Shakespeare’s Sisters
Five Centuries of Poetry by Women

Interested in Poetry?

Take part in Shakespeare’s Sisters, a 10-week seminar at the Folger Shakespeare Library, and meet a diverse group of poetry lovers in grades 10–12 from across the DC region.

January 4–March 8, 2017
Wednesdays, 4pm–6pm
FREE (upon acceptance of application)

Read and discuss poems by British and American women poets from the mid-16th century to the present and write and share poems of your own.

No previous poetry writing experience necessary. All students, regardless of gender or gender identification, are encouraged to apply.

January 4  Poetry About Women: The Male Tradition in the Renaissance
January 11  Early Women Writers of the Renaissance
January 18  Women Writers of the 16th and 17th Centuries
January 25  A Royal Treat: Rare Books & Manuscripts from the Folger’s Vault
February 1  Pioneers in a New World: The 17th Century–Early 19th Century in America
February 8  New Forms & New Ideas: The 19th Century in America & England
February 15  Public & Private Bohemians: The 20th Century in America
February 22  Pioneers and Revolutionaries: Later 20th Century Voices
March 1  Contemporary Sisters Speak Out
March 8  Student Publication, Poetry Reading, and Party

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