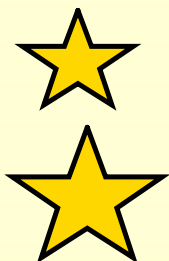
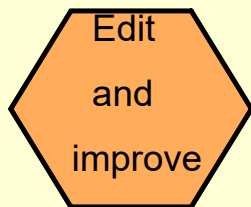


Tuesday 25th May 2021

LO: To read and understand the poem



Purple Pen look
back to edit and
improve (5 mins)

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

Glossary	
champed	ate noisily
cropping	cutting
descended	came down
dwelt	lived
ferny	covered in ferns
hearkening	listening – paying attention
host	group or crowd
perplexed	puzzled
phantom	ghost
plunging	falling steeply
sill	window sill – shelf under a window
smote	struck with a firm blow
spoke	old-fashioned for spoke
stirrup	metal supports for the foot on a horse's saddle
surged	moved forward with force
thronging	crowding together
turf	grass
turret	tower

'The Listeners' by Walter de la Mare

Partner 1 - Read the poem while partner 2 follows the text with the ruler.



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Thinking
Together

What are our initial thoughts
about the poem

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Let's re-read the poem. This time, Partner 2 - Read the poem while partner 1 follows the text with the ruler.

As you read answer make notes to answer these questions:

- 1) What time of the day is described in the Poem? Pick out words that suggest this?
- 2) What is the setting of this poem? Pick out words that suggest this?
- 3) Why is the traveller there? Which line of the poem confirms this?
- 4) How is the mood of the Traveller change as the poem progressed? How do we know this?



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I Do

We do

1) What time of the day is described in the Poem? Pick out words that suggest this?



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You do

Answer the remaining questions in your book



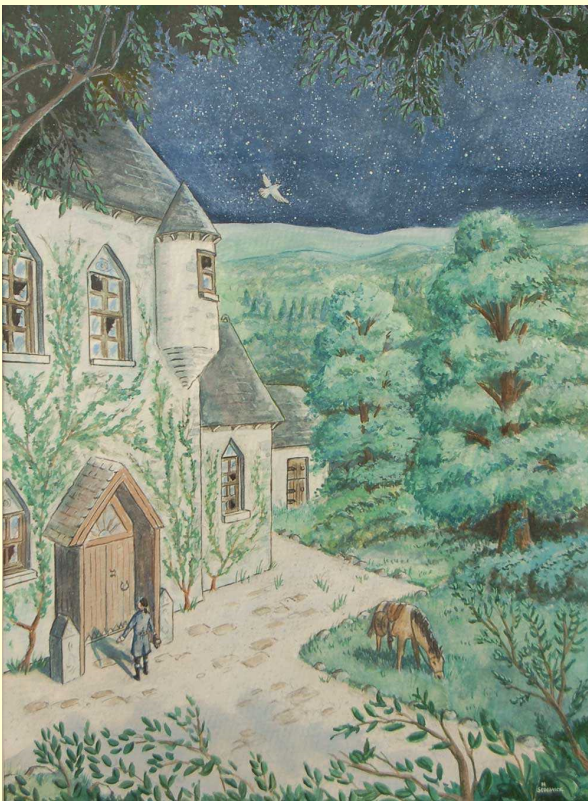
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4) How is the mood of the Traveller change as the poem progressed? How do we know this?

You do

Answer the remaining questions in your book



2) What is the setting of this poem? Pick out words that suggest this? Poem is set outside a lone house in the middle of a forest.

3) Why is the traveller there? Which line of the poem confirms this? Traveller is there because he had promised that he will come to visit the resident of that house.

4) How is the mood of the Traveller change as the poem progressed? How do we know this? Traveller is impatient and confused at the beginning of the poem and becomes worried and angry towards the end of the poem.