

Lesson 3 Rain in Summer

Good morning students.

Q.1 and Q.2 to be done in Literature copies.

Q.1 Write the meanings and then make sentences with the following words:

- I. Fiery
Meaning - burning
Sentence - The Streets are very **fiery** during the summer season.

- II. Tramp
Meaning - walking heavily or Noisily
Sentence - The boys **tramp** across the road.

Q.2 Reference to context:

How beautiful is the rain – – – – – welcome rain

- i. Describe the street in the summer.
Ans. The street in summer is broad and burning. It is dusty and hot.
- ii. When does the rain appear beautiful?
Ans. The rain appears beautiful after the dust and heat.
- iii. How does the rain clatter along the roofs?
Ans. The rain clatters along the roofs like the tramp of hoofs.
- iv. Does everyone welcome the rain in summer?
Ans. Yes, everyone welcomes the rain in summer.
- v. Write the name of the poem and the poet.
Ans. The name of the poem is "Rain in Summer" and the name of the poet is "Henry Wadsworth Longfellow".

To be done in the book.

Complete the following lines.

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1. Rain
2. Heat
3. Fiery
4. Street

2.

1. Windowpane
2. Pours
3. Wide
4. Tide

Play with words

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1. Broad
2. Clatter
3. Gushes

Draw and decorate the poem.

Learn the Reference to Context

3



Rain in Summer

How beautiful is the rain!
After the dust and heat,
In the broad and fiery street,
In the narrow lane.
How beautiful is the rain!

How it clatters along the roofs!
Like the tramp of hoofs!
How it gushes and struggles out
From the throat of the
overflowing spout!

Across the windowpane,
It pours and pours;
And swift and wide,
With a muddy tide,
Like the river down the gutter roars—
The rain, the welcome rain!



Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

fiery : burning *tramp* : walk heavily or noisily





Comprehension

A. Complete the following lines.

1. How beautiful is the _____ !
After the dust and _____ ;
In the broad and fiery _____ ,
In the narrow _____ .
2. Across the _____ ,
It pours and _____ ;
And swift and _____ ,
With a muddy _____ .



B. Answer the following questions.

1. Who is the poet of the poem 'Rain in Summer'?
2. Describe the street in summer.
3. When does the rain appear beautiful?
4. How does the rain clatter along the roofs?
5. Does everyone welcome the rain in summer?



Play with Words

C. Write words from the poem which mean:

1. wide
2. sound of objects falling or striking each other
3. flow out of something in a rapid and plentiful stream



Fun with Grammar

There are two numbers.

- (a) Singular number (b) Plural number

The noun that refers to only one person or thing is said to be in singular number.
Such as — pen, book, shop, pencil, chair, key, etc.