Exposure

Conflict
- reality of war
- effects of conflict

Repetition
- "but nothing happens"
- highly strung on adrenaline which lead to stress
- highlights uselessness of war
- sibilance, "sudden successive flights of bullets break the silence"
- sibilance of the sound is a lot more harsh than the softer 'f' which shows that while the bullets rush past suddenly and rapidly, the snowflakes fall is gentle and evocatively beautiful but no less deadly

Personification
- "winds that knife us"
- highlights how weather is more dangerous than the bullets
- "mad gusts"
- "pale flakes with lingering stealth faces"
- repeated to show the importance
- overwhelming

Structure
- understand intensity of waiting for battle
- narrative perspective
- Kanzas start with powerful start however the ending is anti-climactic

Key Quotes
- "shudders back with snows" shows the war is against nature
- "clouds say stormy" tricoloons associates war with rain and clouds as though they are naturally connected

Poems that link well
- Charge of the Light Brigade - reality of war
- Remains - effects of conflict
- Bayonet Charge - reality of war