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1 What word in the poem rhymes with snowing?

2 What word in the poem rhymes with tongue?

3 Why do the houses look like birthday cakes?

4 Why does the world look good enough to bite?

5 Is there really sugar on the lakes? What does the writer mean?

6 Write about today's weather. What is it like? Can you make a rhyming verse about it?

Notes for teachers

Ask the children to read the poem. Discuss it with them, encouraging them to understand the descriptions – the writer makes great use of metaphors, which some children will not understand without help. Discuss the questions with them and encourage them to work out their answers orally before putting anything down on paper. Do they remember to write in complete sentences, using appropriate punctuation?