

## Procrastination

**(Speaker 1)** I sit here with so many thoughts going thru my head

I just want to close my eyes and go to bed.

How many times have you felt the pressures taking its toll?

And you want something concrete that you can hold.

**(Speaker 2)** You daydream of the way you would like things to be

But you come back to the realities

You know that you must strive to achieve your goals

And not let anything stand in your way

But then you leave it for another day.

**(Speaker 3)** Procrastination is always there,

And with your thoughts the space it will share.

You say “leave it for tomorrow and a brand new day”

But tomorrow comes and it’s washed away.

These are the pressures that are taking its tolls

When you lose your control.

**(Speaker 4)** Don’t leave off for tomorrow what you can do today

With procrastination there’s a heavy price to pay

## Thoughts for the Teacher

This poem is about the importance of studying for your tests, its really easy to say you will do it tomorrow when in fact tomorrow, you will say the same thing. This also ends on the great note of “the heavy price” that follows procrastination. That can easily be related back to standardized tests and the consequences of not studying.

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