

1. Now that you have toured the exhibition, please choose ONE work of art that you would like to write about.

Name of the painting: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Look into the painting and write whatever comes to your mind related to it.

FREE WRITING (10 min.)

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3. Choose 5 key words from the your writing.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

4. EKPHRASIS: Write a poem in response to the painting by using the words you chose from your writing. (20 min.)

Your poem can be about

- the scene or the subject depicted in the painting
- your experience of looking at the painting
- how/why Van Gogh created this artwork

You can write your ekphrastic poem

- by using your own voice
- in the voice of Van Gogh
- in the voice of the figures in the painting

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5. Share your poem.