

ENGLISH

THE BALL POEM

DHA: 07

Q1 Who is the poet of the Ball poem?

- (A) Leslie Norris
- (B) John Berryman
- (C) Carolyn Wells
- (D) Robert Frost

Q2 What is the boy playing with?

- (A) Bat (B) Ball
- (C) Car (D) Bus

Q3 Where does the ball go?

- (A) Drain (B) Well
- (C) House (D) Water

Q4 What does a ball cost?

- (A) 5 dimes (B) 10 dimes
- (C) 1 dime (D) 4 dimes

Q5 How does the child react to the loss?

- (A) Stands rigid
- (B) Trembles
- (C) Stares
- (D) All of them

Q6 According to the poet, what is the child learning?

- (A) To bear loss
- (B) To take care of things

(C) To be responsible

(D) To be careful

Q7 Does the poet condole the boy?

- (A) Can't say
- (B) Yes

(C) No

(D) All of them

Q8 Why does the poet decide not to condole the boy?

- (A) He is busy.
- (B) He is indifferent.
- (C) It will be of no use.

(D) He is happy.

Q9 Name the literary device used in-

“Merrily bouncing, down the street, and then
Merrily over — there it is in the water!”

- (A) Metaphor

(B) Simile

(C) Alliteration

(D) Anaphora

Q10 Name the literary device used in “And no one
buys a ball back.”

- (A) Metaphor (C) Alliteration
- (B) Simile (D) Anaphora



Answer Key

Q1 (B)

Q2 (B)

Q3 (D)

Q4 (C)

Q5 (D)

Q6 (A)

Q7 (C)

Q8 (C)

Q9 (D)

Q10 (C)



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Hints & Solutions

Q1 Text Solution:

John Berryman

Video Solution:

Q2 Text Solution:

Ball

Video Solution:

Q3 Text Solution:

Water

Video Solution:

Q4 Text Solution:

1 dime

Video Solution:

Q5 Text Solution:

All of them

Video Solution:

Q6 Text Solution:

To bear loss

Video Solution:

Q7 Text Solution:

No

Video Solution:

Q8 Text Solution:

It will be of no use.

Video Solution:

Q9 Text Solution:

Anaphora

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Q10 Text Solution:
Alliteration

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