



Start Your Learning Journey with e-thaksalawa

Grade 6



21. Let's enjoy poems

Hello children,

Have you ever come out of the home at night?

What could you see there?

Now we are going to read a poem.

Firefly



A little light is going by

is going up to see the sky,

a little light with wings.

I never could have thought of it,

to have a little bug all lit

and made to go on wings.

Elizerbeth Madox Roberts

- A. What is going up?
- B. Why it is going up?
- C. What does the light have?
- D. Who is the writer of the poem?
- E. Write the rhyming words for the following words.
 - 1. By-Sky
- 2. It
- F. What is the poem about?

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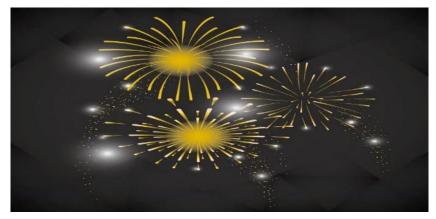
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Let's enjoy another poem.....

Look at the picture first.

Fireworks





Catherine wheels

They rise like sudden fiery flowers
That burst upon night,
Then fall to earth in burning flowers
of crimson, blue, and white.
Like buds too wonderful to name,
Each miracle unfolds,
And Catherine-wheels begin to flame
Like whirling marigolds.
Rockets and Roman candle make
An orchard of the sky,
Whence magic trees their petals shake
Upon each gazing eye.

James Reeves



Roman candle

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Activity 01

Let's find out the rhyming words in the poem.

Rhyming words ends with the same sound.

- 1. Night white
- 2. Name-
- 3. Unfolds-
- 4. Make-
- 5. Sky-

Answer the following questions

- 1. How do the fireworks rise?
 - a. Like fiery flowers b. like a waterfall c. like a spring
- 2. What do begin to flame?
 - a. burning flowers
- b. Catherine-wheels
- c. marigolds
- 3. make an orchard in the sky
 - a. Rockets and roman candles b. miracle c. Catherine-wheels



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