Wednesday 9th June
LO: To write

How well can you write your own poem using repetition and rhyming couplets?
Use the first and last couplet from Leisure and fit your own couplets in between.

## I do

WHAT is this life if, full of care,
We have no time to stand and stare? —

No time to stand under the trees,
And gaze as long as birds and bees:

No time to see, when forests we pass,
Where hedgehogs burrow in the tall grass:

No time to turn at nature's face,
And watch her beauty and her grace:

No time to wait till her eyes can
Enhance that glimmer that just began?

A poor life this if, full of care,
We have no time to stand and stare.

## We do

Write the first two couplets with your partner on your whiteboards.

WHAT is this life if, full of care,
We have no time to stand and stare? —

No time to stand _____,
And _____:

No time to see _____,
Where _____:

No time to turn_____,
And _____:

No time to wait_____,
Enhance_____?

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You do

Write your own poem.

Plan your poem on your sheet first, before writing it into your book.

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