

A Poem about Failure

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When you look up the word failure, this is what you'll read
"Lack of succes" or "failing to perform"
It embeds in your mind like a seed.
It can come from many things, as failure is very broad.
From just lack of effort, or even trying your best
Then asking "why me, God?"

I've been there many times, as every student does;
Failing to turn in an assignment, or not studying "just because".
Throughout my life as a student, this fact has brought me down.
There's been times where I question my intelligence-
No, seriously- I have felt like a clown.

But through this I have learned and been reminded again and again,
Just because I fail, doesn't mean that the world will end
Failing as a student is tiresome, becaus no one wants to NOT succeed
But failure is how we learn
And once you let yourself, that fact you learn to believe.

Failure is important to every human's growth.
Have you ever thought about how it's possible to have both?
Procrastination happens, as well as being unprepared,
But what YOU make of the outcome
Will show if you really cared.

Moral of the story, it is okay to fail.
Turn it into an experience,
Don't just try to bail.