



CLASS NOTES-ANSWERS

Working with the poem.

1) Answer the following questions.

i) Who is the speaker in the poem?

Answer: The speaker in the poem is a small child.

ii) Is she/he afraid or curious, or both?

Answer: He/She is both curious and afraid.

iii) What is she/he planning to do soon?

Answer: He/She is planning to peek into the shed soon.

iv) "But not just yet..." suggests doubt, fear, hesitation, laziness or something else. Choose the word which seems right to you. Tell others why you chose it.

Answer: The word hesitation seems right because the poet is a small child and his brother has told him that if he steps in the ghost will jump and chop off his head.

2) Is there a room in your house or a house in your

neighbourhood/locality where you would rather not go alone, and never at night? If there is such a place and a story to go with it, let others hear all about it.

Answer: Yes, there is a house in the neighborhood that I would not go alone and never at night. Scary noises have been heard from the house, it's in a shabby and dilapidated condition. No stories have been heard so far but no one dares to go.