

Wednesday 2nd June 2021

The **theme** of a poem or story

Remember the theme is the message or main idea of a poem, story or piece of writing.

What is the theme of the passages below? In each case, click on the box to the right to select the theme.

It was pitch black. Suddenly, I heard a loud growling sound. I tried to run but I froze. I closed my eyes and it seemed as though death was fast approaching.

As soon as the clock struck twelve midnight, we all hugged and wished each other God's blessings for the new year. Then we partied until morning.

You could have heard a pin fall. All the students were quiet and attentive during the class.

We must not be rude to our parents, our teachers or those in authority.

Whatever you give to others, it returns tenfold. Do not give to get back. Generously share your time and resources.

