



Theme Idea and Theme:

Hope, Imagination
Dreams drive us to pursue a
better future.

Writing Strategies:

citation and what it means

Simile:

Symbolism:

Imagery:



"Over the Rainbow" by Harold Arlen



Citation/Explanation

"If happy little bluebirds fly/
Beyond the rainbow/ Why, oh
why can't I?" This self-
reflection will lead to
personal discoveries and
growth that will allow the
speaker to evolve into the
type of person necessary to
reach their dreams.

Tie to community's values

The inclusion of this song in
my childhood was meant to
foster values of imagination,
and a desire not only to
dream big, but to overcome
any obstacles that interfere
with my dreams.

Central Idea:

The speaker's dreams inspire them to better
themselves, so they can achieve their goals.