# Uploading your poem to Soundcloud

To put your poem in the *Black Bough Poetry Christmas and Winter 2* edition playlist, follow these simple steps:

1. **Record your poem.** No need for expensive equipment or to book Abbey Road, just use your phone or computer mic to record it in your best voice.
2. **Sign in to your Soundcloud account.** If you don’t already have an account, you can create one for free at soundcloud.com
3. At the top of your Soundcloud profile page, **click ‘Upload’** and add your audio file.
4. **Fill in the information** about the name of the track (your poem’s name) and meta data, e.g. the genre is poetry. Select ‘Public’ under the privacy setting. Don’t worry about an image - if no image is provided, your profile picture will be used by default.
5. **Click save.**
6. **Click ‘Share’** and copy the url of the audio track.
7. **Email M.S. Evans** at [seanettleink@gmail.com](mailto:seanettleink@gmail.com) or Direct message me on Twitter @SeaNettleInk with the link to the audio track and I will add to the Christmas and Winter volume 2 playlist.
8. **Listen** to all the other poems on playlist when it comes out! Please share on your networks/ platforms. Thank you.