

# Thinking about LOVE (age 7-11 years)



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Here at the Jubilee Centre, we have been inspired by the book ['LOVE'](#) by Matt de la Pena and Loren Long.

We think love means different things to different people. Like the poem itself, love often doesn't follow rules and sometimes happens unexpectedly.

We think Matt and Loren did a brilliant job. They made us feel something through their words and art. Sometimes, they made us feel happy, and sometimes sad – just like love.

## When you read the book **LOVE**:

1. How do you feel?

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3. Was it the words the writer chose? Or perhaps the picture the illustrator drew?

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2. Which part of the story made you feel this way?

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4. Now think about your own life. When do you feel love?

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## Can you write a verse of a poem about when you feel love?

It can be a 'free verse', so no need for rhyming or rules (just like love). You could end your verse with the word love, if you like; but you don't have to.

You can use the [Compassion word clouds](#) to help you compose your poem, and the bordered paper to write your poem on.