# Grade 2 Reading Poetry "Underneath the Starry Sky: A Nighttime Poem"

Beneath the starry sky so vast,

A world of dreams is ours at last.

The moon above, a silver ball,

Casts its glow on one and all.

As night descends with gentle grace,

The world transforms into a peaceful place.

The twinkling stars, a brilliant show,

In the velvet sky, they softly glow.

The crickets sing their lullaby,
A soothing tune to the passerby.
The owl awakens, takes to flight,
In the stillness of the night.

Now, let's explore the starry realm,
And let your imagination overwhelm.
In this poetic journey we'll partake,
Five questions await, so stay awake.

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## **Multiple Choice Questions:**

- 1. What is the main subject of the poem?
  - A. The sun
  - B. The moon and stars
  - C. The ocean
  - D. The mountains
- 2. What does the moon do in the poem?
  - A. It sleeps
  - B. It shines and casts a glow
  - C. It hides in the clouds
  - D. It dances with the stars
- 3. What is the mood of the poem?
  - A. Sad
  - B. Exciting
  - C. Peaceful
  - D. Angry
- 4. Who sings a lullaby in the poem?
  - A. The wind
  - B. The crickets
  - C. The birds
  - D. The wolves
- 5. What is the owl doing in the poem?
  - A. Sleeping
  - B. Hunting
  - C. Awakens
  - D. Singing

#### **Answers- Reading Poetry Prompt**

### Question 1:

- **Answer:** B The moon and stars
- **Explanation:** Based on information provided in the passage, it states that "Beneath the starry sky so vast, A world of dreams is ours at last. The moon above, a silver ball, Casts its glow on one and all." Therefore, B is the right answer for this question.

#### **Question 2:**

- Answer: B It shines and casts a glow
- **Explanation:** Based on information provided in the passage, it states that "The moon above, a silver ball, Casts its glow on one and all." Therefore, B is the right answer for this question.

#### Question 3:

- **Answer:** C Peaceful
- **Explanation:** Based on information provided in the poem, the night time is described as very graceful and tranquil. Therefore, C is the right answer for this question.

### **Question 4:**

- **Answer:** B The Crickets
- **Explanation:** Based on information provided in the passage, it states that "The crickets sing their lullaby," Therefore, B is the right answer for this question.

#### Question 5:

- **Answer:** C Awakens
- **Explanation:** Based on information provided in the passage, it states that "The owl awakens, takes to flight." Therefore, C is the right answer for this question.