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## 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Poetry Recitation

Please help your child memorize one of the following poems. Initial and return this form to school when your child is ready to recite to the class.

#1 A Little Elf	#2 Homemade Gingerbread
Author Unknown	Author Unknown
A little elf	Stir a bowl of gingerbread,
Sat in a tree	Smooth and spicy brown.
Painting leaves	Roll it with a rolling pin,
To throw at me.	Up and down.
Leaves of yellow	With a cookie cutter,
And leaves of red	Make some little men.
Came tumbling down	Put them in the oven,
About my head.	Till half past ten.
Sat in a tree Painting leaves To throw at me. Leaves of yellow And leaves of red Came tumbling down	Smooth and spicy brown. Roll it with a rolling pin, Up and down. With a cookie cutter, Make some little men. Put them in the oven,

Evaluation Criteria:	Meets the standard – 20 points Progressing toward the standard – 10 points Does not meet the standard – 0 points
Posture:	
Enunciation:	
Accuracy:	
Volume:	
Pacing:	Overall Grade: