



Let there be light

Our world, our future, our responsibility
God gave to hold in ones hands
Every seed-bearing plant,
In every breath, skies once blue.

To walk with gentle steps on this Earth
To welcome all things since birth
Treat the world right, let there be light
Guard God's beauty with your might

Pause, breathe simply be free
Release the Earth from it's pain, to let it grow away
Let the tears flow with rivers wide,
Where water teems with life inside.

God spoke, light and life awoke
God saw all that he had made
Always to stay never to fade
Make the world right until darkness meets the
light.



For my piece, I chose the quote Humanity is called to recognize the need for changes of lifestyle, production, and consumption, to combat this warming.

This poem is based on the Genesis 1 creation story, which reminds us how we could care for creation and the beauty of how world was created. This poem connects and teaches us to be at peace with creation because it is our duty to take care of and have responsibility for the creation and the Earth. This connects strongly to St Columba's College's theme of Hope, expressing our faith in a better future for our community, the planet, and the environment. I believe that if we all truly work together, we can change for future generations to come.