

Tender Heart High School, Sec-33B Chandigarh

Subject: English Literature

Class: V

Chapter: 12 These Old Shoes

Good Morning Students,

Let us understand and discuss the poem thoroughly by noting down the questions and answers in your fair note books neatly in good handwriting.

Q1 Answer the questions with reference to the context.

"These old shoes
have scuffs and stains
they've trudged through snow
and pelting rains."

(i) What happened to the shoes?

Ans. With the passage of time the shoes have become worn and torn.

(the shoes)
2) Where have they trudged?

Ans. The shoes have trudged through the snow and pelting rains.

3) Where did the shoes go each dawn?

Ans. Every dawn the shoes have tramped their way to school.

4. How did the shoes look now?

Ans. The shoes now looked old, wrinkled, lined and worn.

Q. II

"They may have cracks and fraying laces, but these old shoes have won at races."

(i) What might the old shoes have?

Ans. The old shoes might have cracks and tattered laces.

(ii) What have the shoes won?

Ans. The shoes have won at races.

(iii) What happened to the heels and soles?

Ans. The heels and soles have become thin and worn out.

III

"But though they once were bright and neat and though they've shortly served my feet."

(i) How were the shoes in the beginning?

Ans. In the beginning the shoes were bright and neat.

(ii) How have the shoes served?

Ans. The shoes have served the feet stoutly.