

Class 1 Poetry Recitation

The North Wind doth Blow



Three Blind Mice



Ladybird, Ladybird



Sind a Song o' Sixpence



One, Two Buckle My Shoe



Dr Foster



The North Wind doth Blow

The North wind doth blow,
And we shall have snow,
And what will the robin do then, poor thing?
He'll sit in a barn
And keep himself warm,
And hide his head under his wing, poor thing?



North Wind Doth Blow-Questions

What does doth mean?

Does

What is a robin?

A small bird with a red chest.

What is a barn?

An outside building where animals are kept.

Why does the robin need to keep himself warm?

Because it's going to snow.

What word rhymes with blow?

Snow.

Three Blind Mice

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See how they run! See how they run!

They all ran after the farmer's wife,

Who cut off their tails with a carving knife,

Did you ever see such a thing in your life,

As three blind mice?



Three Blind Mice-Questions

How many blind mice were there?

Three.

What does blind mean?

You cannot see.

Who did the mice chase after?

The farmer's wife.

What do we use a carving knife for?

To carve meat.

Which words rhyme with knife?

Knife, Life.

Ladybird, Ladybird

Ladybird, Ladybird,
Fly away home,
Your house is on fire,
Your children are gone;
All except one
And her name is Ann
And she crept under
The frying pan.



Ladybird, Ladybird-Questions

What type of creature is a ladybird?

A mini-beast.

What do we use a frying pan for?

Cooking.

Who was left behind in the house?

Ann.

How would Mummy ladybird get home?

She would fly.

What might have happened to the house?

It may have burnt down.

Sing a Song o' Sixpence

Sing a song o' sixpence,
A pocket full of rye;
Four-and-twenty blackbirds,
Baked in a pie.
When the pie was opened,
The birds began to sing;
Wasn't that a dainty dish
To set before the King?
The King was in his counting-house,
Counting out his money;
The Queen was in the parlour,
Eating bread and honey.
The maid was in the garden,
Hanging out the clothes,
When down came a blackbird
And pecked off her nose.



Sing a Song O' Sixpence-Questions

What is a sixpence?

An old coin worth six pennies.

What is rye?

A grain we use to bake with.

How many blackbirds were baked into the pie?

24.

What is a parlour?

A downstairs room often used to relax.

Which word rhymes with money?

Honey.

One, Two, Buckle my Shoe



One, two,
Buckle my shoe;

Three, four,
Knock at the door;

Five, six,
Pick up sticks;

Seven, eight,
Lay them straight;

Nine, ten,

A big fat hen;

Eleven, Twelve,

Dig and delve;

Thirteen, fourteen,

Maids-a-courting;

Fifteen, sixteen,

Maids in the
kitchen;

Seventeen,
eighteen,

Maids in waiting;

Nineteen, twenty,

My plate's empty.



One, two, Buckle my Shoe-Questions

What is a buckle?

A fastening on a belt or a shoe.

What does it mean to dig and delve?

To look for something.

What is a maid?

A lady who does lots of jobs and chores.

What would a maid do in the kitchen?

Cook.

Which word rhymes with six?

Sticks.

Doctor Foster

Doctor Foster went to Gloucester

In a shower of rain;

He stepped in a puddle,

Right up to his middle,

And never went there again.



Doctor Foster-Questions

What is a doctor?

Somebody who helps you when you are sick or hurt. They can give you medicine.

Where is Gloucester?

It is a town in the middle of England.

What did Doctor Foster step in?

A puddle up to his middle.

Where on your body is your middle?

Your tummy.

Did he ever visit there again?

No.