

## HOME

### 1. Free Writing on the theme of *going home*

The writing can be about

the journey itself;  
the feelings the thought of going home brings to you;  
arriving at your destination.

### 2. My House Dreams...

Take a piece of paper and draw in six squares.

Name the squares as six rooms or areas, including backyards, gardens etc, in which you lived while a child between the ages of, say, 5 and 12.

Finally, furnish the rooms or areas with some objects you remember from that time and any memories which either the objects, or the spaces themselves, bring to mind.

### 3. Read 'No. 115 Dreams' by Jackie Kay

*And No. 115 dreams of lovely houses by the sea.  
And No. 115 dreams of one night in the country.*

You can read the whole poem [here](#).

Using Kay's poem as a flexible template write your own poem about your childhood home.

Write in the voice of either the objects or the spaces.

Share your writing with the group.

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