



MIIM Grammar School (G-11 Campus)

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Class: 6th

Subject: English

Unit: 1

Topic: My House (poem)

Activity: Exercise page#23+24

Question/ answers:

Q1: What makes the poet's house home?

Ans: Family makes the poet's house home.

Q2: The house is not built of bricks. What is it built of?

Ans: In the poem, the poet wants to say that house is not built of bricks, it is built with family love.

Q3: Why do you think the poet chose to use such simple words?

Ans: The poet chose to use such simple words because she wants to convey her own feelings, emotions, and experiences of happy family clearly.

Q4: Explain which is the most important to you, an expensive house, or a loving family.

Ans: The most important thing is a loving family. When you have a family love, your life is complete. And in expensive house you can live but it cannot give you happiness.

Q5: What is the difference between house and home?

Ans: A house is something you can see and touch. It is the building itself. A home is something you cannot touch and see. It is the centre of family life, the place to which you belong.

Where we live now

Reading for interpretation

1. What makes the poet's house a home?
2. Explain how the poet's family make her feel.
3. This house is not built of bricks. What is it built of?
4. Why do you think the poet chose to use such simple words?
5. Why do you think the poet chose to use no commas or full stops?
6. Explain what the poet values in life. How do her values compare with yours?
7. Explain which is most important to you, an expensive house or a loving family.

House and Home

What is the difference between *house* and *home*?

- a A *house* is something you can touch and see. It is the building itself.
- b A *home* is something you can't touch or see. It is the centre of family life, the place to which you belong.

Writing task

House or Home?

Copy out the following sentences, filling in the gaps with the correct word:

- 1 The is very old and is falling down.
- 2 At we always get up at six o'clock.
- 3 'I must go now,' said Tahira. 'I'll be in trouble if I'm late.'
- 4 The window panes in the were made of beautiful coloured glass.
- 5 The is ugly but we are happy and feel at in it.
- 6 'Get out of my!' Hanif shouted at the thief.

