

National Limerick Day

A limerick is a type of poem that has five lines. The structure of these poems is simple and fun! The rhyme scheme of the poem is AABBA, which means that the first, second, and fifth line rhyme with each other while the third and fourth rhyme with each other. Here's a popular example of a limerick:

There was an Old Man with a beard,
Who said, "It is just as I feared! --
Two Owls and a Hen, four Larks and a Wren,
Have all built their nests in my beard."

Try writing your own limericks in the spaces below! Write them about anything you want, just make sure to follow the rhyming structure! Feel free to use the back of this paper to write more if you would like!

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