

English

KS2

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# Year 6 Reading Assessment Answer Booklet - Poetry

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1. Which three animals are mentioned in the poem?

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1 mark

2. What is the meaning of the word 'boughs'? **Tick one.**

stars in the sky

blades of grass

branches of a tree

streams of water

1 mark

3. Several lines start with the repeated phrase 'No time'.

What is the purpose of repeating these words?

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1 mark

4. What do you think the author means by 'streams full of stars'?

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5. Find and copy a phrase which could mean 'too occupied with worry'.

1 mark

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6. Look at the line 'No time to turn at Beauty's glance'

1 mark

Why is a capital letter used for the word 'Beauty'?

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7. Draw lines to match these parts of the poem with their correct movement or actions:

1 mark

sheep and cows

hide nuts in grass

squirrels

dance and smile

Beauty

stand and stare

8. In your own words, explain what message the poet is trying to give the reader.

3 marks

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9. The title of the poem is '*Leisure*'. How does the word '*leisure*' link to the theme of the poem? Use evidence from the text to support your answer.

2 marks

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