Ex.9 || Give and Take

a)

This poem criticizes the way we treat the earth. It is very direct and honest. I think it is an appeal or a speech because the addressee is humanity.

b)

The speaker is the earth, and it is talking about the humans polluting and destroying it.

Content: HEY NOTICE ME I AM DYING.

c)

There is literally nothing that impressed me about this poem.

d)

Literally every part of this poem is filled with antithesis. For every good thing the earth gives us, we return it a bad or destroyed one.

e)

The poem wants to spread awareness that the earth gives us so much resources, but we use it to kill ourselves. That is why the poem is called Give and Take, because we do not really return the favor.

Ex.13 || Upcycling

a)

Upcycling involves repurposing or refurbishing things without breaking them down to their parts.

b)

The blog post “Upcycling: How to get involved in the latest sustainability trend” is about upcycling, which involves repurposing or refurbishing things without breaking them down to their parts.

You need to be sure that the item you are going to upcycle is going to withstand the transformation, especially when it comes to furniture, because joints or screws could be loose.

One more tip is that you should start simple and small to experiment and test your abilities.

And the last tip is that you should learn from your mistakes.