Home work



On Fog Poetry and Prose Poetic and prosal presentations about certain s both have similarities and differences. For instance, the poem and prose descriptions of fog can be viewed both similarly and differently. Specifying first on their differences, prose descriptions present fog in an ordinary and literal manner, and as facts, not consisting of metric measurements. On the other hand, the poem description of fog uses figures of speech by comparing it to other inanimate objects, not directly exposing its exact characteristics. To cite, a line from the poem that fog is "On little cat feet" is similar to the prosal description "fog touches the surface of the earth." The formation of advection fog and steam fog as related to bodies of water can be placed in juxtaposition to the fog "looking over harbor and city." They more or less present same ideas, but vary in how they are written. Technical writing has several characteristics, including having a specific purpose for writing, the audience written for, providing accurate information, and logical and linear organization (" Characteristics"). The mentioned characteristics are found in the given prose. The purpose of the prose is to inform readers in a matter-offact manner the characteristics and causes of fog, most probably written for academically-engaged individuals like science students. The prose provides scientific information necessary for the audience and not consisting opinions, as in technical writing. It is arranged in an organized manner, initially introducing fog, then progressing to its types and occurrences, finally concluding to how fog poses hazards to vehicle drivers' ways to disperse fog. The presence of such technical writing features in the prose thus supports that the characteristics of the former can be applied to the latter. Reference Characteristics of technical writing. (n. d.). Retrieved from http://upcp. ece. gatech. edu/classes/content/Characteristics of Technical Writing. pdf