now you have the two most important grammatical elements to make a poem. You may use words from your charts and let the rhyme generator make a poem for you.
- 2. Go to the <u>poem generator</u>. NOTE: you will be asked to provide a plural noun (et substantiv i flertall, e.g. sockets) or a name (e.g. Steven). You will also be asked to provide a pronoun (her, him, it). Follow the instructions as you go along.
- 3. Read your poems aloud to each other.
- 4. Which one is your favourite? Why? Discuss in the class criteria that are necessary to make a good poem.