

WELLAND GOULDSMITH SCHOOL

CLASS 1

Subject : English Literature

Topic : Once I Was A Baby (Poem)

I. Write a word which rhymes with the following words :-

1. big – fig / dig
2. sleeping – weeping / beeping
3. pink – sink / think
4. says – rays / pays
5. Mum – gum / sum
6. hold – fold / mold
7. small – fall / tall
8. new – dew / few

II. Fill in the blanks :-

1. Now suddenly I'm big .
2. There's someone else, sleeping in my crib .
3. With hands the size of daisies .
4. Mum says it's my new brother .
5. He's very small and sweet .

III. Choose the correct option :-

1. Once I was a man / **baby** .
2. Sleeping in my **crib** / bed .
3. I think I'm going to **like** / dislike him .
4. Mum says it's my new sister / **brother** .
5. When I can **hold** / throw him on my knee.
6. With hands the size of **daisies** / tulips .

IV. Answer the following :-

Q1. Who is sleeping in the crib ?

Ans: The poet's new brother is sleeping in the crib.

Q2. Describe the little baby ?

Ans: The little baby is very small and sweet, with hands the size of daisies.

Q3. What does the poet think about the baby ?

Ans: The poet thinks that he is going to like the baby and he knows the baby is going to like him too.

Q4. Describe the baby's feet ?

Ans: The baby's feet are very smooth and pink.

Q5. What is the poet waiting to do ?

Ans: The poet is waiting to hold the baby on his knee.