

Tender Heart High School.

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Class-II

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Subject : English LiteratureTeachers :- Ms. Harjit-Kaur, Ms. Jyoti Arora  
and Ms. Rupinder Kaur.Topic :- L-19, Scarecrow (Poem)

Summary :- It is a very nice short poem about a scarecrow. A scarecrow is a figure of a person in old torn clothes to frighten away crows and other birds.

There was a man named Mr. Marvin who used to feed the crows from a wooden bowl in a field. In the middle of the field there stood a scarecrow wearing a coat and a hat.

One day he took the coat from the scarecrow and wore it. The next day when he went to field wearing that same coat to feed the crows, not a single crow was there, all of them had flown away thinking he was the scarecrow.

I Difficult Words.

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| 1. field     | 8 middle    |
| 2. feeding   | 9 scarecrow |
| 3. favourite | 10 wearing  |
| 4. crows     | 11 borrow   |
| 5. wooden    | 12 covering |
| 6. bowl      | 13 happily  |



7. snug

14. flown.

## II Word - Meanings

1. favourite - best loved
2. scarecrow - a figure of a person in old torn clothes to frighten away crows and other birds.
3. hay - dried grass
4. snug - warm and cosy.

## III Complete the summary of the poem.

Mr. Marvin went to the field to feed the crows. He borrowed the coat of the scarecrow because he was feeling very cold. He covered the scarecrow with hay. Next day when Mr. Marvin reached the field with his bowl, he didn't find any crow. They had flown away because they thought Mr. Marvin was the scarecrow.

## IV Write true or false.

1. Mr. Marvin went to the forest. - False
2. Mr. Marvin was feeling very cold - True
3. Mr. Marvin fed the crows from a steel bowl. - False
4. Mr. Marvin borrowed the coat of the scarecrow - True
5. The scarecrow was wearing a coat and a hat. - True



## 2. Answer the following questions.

- Why did Mr Mavin carry a wooden bowl to the field?
- Where was the scarecrow? What was he wearing?
- How did Mr Mavin feel after putting on the coat?
- Why did the crows fly away from Mr Mavin?

## C. Vocabulary Enrichment

- Circle the opposites of the following words in the word grid.

- hot *cold*
- sat *stood*
- lend *borrow*
- sadly *happily*
- night *day*
- took *gave*

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- Find from the poem words rhyming with these.

- hat ..... *that* .....
- hay ..... *day* .....
- crow ..... *scarecrow* .....

Write one word of your own to rhyme with the pairs you have formed.

## D. Discussion and Creative Writing



Discuss the sequence of the story with your partner and number the sentences correctly.

1. He borrowed the scarecrow's coat. 4
2. But the crows did not come near him. 8
3. He was feeling very cold. 2
4. The crows thought Mr Mavin to be the scarecrow because he was wearing the scarecrow's coat. 7
5. Mr Mavin went to the field to feed the crows. 1
6. Next day he returned to the field to feed the crows. 6
7. He felt warm and cosy. 5
8. He saw a scarecrow wearing a coat and a hat. 3



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