Welcome!

Do you have ...?

1) your pen/pencil?



-2) your notebook/paper?

3) some water? —



Grade 4 English

Twinkle Twinkle Little Star, Your writing has come so far!

Do you know this poem?







Let's look at the poem.

Twinkle, twinkle, little star, How I wonder what you are! Up above the world so high, Like a diamond in the sky.

When the blazing sun is gone, When he nothing shines upon,

2 Then you show your little light, Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

Then the traveler in the dark,

- Thank you for your tiny spark,
- He could not see which way to go, If you did not twinkle so.

It's your bright and tiny spark,
Lights the traveler in the dark,
Though I know not what you are,
Twinkle, twinkle, little star.

How many paragraphs are there?

The poem has four paragraphs.

What is a paragraph called in a poem?

A paragraph in a poem is called a **'verse'**.

Now, let's read the poem.



Twinkle, twinkle, little star,

How I wonder what you are!

Up above the world so high,

Like a diamond in the sky.



When the blazing sun is gone,

When he nothing shines upon,

Then you show your little light,

Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.



Then the traveler in the dark,

Thank you for your tiny spark,

He could not see which way to go,

If you did not twinkle so.



It's your bright and tiny spark,

Lights the traveler in the dark,

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Time to answer some questions.





Twinkle, twinkle, little star,

How I wonder what you are!

Up above the world so high,

Like a diamond in the sky.

What are the rhyming pairs?

Twinkle, twinkle, little star,

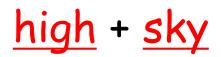
How I wonder what you are!

Up above the world so high,

Like a diamond in the sky.

What are the rhyming pairs?

<u>star</u> + <u>are</u>



When the blazing sun is gone,

When he nothing shines upon,

Then you show your little light,

Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

What are the rhyming pairs?

When the blazing sun is gone,

When he nothing shines upon,

Then you show your little light,

Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

What are the rhyming pairs?

gone + upon

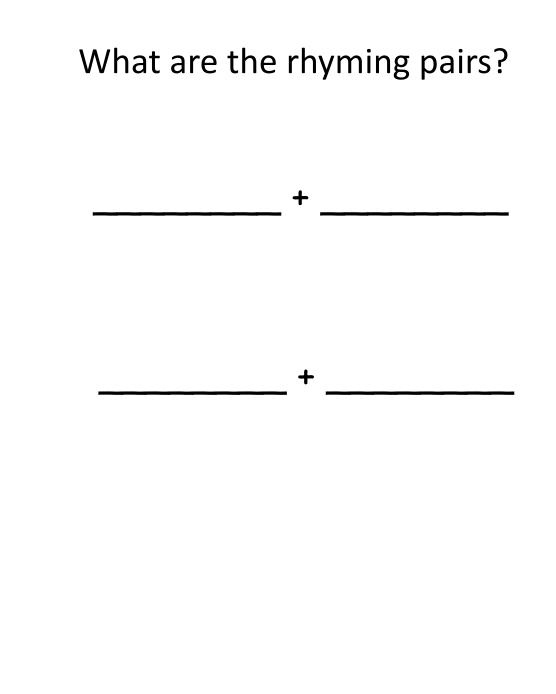
<u>light</u> + <u>night</u>

Then the traveler in the dark,

Thank you for your tiny spark,

He could not see which way to go,

If you did not twinkle so.



Then the traveler in the dark,

Thank you for your tiny spark,

He could not see which way to go,

If you did not twinkle so.

What are the rhyming pairs?

<u>dark</u> + <u>spark</u>

<u>go</u> + <u>so</u>

When the blazing sun is gone, When he nothing shines upon, Then you show your little light, Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

Then the traveler in the dark, Thank you for your tiny spark, He could not see which way to go, If you did not twinkle so.

It's your bright and tiny spark, Lights the traveler in the dark, Though I know not what you are, Twinkle, twinkle, little star.

What is the rhyming pattern of the poem?

A,A

When the blazing sun is gone, When he nothing shines upon, Then you show your little light, Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

Then the traveler in the dark, Thank you for your tiny spark, He could not see which way to go, If you did not twinkle so.

Twinkle, twinkle, little star, How I wonder what you are! Up above the world so <u>high</u>, Like a diamond in the <u>sky</u> When the blazing sun is gone, When he nothing shines upon, Then you show your little light, Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

B,B

Then the traveler in the dark, Thank you for your tiny spark, He could not see which way to go, If you did not twinkle so.

When the blazing sun is <u>gone</u>, When he nothing shines <u>upon</u>, Then you show your little light, Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

► C,C

Then the traveler in the dark, Thank you for your tiny spark, He could not see which way to go, If you did not twinkle so.

When the blazing sun is gone, When he nothing shines upon, Then you show your little <u>light</u>, Twinkle, twinkle, all the <u>night</u>.

→ D,D

Then the traveler in the dark, Thank you for your tiny spark, He could not see which way to go, If you did not twinkle so.

When the blazing sun is gone, When he nothing shines upon, Then you show your little light, Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

Then the traveler in the <u>dark</u>, Thank you for your tiny <u>spark</u>, He could not see which way to go, If you did not twinkle so.

> E,E

When the blazing sun is gone, When he nothing shines upon, Then you show your little light, Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

Then the traveler in the dark, Thank you for your tiny spark, He could not see which way to <u>go</u>, If you did not twinkle <u>so</u>.

F,F

When the blazing sun is gone, When he nothing shines upon, Then you show your little light, Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

Then the traveler in the dark, Thank you for your tiny spark, He could not see which way to go, If you did not twinkle so.

When the blazing sun is gone, When he nothing shines upon, Then you show your little light, Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

Then the traveler in the dark, Thank you for your tiny spark, He could not see which way to go, If you did not twinkle so.

It's your bright and tiny spark, Lights the traveler in the dark, Though I know not what you <u>are</u>, Twinkle, twinkle, little <u>star</u>.

➤ A,A

When the blazing sun is gone, When he nothing shines upon, Then you show your little light, Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

Then the traveler in the dark, Thank you for your tiny spark, He could not see which way to go, If you did not twinkle so.

It's your bright and tiny spark, Lights the traveler in the dark, Though I know not what you are, Twinkle, twinkle, little star.

So the rhyming pattern of this poem is:

A A B B C C D D E E F F E E A A

Can you find the adjectives in the poem?



List all the <u>adjectives</u> you see.

Twinkle, twinkle, little star, How I wonder what you are! Up above the world so high, Like a diamond in the sky.

When the blazing sun is gone, When he nothing shines upon, Then you show your little light,

Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

Then the traveler in the dark, Thank you for your tiny spark, He could not see which way to go, If you did not twinkle so.

Answers

Twinkle, twinkle, little star, How I wonder what you are! Up above the world so high, Like a diamond in the sky.

When the blazing sun is gone, When he nothing shines upon, Then you show your little light,

Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

Then the traveler in the dark, Thank you for your tiny spark, He could not see which way to go, If you did not twinkle so.

What could be the simile in this verse?

Twinkle, twinkle, little star, How I wonder what you are! Up above the world so high, Like a diamond in the sky. What is a simile?

A simile is used to **compare** two different things.

Examples:

He is as tall as a giraffe.

They swim like a fish.

What is being compared in the verse?

Twinkle, twinkle, little star, How I wonder what you are! Up above the world so

high,

Like a diamond in the sky.

What is being compared in the verse?

Twinkle, twinkle, little star, How I wonder what you are! Up above the world so high, Like a diamond in the sky.

A star and a diamond are being compared.

The poem describes that *stars* <u>look like</u> *diamonds* in the sky.

The simile would be: "stars look like diamonds"



End of Period 1



Period 2

Use the words below to complete the poem.

fly, try, wing, sing, ring, meeting, springs, pie

I believe I can _____ (A) But I will never _____ (A) I may not have a _____ (B) So, instead, I might_____ (B)

Answers

fly, try, wing, sing, ring, meeting, springs, pie

I believe I can <u>fly</u> (A) But I will never <u>try</u> (A) I may not have a <u>wing</u> (B) So, instead, I might <u>sing</u> (B)

Use the words below to complete the poem.

and, outside, cheer, finished, near, clear, bear

It's nice ____ (A) We're full of ____ (B) Some tests are ____ (C) The end is ____ (B)

Answers

and, outside, cheer, finished, near, clear, bear

It's nice <u>outside</u> (A) We're full of <u>cheer</u> (B) Some tests are <u>finished</u> (C) The end is <u>near</u> (B)

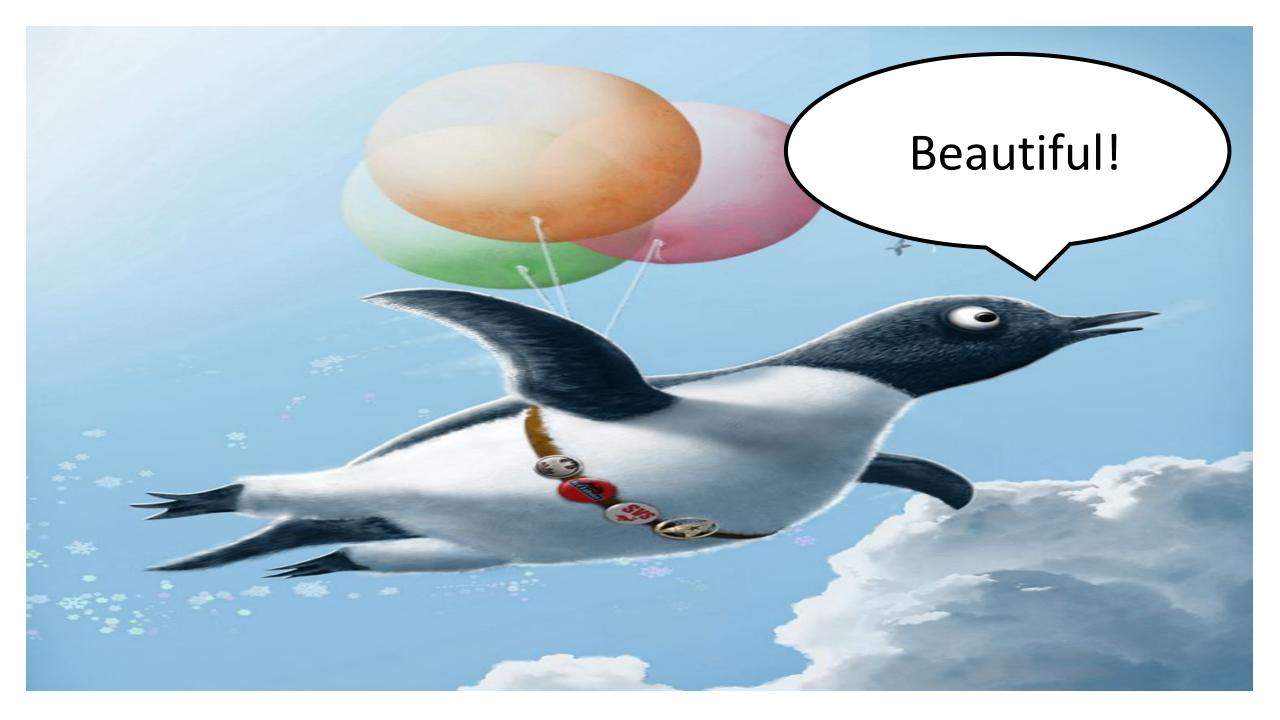
Do you know this one?



Yes? Let's sing along to it!

I believe I can fly, I believe I can touch the sky, I think about it every night and day, Spread my wings and fly away, I believe I can soar, I see me running through that open door, I believe I can fly.





You will now write your own poem.

You can write an acrostic poem or a rhyming poem.

Here are some ideas for you to write about:

- Plants
- Space
- Animals
- Ice cream

Choose one topic and write a poem about it.

Here are some examples.

Acrostic poem.

Plants

Plants are green

Leafy and thorny.

Air, water, sunlight they need,

Nice flowers, fruits and vegetables they give.

Trees, shrubs and grass

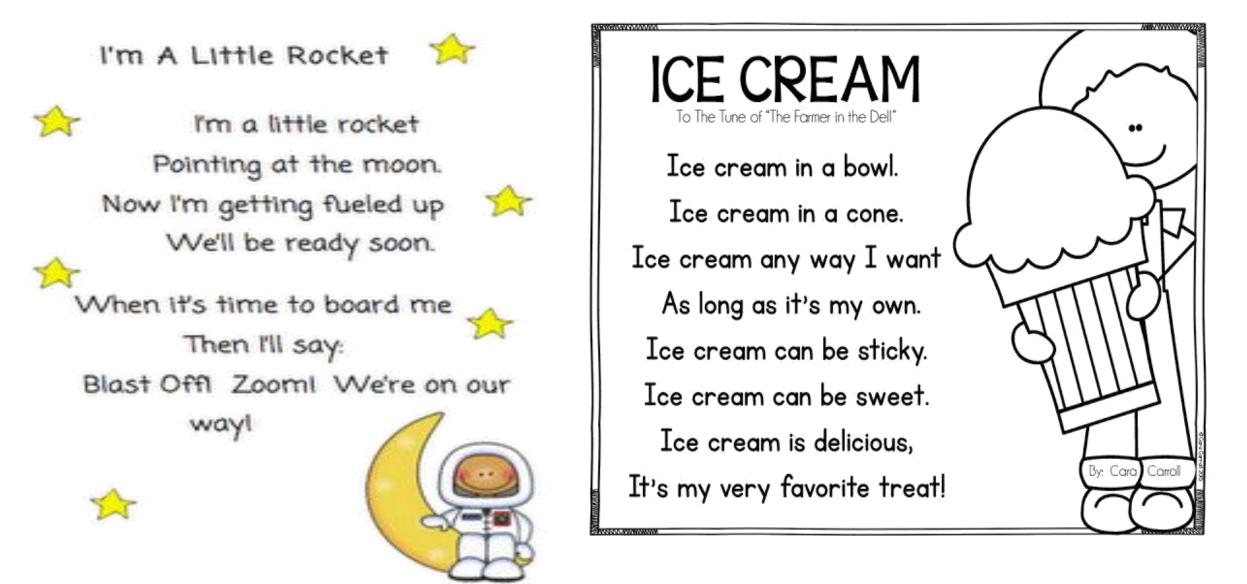
Soil is where they grow.

Rhyming poem. <u>1'm a Little Penguin</u>

I'm a little penguin in the snow I slide on my tummy to and fro I eat the fish from the deep blue sea I'm black and white as you can see.



Here are some examples.



Time to write your poem!



Write on a piece of paper or notebook.

You have 5 minutes.

Use adjectives.

Time to present your poem.



Please speak *loudly* and *clearly*.

Please be *quiet* and *listen*.



End of Period 2

Congratulations!



