

Worksheet - 10

Subject: - English

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Topic :Poem 1

Where Go the Boats ?

Read the poem carefully.

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Poem | Where Go the Boats?

Read and Enjoy

Recite the following poem with the teacher and then in groups.

Dark brown is the river,
Golden is the sand.
It flows along for ever,
With trees on **either hand**.

Green leaves a-floating,
Castles of the **foam**,
Boats of mine a-boating
When will all come home?

On goes the river,
And out past the mill,
Away down the **valley**,
Away down the hill.

Away down the river,
A hundred miles or more,
Other little children,
Shall bring my boats **ashore**.

—Robert Louis Stevenson



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Word Meanings

either hand: each side (of the river); castle: a large magnificent building meant for a king or very rich person; foam: a mass of bubbles; mill: a building with machinery for grinding grain into flour; valley: a low area of land between hills, usually with a river flowing through

Ques 1 Write the word meanings in your sheets.

- Either hand: Each side of the river.
- Castle: A large building or palace for kings and his family.
- Foam: A lot of bubbles
- Mill: A building where grinding of grains into flour is done
- Valley: A low area of land between hills with a river flowing through it
- Ashore : Towards land.

Ques 2 Answer the following questions

1. What is being described in the first stanza of the poem.

Answer: The poet is describing the brown river and the trees on the either side also the river bank which golden in colour.

2. What did the poet see a-floating on the river water?

Answer: The poet saw green leaves a-floating on the river water.

3. Name two places that the river crosses, while flowing down.

Answer: The river flows near the mill and down through a valley.

4. Who would bring the poet's boat ashore?

Answer: Other little children shall bring the poet's boat ashore.