



UNIT - 3

POEM – RUN! (MARRY DAUNT)

Summary-

In this poem, the poet asks the children to run and enjoy themselves. She asks them to go away from the city towards the countryside. She tells them to run into the sun, in the raindrops and under the trees. She calls them out to run down the hillside, up the lanes, through the meadows and then back again. The poet urges them to run throughout the day so that they can rejoice and be happy.

New Vocabulary:-

1. Raindrop
2. Breeze
3. Lane
4. Meadow
5. Merry
6. Hillside
7. Neath
8. Through
9. Country
10. Away

Word Meaning

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| 1. Raindrop | drop of rain |
| 2. Breeze | a light wind |
| 3. Hillside | the side of hill |
| 4. Lane | a narrow road |

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| 5. Meadow | a field of grass |
| 6. Merry | happy |
| 7. Away | far off |

Answer the following question:

Q1. What does the poem tell us to do ?

Ans. The poet tells us to run away from the city towards the country side, to run throughout the day to different places in the country side and be happy and joyous.

Q2 Write about the places where the poet wants to run?

Ans. The poet wants us to run, out to the country , down the hill side, up the lanes, through the meadows and under the trees.

Q3 What does the poet want the children to run races with ?

Ans. The poet wants the children to run races with each little breeze.

Q4. Why did the poet say them to run throughout the day ?

Ans. The poet said them to run throughout the day so that they can rejoice and be happy.

Q5. Who is the poet of the poem 'Run' ?

Ans. Mary Daunt

Make Sentences –

1. Raindrop - The raindrops have left spots on the windows.
2. Breeze - A cold breeze touched her cheeks and neck.
3. Hillside – Sheep were grazing on the hillside.
4. Meadow – The meadow has been ploughed up.

Grammar

Fill in the blanks using the preposition given in the box.

From, to ,through, beneath, up, into, in, down, through, to

1. The poet asks the children to run away from the city and into the sun, out to the country.
2. The poet says run in the raindrops, under the tree.

3. The poet further encourages the children to run down the hillside , up the lane, through the meadow and back again.

4. The poet wants the children to be merry all through the meadow and back again.

Write Homophones

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| 1. Ate | Eight |
| 2. Buy | Bye |
| 3. Site | Sight |
| 4. Deer | Dear |
| 5. Desert | Dessert |

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