Practicing Haiku

The first line
The second line
The third line

What is a haiku?
A haiku is a three-line poem of 17 syllables. The first line has five syllables, the second has seven and the third has five.

A haiku captures a moment in time, a glimpse of nature, a personal feeling and a little surprise. That’s a lot for three lines!

Start by noticing things around you. Then try “sketching” what you see in words, using a few strong images. And keep practicing.