Module 4: Bathymetry Topic 4 Application: Seamounts and Guyots Acrostic Poem Rubric

	25 Points	20 Points	15 Points	10 Points
Content Accuracy	All content throughout the poem is accurate. There are no factual errors. The poem includes material needed to give a good understanding of	Most of the content is accurate, but there is one piece of information that is inaccurate. The poem is lacking one or two key elements. The poem is consistent	The content is generally accurate, but two to three pieces of information are clearly inaccurate. The poem is missing more than two key elements. The poem is rarely	Content is confusing or contains more than one factual error. The poem is lacking several key elements and has inaccuracies. The
Effectiveness	the topic. The poem is consistent with the assignment as it is written.	with the assignment as it is written most of the time.	consistent with the assignment as it is written.	poem is completely inconsistent with the assignment as it is written.
Creativity	The poem creatively uses adjectives and phrases. The poem flows nicely and makes sense.	The poem uses some adjectives and descriptive phrases. The poem makes sense.	The poem uses few adjectives and descriptive phrases, and does not flow well.	The poem uses no descriptive language. The poem is confusing and nonsensical.
Spelling and Grammar	The poem has no misspellings or grammatical errors.	The poem has 1-2 misspellings, but no grammatical errors.	The poem has 3-4 misspellings and 1 grammatical error.	The poem has more than 5 grammatical and/or spelling errors.

